

NEWS ABOUT TOWN AND COUNTY.

Today marks the beginning of autumn, but let us hope it will not mean cold weather for some time to come.

Joseph Thomas is making arrangements to add a soda fountain to the equipment of his cigar and candy store on High street.

Announcement has been made of the marriage, at Columbus, Ohio, on September 7th, of Miss Virginia Garman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert T. Garman, of Tyrone, to Robert Stewart, of Ashland, Ky.

Thirty applicants have filed bids for carrying mail from Bellefonte to Millheim and return in the event the afternoon train on the Lewisburg railroad is discontinued, but so far there seems to be some uncertainty as to whether the train will be taken off.

H. G. Work, formerly cashier of the Farmer's National bank of this place, is located permanently at Media, Pa., to which city the family has moved. Mr. Work resigned his position here to accept more lucrative work with the State Banking Department, Building and Loan division.

A fire at the DeLallo home, on East Beaver street, last Friday afternoon, called out the firemen but the blaze was quickly extinguished without doing much damage. The Logans also responded to an alarm of fire, at Axe Mann, on Saturday afternoon, but a bucket brigade had the fire about out when they reached there.

Cows are said to be scarce and high priced. Recent sales indicate that they are selling high, but the experience of a local buyer would indicate that there are plenty to be had if attractive offers are made for them. Al Baum bought forty-one in less than twenty-four hours, one day last week, when commissioned to procure a lot for a Belleville dealer.

The quarantine card was removed last Thursday, from the home of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Witmer, of Halfmoon Hill, whose little daughter May has gone through a siege of infantile paralysis. While the disease itself has spent its course and all danger of infection is past, it left the little girl badly crippled in the legs and there is grave fear that she may never be able to walk.

Annulment proceedings have been instituted at Cumberland, Md., by James B. Moritz Jr., aged 17 years, for legal separation from his wife, Eleanor Louise Keller Moritz, aged 16. The complaint of the youthful husband states that while he and Miss Keller were both students at the Bellefonte Academy they were induced to go on a motor trip to Cumberland, Md., by John Keller and Mrs. H. J. Altman, uncle and aunt of the girl, who made statements as to the age of each. They were married on April 28th, 1928.

The Bellefonte Academy is now in full swing. While the boys came in mostly last week, it was not until Monday morning that the general schedule of class work was begun. The Academy and student houses are comfortably filled so that a good school for the year is assured. Among the students is ample material to assure a good football team and those students who are not trying for the team are given physical culture training by L. C. Heineman, of the Y. M. C. A. During the summer vacation Mr. Hughes completely remodeled the interior of the old Quaker church, which he bought last spring, installed the library in one room and will use the remainder of it for class room work.

Bellefonte had a distinguished visitor, on Wednesday night, in the person of Hon. Robert von Moschzisker, Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania, who was a guest at the home of Charles E. Dorworth, Secretary of Forests and Waters. At the invitation of Secretary Dorworth an informal reception was given the Chief Justice and hundreds of residents of Bellefonte and Centre county visited the Dorworth home to pay their respects. Troop B, of Bellefonte, marched to the Dorworth home in a body and filed in soldierly order through the house. Light refreshments were served. The reception was preceded by a dinner to which a few intimate friends were invited.

The Johnstown Tribune issued a 64-page edition, last Saturday, in celebration of its 75th anniversary. In addition to its regular news sections two sections were devoted to a brief history of the paper from the days of its swaddling clothes up to its present metropolitan standard, and to the history of Johnstown and its leading industries. The Tribune is one of the leading papers between Philadelphia and Pittsburgh and in most of its features stands on a par with the city newspapers. Its regular afternoon edition consists of anywhere from sixteen to thirty-two pages and with a circulation of well over 35,000 it covers Cambria and Somerset counties to the smallest village. Close to one hundred men and women are employed in its making, among the number being Edward L. Gates, a former Bellefonte news paperman, who is telegraph editor on the Tribune.

CENTRE COUNTY MAN PICKED FOR BIG JOB.

Clyde A. Smith to Build Government Telephone Line in Colombia, South America.

