

NEWS ABOUT TOWN AND COUNTY.

The pupils of Mrs. J. Carpenter Hess will give a piano recital in the Reformed church chapel, Monday evening, June 12th, at 8 o'clock.

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The ladies' bible class of the Lutheran church will hold a strawberry and ice cream social in front of the church on the evening of the 10th of June.

The hard rains last week put down considerable grain throughout the county, but most of it came up again, so that no particular damage will result.

Clarence C. Robinson, who has been director of music at The Pennsylvania State College for some years past, has resigned to become director of the school of music at the Ohio University, Athens, Ohio, effective June first.

Capt. W. Frederick Reynolds has purchased the Edmund Blanchard property on east Linn street and, with his wife, will move there just as soon as Mr. and Mrs. George A. Beezer vacate the property by moving into their new home on Curtin street.

The regular meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary of the Y. M. C. A. will be held in the community room at the Y. this (Friday) evening at 7:30 o'clock. Matters of importance will be discussed, including a tentative program of summer events.

Richard W. Davis, father of Wynn Davis, died at the home of a son in Pittsburgh, on Tuesday, and his body was taken to Blossburg, Pa., where burial was made yesterday. Mr. Davis was the father-in-law of Mrs. Wynn Davis, who will be remembered as Miss Ethel Gettig, of Bellefonte, before her marriage.

The Decker Bros., of Spring Mills, have purchased the Big Spring garage on South Water street, Bellefonte, from Harry Yearick and are now in charge of same. The new proprietors have the agency for the Chevrolet car and expect to push their sales in this section of the county as well as do a general garage business.

James R. Hughes, Headmaster of the Bellefonte Academy, who has been ill at his home on Academy Hill since Sunday, with an attack of neuritis, is better, but in such a condition that his physicians are urging treatment at a sanatorium, hoping through this for a quicker recovery. Mr. Hughes was taken suddenly ill while at dinner Sunday.

A special musical recital will be given in St. John's Lutheran church Sunday evening, beginning at 7:30. The program will consist of vocal solos by Miss Mildred Locke, Mrs. J. A. Fitzpatrick, Miss Eva Grove, and Mr. Fitzpatrick; anthems by the choir and organ numbers by Mr. George A. Johnston. The public is invited to attend this musicale.

The rumor in circulation last week that a certain man found a sum of money hidden in one of the old buildings at the fair grounds would have been interesting, if true. Various estimates placed the amount at from a few thousand up to a quarter million dollars. But like many rumors it was groundless, as the man in question emphatically denies having found any money at all.

The American Lime and Stone company gave a dinner at the Bush house on Tuesday evening, the forty guests including the officials, superintendents, foremen and members of the new company. Hon. A. G. Morris presided and made the principal toast of the evening. Other brief talks were made by Charles Warner, the new president of the company, Irving Warner and J. King McLanahan Jr.

The home of George Robb, just above Coleville, was entirely destroyed by fire about 2:30 o'clock last Saturday morning. The fire started in the lower part of the house and the flames spread so rapidly that the occupants, Mr. Robb, his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. McClellan, had barely time to get out and no opportunity to save much of anything. The Bellefonte firemen responded but the home was burned down when they arrived on the scene.

At the last meeting of the Bellefonte school board all the old teachers were elected for the ensuing year with the exception of Mr. Russell Hunter and Miss Winifred Hutchinson, both of whom have accepted positions elsewhere and were not candidates for re-election. Miss Hutchinson, it is understood, will go to Jenkintown. The board also elected Ellis Keller as an additional teacher in the High school. This leaves two vacancies to fill before the opening of school in September.

A meeting of the Bellefonte music study club will be held this (Friday) evening, at 8 o'clock, in the parish house of the Episcopal church. The subject for the evening will be "American Composers." All members, both active and associate, are earnestly requested to attend, as important business is to be transacted and this will be the last meeting before the opening of the club year in October. A musical program of interest has been provided for the evening. All those interested in this organization are cordially invited to be present.

MANY PRIZES AWARDED.

