Democratic Watchman

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NEWS ABOUT TOWN AND COUNTY.

Only twenty more days left in which to do that Christmas shopping. are correct the total will be in excess

-Now that the football season is over high school and college students can devote their time to study.

-Every seat should be taken at the meeting for men and boys at the Bellefonte Methodist church on Sunday afternoon.

The Ladies Aid society of the United Evangelical church will hold a food sale in Sourbeck's store room, Saturday, December 6th, from 9 a. m. No accurate prediction of the number to 5 p. m.

-The Rub-No-More Co., of Fort Wayne, publishes another coupon advertisement in this issue. Look it up for the coupon is worth five cents to you and nickels are not usually found so easily.

The propeller blade on Stevens plane struck and killed a six year old boy when he was landing in New York on Wednesday. Stevens is a New York-Cleveland pilot in the air mail service.

mers in Centre county who have the buck and another drive was made. some of their corn in the field. The buck was raised again and twen- race the Italian had counted the num-

"The Miracle Man," which is to be shown at the Pastime theatre, TWO HUNTERS SLIGHTLY INJURED. aroused. Lights were turned on and State College, today and tomorrow, has been seen in the east by several Bellefonte people who are of the opinion that it is the very best film they have ever seen.

duced an innovation at the Brocker- of Woodward, were brought to the carte restaurant in the main dining suffering from gunshot wounds reroom from eight to eleven o'clock ceived Tuesday evening in their huntevery evening. If the patronage justifies it dancing may also be inaugurated in the future.

The State-Centre Electric comcoal and unless some is procured soon it will have to cut off all power service. Lighting can be furnished by the water power plant but it is not strong enough to carry the additional load required for commercial use.

-----In another column of this pa-

While it is impossible to give in exact figures the number of deer killed in the first four days of the season, or up until last evening, if all reports

MANY DEER KILLED

First Few Days of the Season Bring

Good Results.

of the first few days last season, when the kill was the biggest in some years.

As predicted in the "Watchman" last week hunters were on the ground for the opening of the season on Monday morning. Every train on Friday, Saturday and Sunday brought scores of hunters into Centre county, while local hunters went into the woods by wagon loads and in big auto trucks.

of hunters out on the trail can be Cutting Affray at the Western Pen--The American Lime and Stone | made but there are hundreds of them. company's operations here will be The Seven mountains seem to be the closed in less than a week unless they favorite hunting grounds, though are able to get coal in the meantime. scores of camps are to be found in last place a person would expect to

dering on Sugar valley and in the Barrens.

As an example of the chance a deer has for its life it is stated on reliable authority that just fifty-seven shots were fired at one buck in the Seven -There are still a number of far- success. The party again surrounded result of the careless handling of loaded guns.

A notice published elsewhere tells of the accidental shooting of Clayton Horner, of Altoona, down near Mifflinburg, which is the only fatal accident so far recorded. But Wednesday -Landlord H. S. Ray has intro- morning Frank and George Wingard, hoff house in the shape of an a la Bellefonte hospital by Dr. Whirl, both ing camp in Paddy mountain. A loaded gun fell down and went off, the ball going through the heel of one of the men, through the calf of the leg Pittsburgh. pany is said to be in a bad way for of the other and through the trousers of another hunter before it lodged in the side of the hunting camp.

Of course with such an army of as soon as he discovered what he had market, skinned and cut up and the the fire for a smoke, young Horner meat taken to the hospital. The doe was an old one and weighed 105 gunshot rang out behind the hunters pounds. Following is a list of the and looking around they saw Horner deer killed so far as we have been able to learn:

The Millheim hunting club three. Hosterman party one. Eisenhuth party three. Pennington club three. Out in the Snow Shoe region the Chambers-Uzzle party has four.

The Redding party two. No definite report has been received from the lower Bald Eagle valley hunters, though it is reported that Orviston hunters have one.