Clyde A. Smith, who in the days of the old Commercial Telephone company was head lineman and general all around mechanic, but who since the merger with the Bell company has been living at Centre Hall, on Tuesday signed a contract to go to Colombia, South America, and construct a government telephone line across practically the entire length of the country, a distance of from 800 to 1000 miles. The story of how "Skip" came to be picked for the job sounds almost like a romance.

When the government of Colombia decided to build the line the officials naturally turned to the United States for equipment and a contracting firm to do the job. After diligent inquiry and investigation the contract was finally awarded to Stromberg & Carlson, of Rochester, N. Y. Then the latter firm began to look around for an all-around man to take charge of the job. They found plenty of specialists, men who could string a line and men who could install an exchange but not a man who was master of all. Finally they appealed to a well known telephone technical engineer for information as to some man who would fill the bill.

The engineer told them he knew of but one such man in the United States and gave them the name of Mr. Smith. Consequently a representative of Stromberg & Carlson came to Bellefonte on the hunt of Clyde and locating him at Centre Hall went there and induced him to take the contract.

That it is some job is evidenced by the fact that it is estimated it will take in the neighborhood of five years to do the work. Mr. Smith will not only have charge of stringing the line but installing and equipping the various exchanges. According to the company's representative a large portion of the line will be underground cable. At some points exchanges will be one hundred miles apart, while in the more thickly populated districts they will be as close as twenty-five miles.

As the contractors are anxious to begin the work as soon as possible Mr. Smith will probably leave about the first of October for Colombia.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Gross Located in Los Angeles, Cal.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Gross, of Bellefonte, are now located in Los Angeles, Cal., where they expect to make their future home. Harold is a son of Mr. and Mrs. John Gross, of Bellefonte, and is a plumber and steam fitter. He learned his trade with Thomas Caldwell and later worked for Walter Eberhart. Finally he decided to go to the Pacific coast and on Monday, September 3rd, he and his wife went to Hollidaysburg and took passage on one of the Greyhound busses which runs between New York and Los Angeles.

The fare for the transcontinental trip is \$62.50, which does not include meals enroute. The busses, however, are equipped with a kitchenette where any foodstuffs purchased by passengers can be prepared for eating. All the seats have rubber air cushions and they are so arranged that they can be placed in a reclining position and make a very comfortable couch while traveling at night. The schedule of the bus is so arranged that stops of anywhere from twenty minutes to five hours are made enroute, and yet such good time is maintained that Mr. and Mrs. Gross landed in Los Angeles in just six days from the date of leaving Hollidaysburg.

Mr. Gross has had several letters from his son since he landed in the California city. In the last letter Harold stated that he had not yet landed a job, but was looking over the city and felt confident that he would be at work within a week.

Bellefonters Prominent in Activities at State College.

With the opening of Freshmen week, at State College last Thursday, John G. Shope, of Bellefonte, began his activities as one of the four junior cheer leaders. The duties of the cheer leading staff were to lead the Freshmen in cheer and song practice, the latter being required to memorize the entire list of college cheers and songs. Shope is a member of the Alpha Chi Sigma fraternity and is taking a course in architectural engineering.

Among others who returned to college, last week, was Miss Mary Woodring, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. Kline Woodring. She is now a Junior at Penn State and will be social chairman of her class this year. She is also chairman of the Finance committee of the student Y. W. C. A. and takes an active interest in the cabinet proceedings. She is enrolled in the arts and letters curriculum.

Word has been received in Bellefonte that Richard Mabus, son of Mr. and Mrs. Blaine Mabus, and Miss Katherine J. Shaffer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Shaffer, who left Bellefonte on August 19th, were quietly married that day, but just where is not known. They are now living at Tarentum, Pa., where Mr. Mabus is reported as having a good position.

Grand Jury for September Court in Session This Week.

The grand jury for the September term of court convened on Monday morning, Ray Bragonier, of Phillipsburg, being appointed foreman. On the docket is a list of sixty cases, but bills of indictment will not be presented in all of them. It is probable, however, that thirty or more cases will be ready to be heard.