Bellefonte Public Schools Close Very Successful Year.

With the granting of diplomas to fifty-five young men and women and the awarding of numerous prizes the 1921-'22 school year in Bellefonte came to an official close on Wednesday night. The exercises incident to commencement week began with the baccalaureate sermon in the Presbyterian church on Sunday evening. Most of the churches of the town had no evening services, the ministers assisting in the services at the Presbyterian church. The Academy students also attended in a body so that the one sermon, preached by the pastor, Rev. David R. Evans, was applicable as well to the Academy students as to the members of the High school graduating class.

The next event was the Junior declamatory contest on Monday evening, held in the High school auditorium. The complete program of those taking part and their subjects was printed in the "Watchman" last week. The prize winners were George Rothrock and Julia Bullock, with honorable mention for Maynard Sparks and Twilla Hoy.

On Tuesday morning the children of the Bishop street building gave as their closing entertainment the musical phantasy, "The Enchanted Garden," and every one taking part acquitted themselves most creditably. On Tuesday evening the High school glee club presented "When Reuben Comes to Town" in Garman's opera house. Owing to several other important gatherings only a fair-sized audience was present to witness the play but those who did attend enjoyed it very much.

On Wednesday morning the pupils in the grades at the High school building gave their closing entertainment, "A Trip to Toyland," in the High school auditorium. Many parents and friends were present and were much gratified at the way each child took his or her part.

The final exercises of the week were held on Wednesday evening, when Dr. Emory Hunt, president of Bucknell University, delivered the commencement address to the class of fifty-five graduates. The High school orchestra furnished the music and Dr. Melvin J. Locke, president of the Bellefonte school board, presented the diplomas and awarded the prizes, as follows:

General Excellence prize, \$10, given by Col. W. F. Reynolds—First, Marjory Hill; second, Sara Ray. Honorable mention, Lois Foreman and Joseph Parrish.

Biographical Essay prize, \$10, given by Mrs. M. E. Brouse—Mark Hunter.

Junior Declamatory prizes, \$7.50 each, given by Col. W. F. Reynolds—George Rothrock and Julia Bullock, with honorable mention for Maynard Sparks and Twilla Hoy.

General Courtesy prize, \$5, given by George R. Meek—Charles Keller, with honorable mention of Marjory Hill.

Book-keeping prize, \$5, given by George R. Meek—Sara Haag, with honorable mention for Nelma Cheavestine.

Dietetics prize, \$5, given by Dr. John M. Keckhline—Evelyn McClellan.

Business Efficiency prize, \$10, given by Miss Mira Humes—Frederick Saylor; honorable mention, Charles Keller.

Household Arts prizes, \$5 and \$2.50 respectively, given by Mrs. John S. Walker—Evelyn Showers and Sara Holt.

Dramatic Arts prize, \$10, donated from proceeds of musical and dramatic productions—Divided between Joseph Parrish and Joseph Katz; honorable mention, Linn Bodle and Otto Smith.

Manual Training, \$5, given by Charles F. Cook—Thurston Smith.

Woodwork prize, \$10, given by Harry Keller—Harold Wion; honorable mention, John Fishburn.

Household Arts, \$5, given by Mrs. M. E. Brouse—Dorothy Mallory.

Second year Latin, \$5, given by Miss Mira Humes—Stella Cohen.

Scientific, \$10, given by Mr. Ogden Mallin—Edmund Miller.

Musical, \$10, given by Mr. Walter Cohen—Divided between John Dubbs and Ruth Poorman.

Mathematics, \$10, given by Mr. Walter Cohen—J. Harry Garbrick; honorable mention, Linn Bodle.

Temperance, \$5 each, given by W. C. T. U.—Clyde V. Smith and Betty Zerby.

History, \$5, given by D. A. R.—George Rothrock.

Modern History, \$5 each, given by Mr. A. C. Mingle—Margery Way and Philip Ray.

able mention, Sara Spicer; neither absent nor tardy, Blanche Grove, Floyd Ammerman, Frederick Shope, Eleanor Billett, Emily Eckel, Ethel Hoover, Eloise Zimmerman.