In conclusion it might be added that the killing of all kinds of game is now out of season except deer, bear and rabbits, the season for each of which runs to December 15th, inclusive. So far not one bear has been reported killed in Centre county, though quite a number were seen in the mountains early in the fall before the season came in.

itentiary.

A penal institution is about the The supply at the plants is about ex- the Alleghenies, and they are also hear of an attempted murder but such scattered through the mountains bor- an incident transpired at the western penitentiary at Rockview last Saturday night, though fortunately it did not result fatally.

From all accounts it appears that two sons of Sunny Italy who have been calling that place home for some mountains before it was brought to time, harbored a grudge against each earth on Tuesday morning. The par- other and all unknown to the guards ty that made the kill were hunters in charge one of them was determined from another section of the State. On to get even with the other. Last Sattheir first drive Tuesday morning urday night he in some way managed they chased up a good-sized buck and to secrete a knife about his person thirty shots were fired at it without which he used in carrying out his purpose. Both men slept in the same building and with the cunning of his on exhibition. ty-seven more shots were fired before ber of beds between his own and the mers who 'just naturally have to be the gallant animal was put out of the one in which his victim slept. In the running. With such an amount of dead watches of the night he got out -The ladies of the Presbyterian shooting, and with the high-power ri- of his bed and with the stealth of a church will hold an apron and food fles that are used these days, it is a cat crept along counting the beds unsale in the chapel on Friday, Decem- miracle that more men are not killed til he came to the right one then quiber 12th, beginning at two o'clock p. or seriously wounded, but fortunately etly feeling over the sleeping man unm. A good place to buy aprons for the only accidents so far recorded did til he found his neck slashed him on Christmas presents and food to last not occur on the trail but were the the throat with his sharpened knife. One sharp cry from the victim and the guards and other prisoners were the Italian was quickly overpowered, but not before he gave his man another cut on the body.

Fortunately the cuts inflicted were not as serious as at first feared and, though he suffered the loss of considerable blood, the injured man was soon fixed up and is now doing nicely with every chance of his recovery. Whether any legal action wil be taken against the would-be murderer is not now known, but at best his chances are good for a term of solitary confinement in the old penitentiary at

Young Hunter Killed by Own Gun.

Clayton H. Horner, son of Wilkie hunters out in the woods somebody C. Horner, of Altoona, was killed by a is sure to make a mistake and shoot shot from his own gun while hunting turn them down. The historic counited by one of these mistakes on Tues- rows; in Union county. On Thankswhen the Lewistown bus brought giving day the young man went to to Bellefonte the carcass of a doe Mifflinburg to visit his uncle, John found on the Centre county side of Bottorff and family and to remain the Seven mountains by a game war- | for a portion of the deer hunting seaden. Whoever shot the doe vamoosed son. The hunting party of which he was a member hunted hard Monday done and left the dead animal lie. A morning and at noontime stopped in game warden found it and after dress- an open place to eat their lunch. They ing the carcass sent it to Bellefonte. built a fire at which to warm up and It was delivered to Gettig's meat after eating the men gathered around standing behind the other men. A lying on the ground with a gaping wound in his chest and his still-smoking gun by his side. The young man lapsed into unconsciousness immediately and passed away about 12:30 o'clock. Under the circumstances it is not definitely known just how the lard. accident happened. Deceased was a son of Wilkie C. and Edith Treaster Horner and was born at Colyer, Centre county, on present and from all indcations a March 6th, 1900, hence was in his much larger number will be present twentieth year. The family moved to Altoona some years ago and Clayton was employed as an apprentice in the Juniata shops of the Pennsylvania railroad company. He is survived by his father and two sisters, Claradell and Margaret, and an adopted broththat meeting and it will be well for er, Robert. The remains were taken all ex-service men to be in attendto Altoona on Tuesday where funerance, whether members or not. Solal services were held and burial made diers, sailors and marines, attend and yesterday. take your friends along.

CORN AND POTATO SHOW.

