

NEWS ABOUT TOWN AND COUNTY.

Mr. and Mrs. V. J. Bauer have rented their house in Bellefonte and gone to Somerset, Pa., where they will make their home for the present. The ladies of the Lutheran church, Bellefonte, will hold their bazaar and cafeteria supper Thursday, December 1st, afternoon and evening. Paul Mallory has rented the Mrs. T. Clayton Brown house, adjoining her own residence, and with his wife will move there within a few days. During the quarter ending September 30th Centre county gasoline dealers turned over to the State \$34,118 as the proceeds from the three cents a gallon tax on gas. Nothing is more practical, more useful or more enduring as a Christmas gift than furniture. W. R. Brachbill makes some timely suggestions on page 4 of this issue. Look it up. P. R. R. yard master L. J. Keller is receiving congratulations over the arrival of the tenth child. There are five boys and five girls in the family now; the latest having arrived on Sunday evening. Rev. Francis G. Urbano will be the celebrant at Holy Communion in St. John's Episcopal church, Bellefonte, the first Sunday in Advent, at 8 and 11 o'clock A. M. Evening prayer and sermon at 7.30 P. M. More than 400 residents of Centre county are enrolled as students in the Pennsylvania State College each year. Allegheny and Philadelphia counties rank next with about 340 and 260 respectively. Forty guests, mostly Republican workers in the county, were present at a chicken and waffle dinner given at the Sunset club, in the Seven Mountains, last Saturday evening, by Cloyd Brooks, of Centre Hall. C. L. Koch, of State College, is a member of the State livestock judging team that is now in Chicago to compete in the international judging contest being held in that city this and next week. Koch will enter the meat judging contest next Tuesday. He was a member of the team that won first on horses, sheep and swine at the Eastern States exposition at Springfield, Mass., in September. Martin Altenderfer and son, Girard Altenderfer and family, have moved from Norwich, Pa., to Howard, where the latter has been placed in charge of the Sheffield Farms milk-shipping plant. Girard has been with the Sheffield Farms company for some years, first at the Bellefonte plant, then at Jersey Shore, and later at Norwich, so that his transfer to Howard is bringing him back nearer his old home. When sheriff E. R. Taylor goes out of office on January 2nd he will have everything in shape to step right into his new home on east Howard street. During the summer the sheriff purchased the George Tibbens property, the second building west of the entrance to the cemetery on the south side of the street, paying \$3,200 for same. He is having the house almost entirely done over inside and has already moved some of his household goods there from the sheriff's residence. One of the cases presented to the Board of Pardons, at its meeting in Harrisburg last week, was that of Charles Baney, of Bellefonte, sent to the Eastern penitentiary from Luzerne county, last April, for a term of three years, for forgery. Mrs. Ruby Baney, his wife, had planned to appear before the board in person and plead for her husband's release, but instead wrote a letter stating that she lacked the funds for the trip to Harrisburg. The papers in the case were placed before the board, but so far no decision has been handed down. On Monday evening Orvis Harvey, son of Mrs. Betty Orvis Harvey, was coming down Linn street in his mother's Studebaker car and just as he reached Penn street Dr. Kilpatrick came down the hill on that street from the alley in the rear of his home. To avoid a collision Orvis swung sharply to the left but evidently lost control and ran head-on into a tree in front of the Harrison Walker property. The windshield of the car was shattered to fragments and the front portion of the machine badly damaged. The boy driver was cut in several places with broken glass but sustained no serious injuries. Miss Virginia Healy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred B. Healy, has been confined to bed most of the week as the result of injuries sustained last Wednesday night when she was struck and knocked down by a Ford car on the crossing at High and Spring streets. The driver of the car came down High street and made the turn around the traffic sign and Miss Healy naturally supposed he was going south on Spring street, so started over the crossing from Dr. Dale's to the Valentine property. But the motorist swung entirely around and started up High street, hitting her and knocking her down. She was picked up and carried into the office of Dr. Dale where first aid was given and was then removed to her home. Fortunately no bones were broken but she was badly bruised and suffered from shock.