A prize of \$1.00 given by Mrs. Sara McGarvey to the pupil in the 6th grade making the greatest improvement in writing, Jack Miller.

7th Grade—General excellence, Alan Katz; excellence in arithmetic, Leslie Shultz; neither absent nor tardy, Leslie Shultz; special mention in woodwork, Maurice Larimer.

8th Grade—General excellence, Ruth Miller; excellence in arithmetic, Alice Hoover; neither absent nor tardy, Paul Miller, Jack Haupt, Alice Hoover, Gertrude Osman, LaRue Alkey, Ruth Glenn, Grace Carson, Margaret Davis.

A prize of \$1.00 to the boy in 8th grade making the most progress in writing, Fred Fisher.

A prize of \$1.00 to the girl in 8th grade making the most progress in writing, Virginia Hughes.

The following grade honors were announced for the Allegheny street building:

1st Grade—General excellence, Frank Ralph Schlow; excellence in arithmetic, Roy Wilkinson Jr.; neither absent nor tardy, Roy Wilkinson Jr.; making two grades in one year, Frank Ralph Schlow.

2nd Grade—General excellence, Isabel Jodon, Betty Casbeer; excellence in arithmetic, Lee Lutz; neither absent nor tardy, Lee Lutz, Elwood Derr, Robert Kern, Claire Rhoads.

3rd Grade—General excellence, William Spicer; excellence in arithmetic, William Spicer, Erna Sloop; neither absent nor tardy, Helen Auman, Kathryn Coder.

4th Grade—General excellence, Mary Curtin, Jean Herron; honorable mention, B. Sloop, A. Dale; excellence in arithmetic, Edward Ray; neither absent nor tardy, Caroline Curtin, Margaret Hassinger, Dorothy Runkle, Emily Wilkinson, Deane Gettig, Nylo Hazel, Melvin Dry.

5th Grade—General excellence, Jane Orvis Daggett; excellence in arithmetic, John William Smith; neither absent nor tardy, Jane Kera, Hilda Reed, Walter Bathurst, Jacob Bortor, John Wm. Smith, Frank Wetzel.

6th Grade—General excellence, Rebecca Dorworth; Louise Meyer; excellence in arithmetic, Rebecca Dorworth, Henrietta Hunter; neither absent nor tardy, Harry Kern, Anna Wetzel, Jane Thompson.

7th Grade—General excellence, Pearl Shope, Frederick Smith, Evan Blanchard, Pearl Shope, Betty Musser, Philip Wion; neither absent nor tardy, Elizabeth Bancy, Bernette Smith, Catherine Farley, Francis Auman, Herbert Auman, Evan Blanchard, Victor Emel, Daniel Hines, Philip Wion.

8th Grade—General excellence, Charles Mensch, Mary Woodring; excellence in arithmetic, Mary Robb; neither absent nor tardy, Catherine Meyer, Ruth Wetzel, Grace Vonada, Carl Dubbs, Paul Gordon, Doyle Hazel, Edward Kern, Blair Young, George Inmull.

A Musical Service.

At St. John's Lutheran church, Sunday evening, June 11th, at 7:30 o'clock the following special musical program will be rendered:

- 1. Organ, "Serenata" - Mr. Johnston Solo, "God Be Merciful to Me" Miss Mildred Locke
- 2. Solo, "La Zingana" Mr. Johnston
- 3. Anthem, "Send Out Thy Light."
- 4. Organ, "Barchetta"
- 5. Solo, "To a Wild Rose" Mr. Johnston
- 6. Solo, "Hold Thou My Hand," Mr. Fitzpatrick

7. Offertory

8. Organ, "Approach of the Persians" (Descriptive) Composed and played by Mr. Johnston.

9. Anthem, "Light of the World."

10. Organ, "Marche Militaire," Mr. Johnston

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Elks Will Observe Flag Day.