Will be Held Saturday, December 20th, in Court House, Bellefonte.

County farm agent R. H. Olmstead announces that the first annual corn this week. and potato show in Centre county will be held Saturday, December 20th, in the court house at Bellefonte. This show is being put on under the direction of the Centre county Farm Bureau with the intention of making it an annual event each fall.

It is hoped that the farmers of the county will respond by sending exhibits of corn and potatoes in order to make the show a success. Nearly every county in the State has a similar show each year to get together the best exhibits of corn and potatoes in the county. All the corn and potatoes will be judged by competent judges and the best will be sent to the State farm product show at Harrisburg in January. Exhibits should be selected as fol-

lows:

Corn.-10 ears for an exhibit. Yellow Dent, White Cap Yellow Dent, White Dent and Flint. Select corn that is uniform in length, diameter, color and well filled at butts and tips. Potatoes .-- 10 potatoes for an exhibit. Any variety whether known or not. Select potatoes uniform in size, not too deep eyes and free from disease.

All exhibits should be at the Farm Bureau office by 10 a. m., of December 20th, they may be left at the office at any time previous to the show, where they will be cared for and put

On the same day will be held the following meetings at 10 a. m.: Sheep and Wool association.

Guernsey Breeder's association. Farm Loan association.

Farm Bureau executive committee. At 1:30 p. m. the annual Farm Bureau meeting will be held in the court room at Bellefonte. There will be a report of the work for the past year and also a discussion of work for the coming year as well as election of officers and executive committee. Every farmer interested should be present to make the show and meetings a suc-

Attention, Everybody!

You want a post of the American Legion in your town! The boys can't do it all themselves; are you going to help? The start is now; help now. The first of January, 1920, New Year's day, will be the biggest Mummer's day Bellefonte or Centre county has ever witnessed. The boys will be back of it just as they were back of the lines in France. You are asked to block, on west High street, was taken to be in the support with the reserves and give them a boost.

You will be visited by one of the living there. -Mrs. Margaret Fisher Wierback re- knowledges receipts of \$2138.50, and boys within the week, and when they ask for a little money donation don't ty. While in Bellefonte Mrs. Wierback ty from which they come is going to be as proud of them in the future as Robb, of Curtin street. guest of her niece, Mrs. Nelson it has been in the past. Their pride -Mrs. Benjamin Bradley Jr., will leave is your pride, as they belong to you. on Monday next for Buffalo, where she In next week's issue of the Bellefonte papers will be given a detailed her arm, which has been giving her con- and \$130.00 for the election. program of the Mummer's day events. siderable trouble ever since she injured which will include a large grand it in a fall last summer. march and ball in the armory, with a -Philip D. Waddle, of Brownsville, Pa. during the election campaign. list of prizes to be awarded for the was summoned to Bellefonte Saturday, on account of the critical illness of his brothbest costumes and floats. er, W. W. Waddle, who died Monday American Legion Organizes. morning. Mr. Waddle remained here until after the funeral, Wednesday. A special meeting of the Post of -Judge and Mrs. Ellis L. Orvis were the American Legion was held on called to New York Monday by the illness Tuesday evening of this week in the of their daughter, Mrs. Clarence Lamont Bush Arcade hall and at that time Arnold, and her husband, Capt. Arnold. temporary officers were elected as fol-Mrs. Arnold was ill at their apartments, while her husband had been taken to the lows: Post chairman, J. Mac Heinle. hospital. Post vice chairman, Robert T. Wil-

NEWS PURELY PERSONAL.

--Mrs. Charles DeTerri, of Tyrone, was week-end guest of Mrs. Louis Carpeneto. ---Edwin F. Garman is away on a busi-

ness trip to Harrisburg and Philadelphia -Mrs. Robert DeGolyer, of Evanston,

Ill., is visiting here with her mother, Mrs. Louise VanTries Harris.

-Mrs. James Haupt is entertaining her sister, Miss Mary Gardner, of Howard, who is spending a week in Bellefonte.