In fact the Centre county jail was crowded over Sunday, there being thirty-one prisoners. The court relieved the situation, on Monday, by imposing sentence upon five escaped convicts, but their removal to Pittsburg still left the sheriff with a family of twenty-six to look after.

One of those is a woman, Mrs. L. B. Perkins, of Washington, D. C., arrested several weeks ago on complaint of Mrs. Wagner, of Howard, for failure to pay a \$28 board bill. While that was the only action brought against the woman it is understood that she also owes board bills in Bellefonte and other places in the county. These she incurred while working in the capacity of a book agent, in which she was not very successful.

The grand jury completed its work on Wednesday afternoon. Out of 63 bills of indictment prepared by the district attorney 38 true bills were found, ten were ignored and 15 withdrawn.

The jury, in its report, condemned the Centre county jail as antiquated and recommended the building of a new and modern jail. If this cannot be done numerous repairs and alterations were suggested. Conditions in and about the court house were also condemned as unsanitary and repairs and a general cleaning up should be done at once.

Annual Drive for Y. M. C. A. Will Soon Be On.

The plans for the annual drive of the local Y. M. C. A. for membership are now complete, and under the leadership of the able chairman, Mr. W. R. Cliffe, are being pushed ahead rapidly.

There will be a parade of the boys and girls of the town, who are users of the Y, together with the various clubs and organizations which use the Y for their meeting place, on Friday evening, September 21.

The parade will be led by the Wetzler's Junior band, and at the conclusion of the parade a giant mass meeting will be held on the court house lawn, at which time the Hon. M. Ward Fleming will deliver an address. You cannot afford to miss this meeting as Judge Fleming has a message that will be of interest to all.

On Monday, September 24th, there will be a dinner and meeting for those who are going to help in the membership campaign.

This is your Y. M. C. A. and it merits your whole hearted support. The drive will be held on September 26, 27, 28.

Meet the solicitors with a smile and get your name on the honor roll. Help to make the Y Centre County's Community Center.

Auto Collision at Port Matilda.

About eleven o'clock on Sunday morning a Nash touring car bearing license tag C81-093, containing two men and a woman was on its way west on the Bald Eagle State highway. At the cross roads in Port Matilda the driver failed to regard the red light signal with the result that the left rear wheel of his car was hit by an Oakland roadster driven by Charles Wentzel, who had with him three ladies. The wheel of the Nash car was smashed and the machine almost upset. The bumper on the Wentzel car was knocked off. Fortunately no one was hurt aside from shock. The driver of the Nash car admitted that he was in the wrong and volunteered to pay for all damages. The crossroads in Port Matilda is regarded as a dangerous point and all drivers should approach it with care.

Spanish American War Veterans to Revive Local Camp.

Geo. W. Jackson Camp, No. 70, Spanish American War Veterans, is to be made a militant organization if plans of the Central District council go through.

J. H. Gherity, of DuBois, has been in town all week arranging for a meeting to be held in the grand jury room in the court house next Sunday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock. Representatives from active camps all over the central and western part of the State will be here to inspire the local veterans with new ideas of the advantages that may be had by keeping their camp up and doing.

It is especially planned to organize an efficient auxiliary and because of that aim wives and daughters of Spanish War Veterans are urged to attend the meeting.

The Bellefonte Trust Company will entertain the school teachers of Bellefonte, Milesburg and Unionville and those of the townships of Boggs, Benner, Huston, Marion, Patton, Spring, Union and Walker townships at dinner at the Brockers-hoff hotel tomorrow, Saturday, at the purpose of explaining the value of teaching thrift to pupils and to establish school banks in all schools in which they are not already in use.

RED CROSS TO AID STRICKEN PORTO RICO.

Bellefonte Appealed to For Money, Clothing and Supplies.