In accordance with their annual custom the Bellefonte Lodge of Elks will observe Flag day with appropriate ceremonies. The services will be held in the parlors of the Elks' club on High street on the evening of June 14th, at 8 o'clock. An interesting program consisting of music, recitations, a special service by the lodge and a patriotic address has been arranged by the committee. The public is cordially invited to be present on this occasion, set apart for the purpose of commemorating the birth of the American flag. The Elks especially request every one to display the flag on June 14th and to that extent participate in the observance of this patriotic day.

The Lid is Off.

But don't jump to the conclusion that it is the prohibition lid, because it isn't. The above caption has reference to the Sunday school baseball league, of Bellefonte, the first game of the season being played yesterday afternoon between the Methodist and Presbyterian teams. The "Watchman" went to press too early to give the result, but it was an interesting beginning of the season's sport.

Four teams at present constitute the league, namely, the Methodist, Reformed, Lutheran and Presbyterian Sunday schools. According to the schedule arranged the games will be played on Hughes field on Tuesday and Thursday evenings at six o'clock. The promoters promise some very interesting sport. No admission will be charged to these games and everybody is urged to attend and root for their favorite team.

The new porch at the Elks home is beginning to assume shape although it will be several weeks yet before it is completed and the pavement at that point cleared of traffic.

MERGER OF LIME INTERESTS.

American Lime & Stone Co. and Charles Warner Co. Pool Interests to Increase Output.

During the past week announcement was made of the merger of the American Lime and Stone company of Bellefonte, with the Charles Warner company, of Philadelphia and Wilmington, Del., one of the largest lime producers of the east. The exact status of the affiliation is given in the following statement made by officials of the American Lime and Stone company in this place:

The rapid enlargement of the plants of the American Lime and Stone company during the past year or two by the erection of the big plant at Bellefonte and improvements at some of the other plants, especially at Union Furnace, has made it desirable for the company to arrange for permanent financing of part of the outlay.

Messrs. Morris and McLanahan have completed negotiations with a banking syndicate in Philadelphia, composed of the prominent bond houses of Parsley Brothers & Co., West & Co., and Graham, Parsons & Co., to underwrite a bond issue of \$1,100,000 first mortgage 7% bonds. These bonds are now being offered for sale.

In connection with this step the Morris and McLanahan interests evolved a plan of merging the management of the American company with one of the large and progressive companies in eastern Pennsylvania, the Charles Warner company, extensive manufacturers of magnesium lime products in that district. This merger of management of the two companies produces a very strong affiliation which is a considerable advantage for all interests, as the Warner company's extensive sales organization in Philadelphia and New York will assist in distribution of the increased production of the Bellefonte plants and aid in developing the general business of the American company throughout the central and western markets.

To carry through these steps Mr. A. G. Morris has been elected chairman of the board of directors of the enlarged American company, and Charles Warner, president of the Charles Warner company, has been elected president of the American company.

The board of directors of the American company has been enlarged to eleven in number, including A. G. Morris, J. King McLanahan Jr., C. A. Morris, E. G. Parsley, of Parsley Bros. & Co., G. D. Montgomery, of West & Co., Mr. Steel, of Graham, Parsons & Co., Charles Warner, Alfred D. Warner Jr., Irving Warner, Fred A. Daboll and C. C. Bye, of the Charles Warner company.

The detailed management responsibility in the general administration of the American company is thrown upon the Warner interests by the special desire of Mr. A. G. Morris and Mr. J. King McLanahan Jr., who wish to be relieved of the detailed responsibilities of the administration. But the policies of the company will be continued through cooperation of the old and new officials in advancing the general interests of the American company.

Mr. J. King McLanahan Jr., of Hollidaysburg, one of the large stockholders of the American company, will serve as vice president; Mr. Irving Warner has been selected as general manager of the company and will establish headquarters in Bellefonte; and Alfred D. Warner Jr. has been elected vice president and treasurer of the company.

Mr. Charles Morris will continue as general superintendent of the Bellefonte group of plants, under the present plans.