-Arthur Haupt, who was home last week on account of illness, was able to Miss Verna, an instructor in the schools relatives of Mr. Barnhart. of Palmyra.

-Mrs. William Straub visited for Thanksgiving and the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus Solt, returning to Harrisburg Monday. -The Misses Dorothy Fox and Rose

Carpeneto spent Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Culver, at Moshannon, returning to Bellefonte Sunday.

-Mr. and Mrs. Thomas E. Mayes and their daughter have been visiting with guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Heisler friends in Bellefonte this week, coming over from Johnstown Tuesday.

-Miss Mary M. Blanchard is spending the week in Philadelphia and Wilmington, looking after the Christmas annual sales of the output from The Basket Shop.

-Harold Lichten and Edward Grauer. were Thanksgiving guests of Edward's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Grauer, driving here in Mr. Lichten's car from Philadelphia

-W. Raymond Dale came home from Wernersville Monday, for a visit with Mrs. Dale, expecting to spend a part of the time in Bellefonte and the remainder with his parents at State College.

Altoona yesterday, going over to attend dollars before the primaries, \$475.00 the funeral of Mrs. Miller's nephew, Clay- during his pre-election campaign, ton Horner, the young hunter who was shot at Glen Iron Monday.

-Mr, and Mrs. Samuel H. Gray, of Orviston, and their two children, have been visiting within the past week with Mr. Gray's mother, Mrs. William Gray, of Linn street, having come in for Thanksgiving. -Mrs. Harvey Weaver, who is visiting with her mother, Mrs. George Hockenberry, at State College, came in from her home at New Castle two weeks ago, to visit with the family until after Christmas. -Miss Mary H. Linn, chairman of the Armenian Relief association of Centre county, spent several days the early part

of the week in Pittsburgh, in the interest of this work, going out for a State meeting.

-Mrs. J. F. Miller and her sister, Miss Caroline McCloskey, both of Potters Mills. spent Thanksgiving week in Bellefonte as guests of their cousin, Mrs. Margaret Hutchinson, at her home on Howard street.

-Mrs. Mary Kane, who has been ill for ome time in her rooms in the McClain money of any of the candidates, his Altoona Saturday, where she will be cared his election expenses \$336,00. for by her daughters, both of whom are

turned to Pittsburgh Tuesday, after a two an unexpended balance of not quite

-John Toner Harris, of Harrisburg, visited here Wednesday with his brother, Hard P. Harris

-Mrs. John Kanarr, of Centre Hall, is spending a few days in Bellefonte as a guest of Mrs. Eben Bower.

-Miss Lettie Hartman has been entertaining Mrs. Henry Meyers, of Tiffin, Ohio, at her home on Thomas street, this week.

-Frank Tubridy, of Moshannon, was a Bellefonte visitor Tuesday, coming in to look after some business and for a short visit with his daughter.

-Mrs. James K. Barnhart left a week return to his work in Lock Haven Sunday. ter, Miss Martha, an instructor in the -Among Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Ardery's schools of that place. On her way home Thanksgiving guests, was their daughter, she expects to stop for several days with

-Arthur C. Brown, of New York city. spent the latter part of last week on a business trip in Bellefonte. Arthur has grown so robust and prosperous that under ordinary circumstances he might be taken for one of those New York aldermen we read so much about at times.

-Austin Bartley, of Altoona, who with his daughter visited here the after part of last week with Mr. Bartley's mother, were during their stay; Mrs. Bartley having made her home with her daughter, Mrs. Heisler, for a number of years.

What it Costs to Get an Office.

The high cost of living these days evidently does not apply to office getting, as a glance at the expenses of the candidates elected to office in Centre county at the recent election will show that in general their expenses were considerably below what it usually cost to be elected in Centre county.