PLEAS OF GUILTY DRAW STIFF SENTENCES

Tuesday was the day for regular argument court but before the list was taken up pleas of guilty were heard and disposed of by the court. The first case called was that against McClure Hendershot, charged with unlawful possession and sale of liquor on August 30th and unlawful possession and transportation of liquor on September 1st. Hendershot entered a plea of nolle contendere in both cases. Court records referred to showed that on July 28th, 1925, Hendershot had been convicted of unlawful possession and sale of liquor before Judge Reeder, specially presiding, and had been sentenced to pay a fine of \$250 and serve from one to two years in the county jail. In February, 1926, he was paroled by Judge Keller and given six months in which to pay the fine and costs, a total of \$309. He has never paid any of it. For the recent violation he was sentenced to pay a fine of \$250, costs and imprisonment in the county jail from one to two years. The second man up was Howard Ardery, an escaped convict from Rockview penitentiary. Ardery was sent up from Clearfield county in June, 1924, for two to four years for larceny. He had served only four months when he made his escape on October 14th, 1924. He made his way to Niagara Falls where he worked several months, but left there when he heard that officers were on his trail. He went to Chicago where he worked and about six weeks ago was attacked on the street by two Mexicans, stabbed in the side and robbed. Fortunately the stab wounds were not fatal and three weeks ago, when he had sufficiently recovered to travel, he returned to Clearfield county and voluntarily surrendered to the authorities. Judge Furst told him he would like to do something as a reward for his return but could not, so imposed a sentence of two to four years in the penitentiary to compute from the expiration of his original sentence. Ralph Holmes, a Washington county inmate who escaped from Rockview on November 12th and was captured at Houseville on the 15th by police chief Yougel, of State College, also entered a plea of guilty. He was sent up for two to four years on January 18th, 1926, for larceny, and gave as his reason for attempting to escape because the prison board refused to act on his application for a parole. He was also given an additional sentence of two to four years. Ira Stere, of Clarence, pleaded guilty to unlawful possession and transportation of liquor on October 15th, 1927. On the evening of that day he was on his way to Bellefonte and between here and Milesburg his car was wrecked when it collided with another car. State patrolmen summoned to the wreck found a gallon jug of moonshine in Stere's car. The court told Stere he was inclined to be lenient with him and suspended sentence and gave him six months in which to pay a fine of \$50 and costs, a total of \$70.75, when sheriff Taylor informed the district attorney that there is a second commitment against the man for operating a car while under the influence of liquor. The court asked Stere if he was intoxicated and he denied it, stating that he had taken a small drink before leaving Snow Shoe but that was all he had. Stere also offered to explain to the court the presence of the jug of whiskey in his car but the court said it wasn't necessary. Stere was remanded to jail until such time as a return is made on the second commitment, at which time his case will be disposed of. Harry Quick, nineteen years old, of Snow Shoe, entered a plea of guilty to stealing a ten dollar watch from his grandmother. The lad explained that he had been living with his grandmother and merely took the watch to wear. When his grandmother made a fuss about it he returned the watch. Sheriff Taylor stated that the young man had been chased away from home by his father and for almost a year had been living wherever he could. He stated, however, that Quick did not have a very good reputation. The court decided it was a case for investigation by the probation officer and remanded the young man to jail until a report on the case can be received. Jackson Fry was the next man called to answer to an indictment charging him with operating a car while under the influence of liquor, but he refused to plead guilty. He declared that the only thing he had taken was one drink of cider, but a Bellefonte physician had pronounced him intoxicated. Sheriff Taylor stated that in his judgment Fry was not drunk when brought to jail. At present he is out on bail and the court directed his case to be held until the December term of court. Harold Moyer, 21 years old, pleaded guilty to stealing a single-barrel shot gun from John Rossman on the night of November 4. He got the gun by crawling into an upstairs window. He saw the gun while helping Mrs. Rossman move. Moyer had for several months been cutting prop timbers for Earl Brown, at Yarnell, and felt confident he could get a job there if released. The court remanded Moyer to jail and instructed the district attorney to communicate with Mr. Brown and if he will give Moyer a home and employment he will suspend sentence on the payment of the costs.