It is believed that these steps will materially assist in the development of the American company, one of the largest operations of its kind in this section of the country, since it will add to the present management additional managerial and financial force which should strengthen and more rapidly promote the valuable opportunities the company has for extending its profitable operation. The new plant at Bellefonte will now be rushed to completion within the next two or three months so as to be in position to add to the earnings of the company with the fall expansion in business demand.

Bellefonte School Grounds Open June 13th, 1922.

Encouraging progress has been made on the canvass for funds for the public playgrounds for the children of Bellefonte and as soon as the school term closes this week work will be started on the erection of the playgrounds equipment. Those in charge of the work wish to secure the service of a number of ladies for volunteer supervision of the play activities of the children. Mr. Aplin, the Y. M. C. A. secretary, has kindly consented to give his services as a supervisor of the boys' section of the playground each day during the season, without any cost to the playground association.

There will be an opportunity given the people of the town to help support the work by paying a dollar for membership in the association and thus help in the good cause. As soon as the membership list has been taken care of there will be a meeting called and officers elected. Every member will be asked thus to have an active part in the work. In the next week's issue of the press there will be a list of contributors published.

NEWS PURELY PERSONAL.

Mrs. Frank Crawford departed Tuesday for Tulsa, Oklahoma, to spend the remainder of June and a part of July with her daughter, Mrs. Horace Hartranft.

Mrs. Josiah Collins, of Philadelphia, was an over Sunday guest of the Misses Anne and Caroline Valentine, at their home, Burnham Place, just south of town.

Mrs. C. D. Casebeer and her daughter Betty will leave this week for their summer visit with Mrs. Casebeer's mother, at Somerset, expecting to be gone for a month.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Decker have returned to Bellefonte and at present are guests of their daughter, Mrs. John Smith and Mr. Smith, at their apartments in the Kelley flats.

Having spent the winter at St. Petersburg, Florida, as has been her custom for years, Miss Mary Devling, formerly of Bellefonte, has returned to her summer home at St. Benedict, Pa.

Mrs. W. C. Coxy went to York Tuesday, to see her new grand-daughter, Audrey Anne Tarbert, who is now only four days old. Audrey Anne is Mr. and Mrs. Howard Tarbert's only child.

Rev. and Mrs. E. E. McKelvey are in Williamsport today attending the graduation exercises of the Williamsport High school, where their son John will graduate as first honor student.

Mrs. C. T. Hennigh, of Lancaster, and Mrs. H. W. Tate, of Philadelphia, drove to Bellefonte in Mrs. Hennigh's car, the afternoon of last week and were guests at the Brookerhoff house for several days, while visiting with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Moore have planned to drive here from North Tonawanda, N. Y., the latter part of the month, for a ten day's stay in Bellefonte and at the Nittany Country club. Mr. and Mrs. Moore lived at the Bush house during the time Mr. Moore was superintendent of the iron furnaces.

Edward Overton came in from Wilkingsburg this week to look after his property here and to visit for several days with members of his family and friends. Edward, for many years was one of the trusted retainers of the Bush house and is now janitor of a large apartment house in Wilkingsburg.

Rev. Malcolm DePul Maynard, rector of St. John's Episcopal church of Bellefonte, Miss Margaret H. Cook, Mrs. Julia E. Boney, Mrs. Ella M. Bullock and Miss Louise Hoffer attended a meeting of the Woman's Auxiliaries of the Altoona Archdiocese of the Episcopal church held at Phillipsburg last Thursday.

Mrs. L. T. Munson left Monday afternoon with her son John Gephart Munson, for Rogers, Mich., hoping to recover her health by this change. Mr. Munson had been east on a business trip and stopped over in Bellefonte to see his mother, persuading her in the meantime to accompany him west to spend the summer.

Miss Cella Haupt returned last week from a two week's visit in Curwensville, and this week she and her mother, Mrs. Henry Haupt, had with them Mrs. Haupt's grand-son, Richard Fox, son of LeRoy Fox, of Lock Haven. The child visited in Bellefonte with his grandmother while his father was on a business trip to Johnstown.