Urgent appeals from the offices of the National Red Cross, in Washington, have been sent to Burgess Hard P. Harris, of Bellefonte, for aid to the sufferers in Porto Rico, and elsewhere, caused by the terrific West Indian hurricane which swept over the Islands and across Florida in the beginning of the week, leaving a trail of death and destruction in its wake. At this writing upwards of three hundred people are known to be dead and it is feared the total may exceed double this number, while property damage is estimated at more than one hundred million dollars. The first appeal sent to Bellefonte was under date of September 15th, and was as follows:

Hard P. Harris, Chairman:

"West Indies hurricane destroyed thousands of homes in Porto Rico and other Islands, devastating crops. Immediate need for food, shelter, medical supplies and emergency relief. Red Cross taking charge at request of President Coolidge. Please give widest possible publicity this appeal and notify public your chapter will receive and forward to national headquarters all contributions. Wire action taken. Initial donation made \$50,000 from national funds. Baker and trained disaster staff now on way to Island." (Signed) JOHN BARTON PAYNE

The second appeal, received on Tuesday morning, follows:

Hard P. Harris, Chairman:

"Latest reports Porto Rico and Virgin Islands indicate increasing demands upon Red Cross for emergency relief and rehabilitation, with growing prospects further needs from Florida and other southeastern States. President Coolidge today, by proclamation, called for generous contributions to Red Cross West Indies hurricane relief fund to care for all areas affected. Information too incomplete to enable us to state total amount needed, but clearly evident Red Cross faces serious responsibility, and your present effort would be at least comparable to your effort at the time of Florida relief campaign in 1926." (Signed) JOHN BARTON PAYNE

There can be no question as to the urgent need for help, not only on the Island of Porto Rico, but along the entire path of the hurricane. Money clothing and all kinds of non-perishable contributions should be given as quick as possible. Contributions of money should be sent to Charles M. McCurdy, treasurer of the Bellefonte branch of the Red Cross, while contributions of clothing, etc., should be sent to the Y. M. C. A.

Mr. John Somerville has consented to act as a committee to solicit aid and will gladly give any information desired.

Five Escaped Prisoners Sentenced on Monday Morning.

Five prisoners who escaped from Rockview penitentiary at various times entered pleas of guilty before Judge M. Ward Fleming, on Monday morning, and were given the sentence prescribed by law. Before pronouncing sentence Judge Fleming told the men that when they were taken back to Pittsburg to make it known among the prisoners there that if any of them are transferred to Rockview they had better be content to stay there and not try to escape. The men on whom sentence was imposed were as follows:

Harry Fink, Philadelphia county, one of the three who escaped September 10th, 5 to 15 years.

George Windemaker, of York county, who escaped on May 20th, 1927, and was caught at Carlisle three weeks ago, 3 to 7 years.

Robert Ruane, of Lackawanna county, one of the four men who escaped on July 26th, and who was caught at Rahway, N. J., and brought back to Centre county on Saturday, 3 to 6 years.

Nick Carback, of Allegheny county, who escaped Monday morning of last week and was caught the same day, 2 to 4 years.

Louis Marina, of Lawrence county, also one of the three who escaped on September 10th, 5 to 10 years.

Pennsvalley Sportsmen to Post Lands Against Hunters.

Just 238 landowners and sportsmen attended a meeting at Millheim, last Friday evening, to discuss the best methods to overcome the slaughter of deer during the two weeks of the hunting season in December. The sentiment of all those present was Commission's ruling that only antlerless deer may be killed during the only way to combat the ruling is to post lands to post lands against hunting, and this it was decided to do.

Included in the membership of the Pennsvalley Sportsmen's Association are owners who have title to more than five thousand acres of the best hunting lands on the mountains in lower Pennsvalley. All these are to be posted. Other organizations throughout the county are also falling in line on posting lands, and if the good work is continued the thousands of hunters from all over the State who have sent to county treasurer Lyman L. Smith for the special doe license will find no place to hunt when they come into the county on the first of December.

NEWS PURELY PERSONAL.

—Mrs. Harold Kirk went down to Harrisburg, on Tuesday to spend her two week's vacation with her sister, Mrs. Rebecca C. Tuten.

—Mr. and Mrs. William Johnstonbaugh are entertaining Mr. Johnstonbaugh's mother, Mrs. Alpheus Johnstonbaugh, of Jersey Shore, who is with them at Axe Mann, for the month of September.

—Miss Katherine Diefendorf, a school mate of Miss Virginia Hughes, is here from Mount Vernon, N. Y., visiting with Virginia, at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hughes, on south Spring street.