Capt. E. R. Taylor, who was defeat--Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Miller were in ed for Sheriff, spent less than fifty \$300 of which amount went to the Democratic county committee, and acknowledges \$28 as due and unpaid. Harry Dukeman spent \$80.50 before the primaries and \$295.61 in the election campaign.

William H. Brown spent \$208.75 in the primary fight and \$229.00 in the late campaign.

Harry Austin spent less than fifty dollars before the primaries and \$143,-00 for the election.

James C. Furst spent less than fifty dollars before the primaries and \$124.00 in the election campaign.

Roy Wilkinson's primary expenses were \$57.54 and election expenses \$295.61.

Frank Sasserman spent less than fifty dollars before the primaries, \$320.45 in the election campaign with \$45.75 of bills unpaid.

L. Frank Mayes spent the most primary expenses being \$416.99 and James C. Furst, treasurer of the

Republican county committee, acone hundred dollars.

found an advertisement of the Bell Telephone company of Pa., announcing return to the old rates which prevailed before the federal government granted the company an increase to December 1st, 1919. This is to conform to the recent decision of the Public Service Commission of Pennsylvania.

"Watchman." Last week Elizabeth Larimer lost her pet kitten "Mickey," and this paper published a small local regarding the loss. Hardly had the paper been off the press until cats of all kinds were being reported to the young girl. In fact she could have had the pick of quite a number but spurned them all until finally Carl Gray found her own real "Mickey" out at Coleville and returned it to her.

ed the people of Bellefonte and vicinity to attend the Scenic every evening in the week and watch the motion pictures as they pass upon the screen. While the big features may excel in interest the pictures are all good these days and worth going to see. There is no better place to spend an evening than at a moving picture has four. show; and there is no better moving picture show in this section than the Scenic,

-Dr. Hugh L. Fry, a former Pine Grove Mills boy, who is in government service down in Dixie land, with headquarters at Jackson, Miss., spent his vacation in Louisiana and attended the A. V. M. A. meeting held last week in that State. Dr. Fry is a graduate of the University of Pennsylvania veterinary school, class of 1909, and is making good. He has had several salary advances since his locating in the South, a fact his friends will all be glad to know. He is a son of Capt. W. H. Fry, of Pine Grove Mills, and as an old Bellefonter once remarked when he wanted to get off that old saw about "chip of the old block" the "chips don't fall far from the tree."

-Representatives of the public schools and women's clubs of six counties attended a conference in the interest of thrift held in Altoona on Saturday. The principal speaker was W. Harrison Walker Esq., chairman of Group 3, war savings division of the Third Federal district. Those who day, two on Tuesday and two on Wedattended the conference from Centre nesday, and that is their limit. county in addition to Mr. Walker were Mrs. Harry Keller, Mrs. John I. Olewine, Mrs. R. S. Brouse, Miss Isabelle Hill, Eugene H. Weik and Miss Mary Johnson, of Bellefonte; Mrs. Tary A. Gravatt, Mrs. R. L. Sackett, Mrs. George F. Zook, Mrs. T. I. Mairs, Mrs. H. Freeman Stecker, and W. O. Heckman, of State College; F. Milford Pletcher, of Howard, and Miss M. Edythe Dunlap, of Clarence.

Up in the Old Tussey section the Rossman-Sunday party has three nice bucks

The Warriorsmark party three. The Pine Grove club four. The Pershing squad two. The Fortney-Krebs party a six-A general invitation is extend- pronged buck weighing 182 pounds. The Fleetfoot crowd one. The Gearhart party one. The Indiana crowd one. William Goodwin one. The Kline-Horner party one. The Fisher party two. Down in the lower end of the valley the Woodward Rod and Gun club

The Greenbriar party one. Rote-Wingard party two. Snyder party three. Coburn party three. Millersburg party two. Paddy Mountain party one. Bellefonte party hunting at Colyer two, one shot by Harry Weaver on