Mr. and Mrs. George Denthorpe, who have been visiting here with Mrs. Denthorpe's uncle, Charles M. McCurdy and the family, on Linn street, motored in from Pittsburgh to spend Mr. Denthorpe's vacation at his former home in Huntingdon, with Mrs. Denthorpe's relatives in Bellefonte, and attending the commencement exercises at Penn State.

Philip Barnhart, who is home from Pittsfield for the Penn State commencement, was a motor guest on the drive from Massachusetts, of Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Welsgarber and their son. Philip will spend his vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James K. Barnhart, and at State College, while the remainder of the party, after a short stay in Bellefonte, went on to DuBois, their destination.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Keller arrived in Bellefonte Sunday from Madison, where Mr. Keller had been an instructor in the school of agriculture in the University of Wisconsin. Having resigned the position to go to New Jersey, Mr. Keller will visit here during his three week's vacation, then leave for his new work. Mrs. Keller expects to stay with her mother, Mrs. G. Ross Parker, until fall.

Miss Margaret Forster of Dillsburg, Pa., and Miss Mazie Forster, of Aaronsburg, were motor guests of Mr. and Mrs. Stover on a drive to Bellefonte Sunday evening to meet John Forster, on his return from his week's run as a postal clerk on the P. R. R. Miss Margaret Forster has been in Aaronsburg with her cousin seven weeks and expects to continue her visit until the middle of July.

Mrs. William Dawson, accompanied by Miss Lucy Miller, went to Philadelphia a week ago, expecting to be there with her daughter, Mrs. Thomas Moore, for an indefinite time. Later in the season Mrs. Dawson will go to Angles, N. J., for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Griffith, who recently went there from Bellefonte, to make their home. Miss Miller will spend two weeks in Philadelphia before returning home.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Fay, of Altoona, and their daughter, Patty Lane Fay Jr., left Saturday last week for the Pacific coast, hoping to improve Mrs. Fay's health by spending several months in the California climate. Mrs. Fay and her daughter had been in Bellefonte with the child's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Lane, before leaving for their trip west. On Saturday Mr. Fay retired permanently from service in the motive power department of the Pennsylvania Railroad, where he had served thirty-eight years.

Rev. and Mrs. E. E. McKelvey had with them over the week-end and Sunday their son Blake, who has just completed his Freshman year at Syracuse University. The young man left here on Tuesday morning for Bradford county, where he has secured employment during his vacation. Miss Helen McKelvey, who has just completed her Sophomore year in the fine arts college at Syracuse University, will spend the summer with her parents in Bellefonte. She will go as a delegate to the Y. W. C. A. conference of the colleges to be held at Silver Bay, N. Y., the latter part of June, and will come to Bellefonte early in July. Miss McKelvey is majoring in piano study and making a fine record in her class. She has had considerable experience in teaching and will give lessons on pipe organ or piano to any desiring same during the summer months.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Murray Andrews are again in Bellefonte, having recently returned from Philadelphia, where they had been for several weeks.

Mrs. Charles F. Beatty and her children are visiting at Mrs. Beatty's former home in Pittsburgh, expecting to go from there to Cleveland before returning home.

Dr. and Mrs. J. L. Selbert and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mensch and their two sons are planning a trip to the Pacific coast; both parties expect to leave the latter part of the month.

Mrs. George Bliss, of Syracuse, N. Y., who as Mrs. Leggett was a one time superintendent of the Bellefonte hospital, is expected in Bellefonte next week for a short visit with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. William B. Wallis are expected here tomorrow, coming in from Pittsburgh to attend the commencement at State College, and for a short visit with Mrs. Wallis' mother, Mrs. J. Will Conley.

Mrs. N. F. Wagner, of Watsonstown, has been visiting here with her father, W. R. Brachbill, this week, and according to present plans Mr. Wagner will motor over tomorrow, expecting to take her home Sunday.

Mrs. Wells L. Daggett went to Elmira the early part of the week and when returning home will be accompanied by her son Boynton, who has spent the late winter there with his aunt, Miss Helen Boynton.