Deer Hunters Making Ready to Take Trail

Now that Thanksgiving day is over the several thousand deer hunters in Centre county are making preparations to pack their kits and take the trail to their favorite hunting grounds in time to start the first drive at the break of dawn next Thursday morning, the opening day of the deer season. Some of the hunters will probably hit to the woods today and tomorrow so as to have a few days' rabbit hunting before the first of December. Others will go out early in the week and by Wednesday evening every mountain range in the county will be literally a hive of hunters. Hunters trekking into the Seven mountains will find the going considerably improved over conditions a year ago. During the summer the Department of Forests and Waters constructed two improved roads some six or eight miles into the depths of two of the best camping sections of the mountains, and now it will be no trick at all to motor right to the heart of the deer country. In addition to the thousands of Centre county hunters who will go to the mountains large parties from one-third the counties in the State will invade Centre county's deer paradise. Most of the invading hunters have had permanent camps in the Seven mountains for a number of years, while a dozen or more new permanent camps were constructed during the summer. Every hunting party has its regular camping place and generally refrains from infringing on the rights of others. Of course there are hundreds of day hunters composed of farmers and others living near the mountains, most of whom are conversant with the various deer trails, who organize in groups and go out in the morning and home at night, and these are generally as successful in bagging their buck as those who camp in the woods. There is no gainsaying the fact that there are more deer in the mountains this year than ever before. The only question that is perplexing the hunters is as to the number of bucks. But if reports reaching this office recently can be taken as a basis for computation there will be plenty of bucks for the two weeks' sport. A Bellefonte party who recently made a short trip into the Seven mountains saw fifteen deer, four of which were bucks with a legal rack of antlers. On Monday of this week a herd of six deer were seen in a field not five miles from Bellefonte, two of which were legal bucks. The Watchman will appreciate it if every hunting party will make an effort to report their kill to this paper as early as possible. We would like a report of the first day's kill that day, and also a report of the season's bag later. Bellefonte High Defeats Juniata High 26 to 0. The Bellefonte High School football team defeated the Juniata High school, last Friday afternoon by the score of 26 to 0, and thereby increased their average and added to their total of points scored. Because of the fact that a number of Lock Haven scouts were on the ground Bellefonte did not play its game, by any means; in fact, coach Bream started the game with three subs in the line and several of the best regulars were held out until the last five minutes of play and then sent in merely as a limbering-up exercise. Bellefonte made a touchdown in the first two minutes of play and another toward the end of the first quarter. Touchdowns were also made in the second and third quarters when the team eased up. Harnish kicked two goals. In the fourth quarter Juniata confined its efforts almost entirely to an aerial attack which resulted in considerable ground gaining, but they were unable to get the ball over the Bellefonte goal line. Bellefonte played seven games prior to the game yesterday with Lock Haven, and the results are as follows: Bellefonte..... 21 Howard..... 0 Bellefonte..... 27 Altoona High..... 6 Bellefonte..... 30 Mount Union..... 0 Bellefonte..... 35 Huntingdon..... 24 Bellefonte..... 0 Tyrone..... 0 Bellefonte..... 21 Lewistown..... 0 Bellefonte..... 28 Juniata..... 0 Totals..... 178 30 We have the mail order house beat on price of rubbers. Yeager's. 46-1t In your worry about a nice Christmas gift for the family you not give that wonderful new Edison consideration? There is something that would give genuine pleasure to everyone in the home any minute of the day or night. It is the last thing in music reproduction. If you don't think we know look on page 5 and see what was said of it in a test held in the California public schools or, better still, drop in at Harter's Music Store, on Allegheny street, and hear it yourself. A number of Bellefonte people scented a possible tragedy, on Sunday afternoon, when they saw an airplane come down on Halfmoon hill. But it was nothing of the kind, only pilot Henry Noll, of Pleasant Gap, who came down intentionally to give the people who live up there a little thrill.