Monday. A party hunting in Rag valley back

of Hecla got one, shot on Monday. A party of Philipsburg hunters out on the Alleghenies got two on Mon-

day, an eight-pronged and a fourpronged buck. Another party of Philipsburgers

spent a portion of last week hunting small game near Snow Shoe and shot a wild turkey which they claim weighed thirty pounds. They also got nineteen rabbits. The Pleasant Gap hunting club lo-

cated near Colyer has three. The Bradfords, of Centre Hall, also located near Colyer, have three. The Colyer party have five. The State College hunters two. A party of day hunters from Potters Mills and vicinity, have their limit, six deer. They got two on Mon-The Yeagertown club three. The Decker party two. The McKees Rocks crowd one. The Huntingdon club one. The Koch party one. The Foster party one. The Riley party one. The Sweetwoods one. The Keller party one. The Fillmore crowd four.

The Bucktails, of Danville, one.

Students Win Big Money.

The State College football team not only made a whirlwind finish by defeating Pitt on Thanksgiving by the score of 20 to 0, but according to all reports the students and State team backers also made a nice sum of money by betting on their team to win. It is stated on pretty reliable authority that they cleared up in the neighborhood of fifteen thousand dollars. Ever since the Pitt game sporting writers have been literally falling over themselves in splurging on the State team. Higgins is universally named as an All-American star while Robb, Conover and Way are given places on second and third and on All-Eastern teams.

Real Estate Deals in Pennsvalley.

The Robert Smith farm at Penn Hall was recently sold at public sale to Lloyd Bartges, of near Coburn, for \$13,500. Mr. Smith bought the place twenty years ago for \$6,500.

Adam F. Heckman, of Centre Hall, bought the Margaret Brown property in State College for \$5,900, while his son, Prof. W. O. Heckman, bought one of the Foster properties at the College for \$4,200.

The Mrs. Mary A. Ross farm near Farmer's Mills was sold last week to the First cavalry. Wilbur F. Leitzel, made public.

--Edmund Blanchard left Bellefonte on Sunday evening on what may prove to be a venture that will make Texas his future home. He has been offered an opportunity to go into business with a brother-in-There were nearly fifty members law and if it proves as he hopes he will from being drawn into the machine.

-Mrs. Elizabeth B. Callaway left Wedat a regular meeting to be held in the nesday for Jersey Shore, where she will G. A. R. rooms on Monday, December be until after the funeral of her aunt, Mrs. 8th, at 8 o'clock p. m. It is the deter-John Tomb. From there Mrs. Bush and mination to make our local post one Mrs. Callaway will go east to make arof some influence and good. Importrangements for spending the winter at ant business will be transacted at Atlantic City.

-Mrs. William J. Daley and her daughter Virginia returned to their home in Burlington, N. J., Saturday, after a two week's visit with Mr. Daley's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Daley. Mr. Daley had accompanied them to Bellefonte, remaining here for a week.

-Mrs. Evelyn Rogers is entertaining The barn at the J. D. Miller home her sister, Mrs. Samuel Huston, of Clearat Hublersburg was burned to the field. Mrs. Rogers spent the month of ground with all its contents on Mon-October and a part of November with her day afternoon, as well as the threshsister in Clearfield, Mrs. Huston accompanying her upon her return to Bellefonte ing outfit of Jonas Stover. Four loads several weeks ago. of wheat had been stored in the barn

and the men were engaged in thresh- in Bellefonte for several days the after -Mrs. Carl Beck, of Wilkinsburg, was ing it when the fire occurred. Just part of last week, coming in for the meetwhat caused the fire is not known. It ing of the State College Alumnae held at was about 2:30 o'clock when flames Mrs. Olewine's, Friday afternoon. While were seen issuing from the blower here Mrs. Beck was a house guest of Mrs. pipe of the threshing machine and the Olewine and Miss Adaline Olewine.