Ruben M. Glenn and his daughter, Miss Edna, arrived in Centre county Monday from Tulsa, Okla., having come east for commencement. Mr. Glenn's elder son, Charles, being a member of the class of '22, Penn State.

Harry Thomas, of Hanover, a Senior at Penn State, attended the High school commencement here, being a guest while in Bellefonte of his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Troupe. His cousin, Miss Evaline Troupe, is a member of the class of 1922.

Mr. and Mrs. Elliott Vandevanter, of San Antonio, Texas, and their daughter, have been visiting in Bellefonte during the past week, guests at the home of Miss Alice Wilson. Mr. Vandevanter spent all his boyhood life here with his grandmother, Mrs. George Elliott, Miss Wilson's elder sister.

Mr. and Mrs. William Allison Jr., of New York city, and their small daughter, have been guests for a part of the week of Mr. Allison's uncle, Archibald Allison, and his daughter, Miss Katherine. Mr. and Mrs. Allison are in Centre county visiting with Mr. Allison's father, Hon. William M. Allison, of Spring Mills, who has been an invalid for several years.

Centre County Bank Depositors Take Action.

Several hundred depositors of the Centre County Bank, which closed its doors on May 13th, met in the court house on Tuesday evening to discuss ways and means of looking after their own interests. Robert F. Hunter was chairman of the meeting and Roy Wilkinson secretary. A tentative report of the bank's condition was read by the secretary which showed liabilities of \$103,465.50 in excess of the estimated assets. These figures are subject to change either way, as clerks are still at work on the bank's books.

In order to effect a working organization a committee of fifteen was appointed by chairman Hunter, and this committee selected a committee of eleven men to look after the interests of the depositors. The committee named includes Col. W. F. Reynolds, chairman; A. Fauble, Roy Wilkinson, George H. Hazel, W. J. Emerick, J. Fred Herman, W. H. Brouse and F. H. Thomas, all of Bellefonte; Howard E. Holzworth, of Fleming; Ray H. Smith, of State College, and John Mitchell, of Lemont, with Robert F. Hunter, an ex-officio member. The committee was empowered to employ counsel and decided to engage N. B. Spangler Esq. The committee has power to work out the best solution of the difficulty possible from the depositor's standpoint, and as soon as it has arrived at anything definite another meeting of depositors will be held to act on the committee's report.

Proclamation!

By reason of the fact that many serious accidents result from failure to observe a "safe and sane" Fourth of July, notice is hereby given that the provisions of a certain ordinance of the borough of Bellefonte as well as a certain Act of Assembly in force in our State relating to the firing or throwing of fire crackers, fire balls, squibs, or other fire works, or the firing of any pistol, will be strictly enforced. July Fourth can be properly celebrated without endangering the life or property of any person, and it is this kind of an observance that will be expected. The celebration will be strictly confined to July Fourth; it does not start a week or two in advance and continue for an indefinite period thereafter. July Fourth is only twenty-four hours long.

All good citizens are hereby respectfully requested to inform upon and prosecute to conviction persons offending against the laws of our State or the ordinance of our borough relating to the sale and explosion of all fire works contrary thereto. Assist in making the day "safe and sane." Given under my hand this 3rd day of June, A. D., 1922.

W. HARRISON WALKER, Burgess.

The sum of \$16.20 was realized for the benefit of the Armenian sufferers, at the musicale given at the home of Miss Mary Linn, last Saturday afternoon.

Bellefonte Grain Market.

Table with 2 columns: Grain type and Price per bushel. Includes Red Wheat, White Wheat, Rye, Corn, Oats, and Barley.

Corrected Weekly by C. Y. Wagner & Co. Red Wheat - - - - - \$1.35 White Wheat - - - - - 1.30 Rye, per bushel - - - - - .70 Corn, shelled, per bushel - - .50 Corn, ears, per bushel - - .50 Oats, per bushel - - - - - .30 Barley, per bushel - - - - - .30