BURGESS HARRIS WILL BE SENT TO CHICAGO

To Take Part in Organizing Airport Association. At a regular meeting, on Monday evening, borough council voted to send Burgess Harris to the conference to be held in Chicago, December 12-15, for the purpose of organizing a National Airport association. And the members did not attempt to dictate how he should make the trip, so he will probably go by train instead of airplane. John Benner, his son and two sons-in-law were again present to hear what council intended doing in connection with the extension of a sewer on Burnside street, on Reservoir hill. Mr. Brouse, chairman of the Street committee, stated that the matter had been gone into pretty thoroughly since the last meeting of council. Of the fourteen residents along the street where the sewer extension is desired ten signified their willingness to pay \$30 for a tap, which would make a total of \$300. A careful estimate showed that it would cost between \$1,000 and \$1,100 to put down the sewer and as the total returns assured would be less than one-third that amount, the committee recommended that for the present the request be refused. The recommendation was approved by council, but President Walker informed Mr. Benner that if they come before council with a signed petition agreeing to bear 50 per cent of the cost of the sewer they will be given further consideration. Roland Ickoff submitted a written communication in which he stated that he is completing arrangements for the erection of a house on his lot on Lamb and Shoemaker streets, and made application for an extension of the water line to his property. Referred to the Street committee. Communications were received from Mrs. D. H. Hastings, Jesse Derstine in behalf of his mother, Mrs. W. H. Derstine; G. Edward Haupt and J. I. Young regarding adjustment of taxes, and the requests were referred to the respective committees. The Street committee reported various repairs, cleaning the streets and putting them in shape for the advent of winter. The Water committee reported the collection of \$3.00 on the 1924 duplicate, \$21 on the 1925 and \$100 on the 1926, as well as one dollar for old brick sold and ten dollars for garage rent. The Finance committee reported the payment of one note and a substantial balance in the treasury. The Village Improvement committee presented the request of Jacob Smith for a permit to erect a house on Halfmoon hill, and the same was granted. Bills totaling \$1,221.59 were approved for payment, after which council adjourned. Woman's Club Notes. The Women's club of Bellefonte will hold its next meeting on Monday evening, Nov. 28, at 7:30, in the directors' room of the High school building. The program will include papers explaining the activities of the three departments of the State Federation, that of American Citizenship, by Mrs. Olivevine; International Relations by Mrs. Brouse, and Juniors by Miss Mary Underwood. In addition Miss Daise Keichline will give a talk on her work as school nurse in the public schools at Galeton. All club members are urged to be present. About twenty members of the club accepted the invitation of the Woman's club of Howard to visit that place Wednesday evening, Nov. 16. The entertainment of the visitors was very interesting. The Howard women presented a tableau play entitled "The Forty-graf Album," which was well acted and brought generous applause. Mrs. Eben Bower made a report of the state convention at Pittsburgh and musical numbers were sung by Mrs. Marlin Rumberger and Miss Eva Grove, both accompanied by Mrs. John Ocker. A delicious lunch was served and all had an exceedingly enjoyable evening. Prices on rubbers less than mail order house. Yeager's. 46-1t William M. Furey, son of Mrs. M. W. Furey, of Bellefonte, but who has lived so long in Pittsburgh that he has become prominently identified with some of the leading business interests of that city, was on Tuesday elected a member of the board of directors of the Colonial Trust company. Mr. Furey is chairman of the national executive committee of the Life Underwriters' Association of the United States. He is also a director of the Insurance Federation of Pennsylvania, a director of the Pennsylvania Chamber of Commerce and secretary-treasurer of the Pittsburgh Hotels company. Dodds-Moore.—Doris M. Moore, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Horatio S. Moore, and William E. Dodds, of Tarentum, Pa., were married at the home of the bride on Allegheny street, Monday of this week, by the Rev. William C. Thompson, pastor of the Presbyterian church, departing immediately after the ceremony for their future home at Tarentum, Pa. Prices on shoes less than mail-order house. Yeager's Tiny Boot Shop. 46-1t

NEWS PURELY PERSONAL.