-After spending two weeks or more in mow started a conflagration which Bellefonte, at the home of Dr. and Mrs. could not be stopped until the barn M. A. Kirk, their son, Norman Kirk, wife and its contents were consumed. The and little son, Norman Jr., left on the 9:17 a. m. train on Tuesday for their new location in Sylvania, Ga., where Mr. Kirk will continue his work of making soil surveys for the U.S. government.

-John B. Meek, of Waddle, who recent- glass. ly had sale of his farm stock, is closing up all his business here in anticipation of leaving at once for Detroit, Mich., where he will enter an automobile manufactory.

Mr. Meek will be accompanied by his nephew, Creighton Way, Mrs, Meek and the children remaining on the farm until spring.

--Miss Harriet Wilson, of Stormstown, was in Bellefonte Tuesday, being here to to leave it at this office. attend the meeting of the D. A. R., held at the home of Mrs. Ives Harvey. From Bellefonte Miss Wilson went to Pittsburgh, as a delegate to the missionary Elmer Hettinger, of near Centre Hill, of State College, has been appointed information of the Wilson family, needed the purchase price not having been major and assigned to duty as divis- in writing the history, which has utilized her leisure time for the past year.

eorge M. Harter spent \$82.00 be fore the primaries and \$317.10 for the election.

George H. Yarnell spent less than will consult a bone specialist regarding fifty dollars in his primary compaign John J. Bower spent less than fifty

dollars for the primaries and \$155.00

S. D. Gettig, treasurer of the Democratic county committee, acknowledges receipts of \$1960.00, and expenditures of \$1769.90, with a few bills yet outstanding.

Arm Torn Off in Corn Shredder.

Orin Johnson, a well known farmer near Struble station had his left arm badly mangled in a corn shredder about eleven o'clock yesterday morning when he slipped and was caught in the shredder. One of the men near--by who saw the accident grabbed hold of Mr. Johnson and held him As it was his arm was so badly mangled that it had to be amputated between the elbow and shoulder. He was rushed to the Glenn sanitorium, at State College, where everything possible is being done for him. Mr. Johnson is about 35 years old and has a wife and four children. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. D. I. Johnson.

Farmers Institutes for Centre Co.

Farmers' institutes this year will be confined to one day's session at each locality and those for Centre county have been announced as follows:

Millheim, December 29th. Centre Hall, December 30th. Unionville, December 31st. Hublersburg, January 1st.

Christmas Sale.

The Basket Shop will hold its annual sale at the State-Centre office, High street, December 8th to 24th.

There will be displayed in addition to the baskets and children's dresses, unusual Christmas cards and gifts. including: Twine holders, Sheffield plate handles, hearth brooms, Dennison house linens and lustre glass, bubble books, Horsman dolls dressed by The Basket Shop, and a new assortment of reed-covered irridescent 48-1t

Wrist Watch Lost .- Sunday evening Katie Sapula lost a gold wrist watch on the streets of Bellefonte. She thinks it was somewhere between the High street bridge and the hospital. As the watch was a present she prized it very highly and would be indeed grateful if the finder were

Sale Register.

THURSDAY, DEC. 18.—On the Meek farm 2½ miles northwest of Waddle, L. L. Meek will sell 2 horses, 4 cows, 2 heif-ers, 2 brood sows, 11 pigs, chickens and a full line of farming implements. Sale at 12:30 o'clock. L. Frank Mayes, auc-tioneer.

burning straw falling into the straw loss is placed at \$5,000. Mr. Miller carried only \$300 insurance on his

barn and \$500 on his Studebaker car, which was burned. Mr. Stover carried no insurance on his thresher which was valued at \$1,200.

Post secretary, J. Fred Noll.

Post treasurer, Arthur Lamb.

J. D. Miller Barn Burned.

New National Guard Officers.

Centre county will be well represented in the list of officers of the new National Guard of Pennsylvania which Adjutant General Beary hopes

to have completely organized in the near future. H. Laird Curtin, of Curtin, has been appointed a major in the First cavalry, and W. Frederick Reynolds Jr., of Bellefonte, a captain in

ion machine gun officer.