Dr. and Mrs. J. J. Kilpatrick and three children drove to Philadelphia Wednesday, to be with relatives for Thanksgiving. Mr. and Mrs. Robert S. Walker were among those from Bellefonte who drove to Pittsburgh for the game yesterday. Mary Parrish, who is at Miss Illman's school in Philadelphia, is home to spend the Thanksgiving vacation with her father, Dr. C. M. Parrish. Mrs. E. H. B. Callaway is at present the house guest of Mrs. James B. Lane, who entertained with cards in Mrs. Callaway's honor, Wednesday evening. Mrs. Robert A. Miller, of Tyrone, was in Bellefonte between trains, on Wednesday evening. She was on her way home from a day's visit with relatives in Spring Mills. Miss Mary Woodring is spending the Thanksgiving vacation with her cousin, Virginia Cruse, at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Cruse, in Pittsburgh. James Carpeneto, with his three sisters, drove to Pittsburgh for the Thanksgiving day football game. At Altoona George McNichol joined their party for the trip. Miss Mary H. Linn and her brother, Henry S. Linn, were in Williamsport yesterday, having gone down to be dinner guests of their sisters, the Misses Bessie and Sallie Linn. W. B. Rankin and daughter, Miss Mary, with Mrs. J. D. Geisinger as a driving guest, motored to Harrisburg, on Wednesday, to spend Thanksgiving. They will return on Sunday. George H. Yarnell, of Hecla, accompanied Secretary of Forests and Waters Charles E. Dorworth, to Harrisburg on Monday, for the ten dollar a plate dinner to Col. Eric Fisher Wood that evening. Mrs. William B. Wallis returned to Pittsburgh Tuesday, after a visit here of a week, with her mother, Mrs. J. Will Conley. Mrs. Wallis came to Bellefonte to be with her mother during the Conley sale last week. The Misses Anne and Caroline Valentine closed their home last week, spent Sunday at the Bush House and left Monday for Philadelphia, where they will be until deciding definitely as to their plans for the winter. Sisters M. Oliva and M. Enlala, both of Collingdale, came up to Bellefonte, last Friday, and remained until Sunday with the former's mother and sister, Mrs. William and Miss Kate McGowan, at their home near town. Mrs. Elizabeth Yeagley, of York, Pa., a cousin of the late L. A. Schaeffer, was the guest of Mr. Schaeffer and Miss Helen, for the week-end, having come here from State College, where she had been for a visit with relatives. Mrs. Harry Curtin, of Curtin, is with her son and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Curtin, having gone to Pittsburgh shortly after the death of her mother, the late Mrs. McMeen, expecting to be there for several weeks. Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Reynolds of Lancaster, who are the house guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Reynolds, are here for a farewell visit with their daughter, Mrs. Hugh M. Quigley, before leaving to spend the winter in the south. Robert S. Walker was one of the Bellefonters who attended the Wood dinner in Harrisburg Monday night. Yesterday he took a party of seven to see State-Pitt game in Pittsburgh, having made the round trip in one day. James A. McClain, of Spangler, was thought to be seriously ill during the past week, in the Harrisburg hospital, having had a heart attack while east on a business trip for the Brubaker Coal company. His condition now is slowly improving. Mrs. Reed O. Steeley was brought home from the hospital in Williamsport last Friday. While she stood the trip very well her condition has not improved at all. In fact she has been daily growing weaker and there is almost no hope for her recovery. Mrs. Benjamin Bradley and her sister, Mrs. Peck, of East Aurora, N. Y., are arranging to leave Bellefonte the day after Christmas for Florida, on a business trip which will keep them there until April. Mr. Bradley, however, will remain in Bellefonte, being now permanently located here. Mr. and Mrs. George Carpeneto motored to Clearfield, on Tuesday, taking over Mrs. Carpeneto's father, councilman Harry Flack, who went to consult Dr. Waterworth. Councilman Flack has been a sufferer with neuritis for some weeks and so far has been unable to obtain any relief. Miss Bess McCafferty and her sister, Mrs. James Depler, arrived here from Pittsburgh Sunday, to open Miss McCafferty's home on east Lamb street, expecting to be here permanently. Miss McCafferty has made her home with her sister in Pittsburgh, for a number of years, returning to Bellefonte for a part of the summer. Mrs. and Mrs. John H. Hartswick went out to Ambridge, on Sunday, and on Tuesday Mr. and Mrs. Millard Hartswick and family motored to the same place where they were all guests at a family Thanksgiving day dinner yesterday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sutherland. Mrs. Sutherland prior to her marriage was Miss Mary Hartswick. John Bressley, successful Ferguson township farmer, was in Bellefonte, Tuesday afternoon, looking after a few matters of business. While John is a regular corn, oats and wheat farmer, he specializes in dairy cows and hogs. Not the fancy kind that travel mostly on the pedigrees, but the kind that earn big checks from the milk stations and the butchers. Miss Anne Keichline, with her aunt, Miss Ella Wagner, of Milesburg, Miss Belle Lowry and Mrs. John Knisley as driving guests, motored to the western part of the State Thursday of last week. Miss Wagner left the party at Indiana, where she will visit for several weeks. Miss Lowry was returning home from a visit in Bellefonte, while Mrs. Knisley was going to Wilkesburg to her daughter, Mrs. Harold Butterworth, who had broken her arm by a fall in the bath tub. Miss Keichline and Mrs. Knisley brought Mrs. Butterworth to Bellefonte Monday, expecting her to be here while recovering from the accident. Corrected Weekly by C. Y. Wagner & Co. Wheat - \$1.30 Rye - \$1.00 Corn - 1.00 Oats - .45 Barley - .80 Buckwheat - .50

Scenic and Moose Theatre Leases to Change Hands.

Last Thursday morning Mrs. Maggie Brown signed an agreement to transfer leases she holds on the Scenic and Moose theatres in this place to John P. Fretz, of Troy, Penna. Ever since the death of her husband, the late T. Clayton Brown, speculation has been rife as to what would be done with these two popular places of amusement. Several people have made proposals to purchase, but not until last Thursday was Mrs. Brown satisfied with the price offered. Under the agreement Mr. Fretz will take over the business on January 1, next. He will acquire ownership of all projection machines, screens, the organ in the Scenic, other accessories and the leases on the two houses. That on the Scenic has three years to run, without a renewal clause, while that on the Moose has five years to run and carries a renewal clause. While here Mr. Fretz was very uncommunicative as to his plans for conducting the theatres. Somehow a rumor has been started here to the effect that the Stanley Theatre corporation is in some way identified with the transfer. A letter from the Pittsburgh office of the corporation yesterday advises us that "the Stanley Theatre corporation through this company has had no business dealings in your city and any statement made as to the purchase of the Moose and Scenic theatres is without any authority." It might be possible, however, that Mr. Fretz is working with individual members of the Stanley corporation. Chimes at Susquehanna a Memorial to Dr. Aikens. Impressive Founders day exercises were observed at Susquehanna University on Tuesday. In a masterful manner J. P. Carpenter, Esq., of Sunbury, eulogized the founder, Dr. Benjamin Kurtz, who in 1858 established the institution. To Dr. Charles T. Aikens, late president of Susquehanna, loving tribute was paid. For many years Mr. Carpenter was closely associated with Dr. Aikens, being a member of the board of directors and the executive committee of the University. What Dr. Kurtz founded, Dr. Aikens nurtured. During Susquehanna's most critical period it was his genius, business judgment and sagacity that piloted her course and in time established Susquehanna on a sound basis. The presentation and dedication of chimes recently presented to the University by M. P. Moller, of Hagerstown, Md., and installed in the organ in Seibert Hall chapel, was a most impressive feature of the program. For twenty-two years Mr. Moller has been a member of the board of directors. During that entire period a close and intimate friendship existed between him and Dr. Aikens. It was in loving memory of his friend and fellow-worker that Mr. Moller presented the chimes at this time. Fred B. Heverly, son of Mrs. Mary B. Heverly, of Howard, was one of ten students to graduate from the photographic section of the air corps technical school at Chanute field, Rantoul, Ill., last week. He will be assigned to the photographic unit of the air corps. It cost Eugene Heckman and George Condo, of Spring Mills, \$270 for killing a fawn and transporting it to their homes. They were each fined \$100 for killing the fawn, while Heckman was fined \$50 for transporting it and Condo \$20 for hunting without a license. The Bellefonte Academy football team journeyed to Erie, last Friday, where on Saturday they played the Cathedral prep team on a field covered by a foot of snow. The Academy won by the score of 13 to 6. Mrs. W. M. Bottorf's bridge supper Tuesday night, at which she entertained eighteen guests, was the second she had given within the week. Bellefonte Grain Markets.