—Miss Caroline Barnhart, who had spent much of the summer in Bellefonte with her sister, Mrs. William McClure and the family, left Wednesday morning to return to her home in Kenilworth, New Jersey.

—The Misses Jane and Ruth Miller, daughters, of Mr. and Mrs. George Miller, are both stenographers at the Titan Metal Co. Miss Jane was the first to go with this company and upon her promotion, her sister was given the place she vacated.

—Mrs. Frank McClain, who is visiting with her mother, Mrs. J. L. Spangler and Col. Spangler, at their home on Allegheny street, will be in Bellefonte for the greater part of the fall, expecting later to close her home at Spangler and come here for the winter.

—Mr. and Mrs. Baracough and their small son, recently moved from Williamsport back to Bellefonte, and have been occupying the Hill house on east Bishop street vacated by the John P. Fretz family. Mr. Baracough had been associated with the Bellefonte Fuel and Supply Co., and when leaving there, went to Williamsport to live.

—Mr. and Mrs. William Carson, their daughter, Mrs. John Breen and her two children, Kenneth and Dean, all of Woodward, drove over to Bellefonte, Saturday, to spend the afternoon here in the shops. Mr. Carson devoting his time to his friends and looking after some business matters. The Carson family were former residents of Bellefonte.

—Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Bullock and their daughter Katherine left Bellefonte Monday, intending to make their home elsewhere. As planned their first stop would be made with their sons in Altoona, from there they expect to go to Pittsburg, then on west, their objective point being Oklahoma, where in all probability they will locate for the present.

—Mrs. Hiram Hiller and her two daughters, Miss Margaret and Mrs. Norris, arrived in Bellefonte Monday evening and were guests at the Bush House, while here for a visit with Mrs. J. Wesley Gephart and her daughter, Miss Elizabeth. The condition of Mrs. Gephart, who has been an invalid for many years, has become gradually worse during the past several weeks.

—Mrs. John A. Woodcock left Monday morning to go to Mount Union and from there by bus to McConnellsburg, to visit with the Sloan family and other relatives. Later she will go to Hagerstown and to Chambersburg, while at the latter place, which was her former home, she will be a guest of her two sisters and brother. Mrs. Woodcock had made no plans as to the length of her stay.

—Mrs. Levy Johnston, of Chicago, was a house guest of Mrs. John S. Walker and Miss Shortidge from Monday until Wednesday, having stopped in Bellefonte enroute to New York, to join Mr. Johnston and a party of friends for a motor trip to Canada and for the return drive to Chicago. Mrs. Johnston is a native of Bellefonte and as Miss Stella Nolan was well known both here and at Snow Shoe.

—Miss Emily Parker, accompanied by Miss Marie Hoy, arrived home Sunday from Philadelphia, where Miss Parker had been a patient, under the care of Dr. Chevalier Jackson, at the Jefferson hospital, since the fourth of September. Having been met at Tyrone by her sister, Miss Elizabeth Parker and Robt. Roan, she was taken directly to the Centre county hospital where she will be under treatment for the present.

—Mrs. Mary E. Miller, who makes her home with her son, Arthur J., at Erie, Pa., came to Bellefonte from State College, on Tuesday, and will spend some time with her sister, Mrs. Thomas Shaughnessy, on Howard street, before returning home. Mrs. Miller came to Centre county with her son Arthur, wife and two daughters, Mary and Charlotte, who motored to State College for Labor day. Arthur and family returned home the next day while Mrs. Miller remained for a two week's visit with her son Francis and family, at the College, before coming to Bellefonte.

—Mr. and Mrs. William S. Furst, their two younger daughters and Mrs. John Furst, drove up from Overbrook the latter part of last week, to attend the third reunion of the Furst family, held Saturday at Hecla park. Sixty in all represented the clan from all over the State, and so much enthusiasm has already been manifested that it promises to be one of the most successful family organizations of its time. Mr. and Mrs. Furst and Mrs. John Furst spent the week-end here with Mrs. A. O. Furst and the Curtin family, while the younger members of the party were guests of their cousin in Lock Haven, for the greater part of their stay.

—On Thursday afternoon we were surprised and delighted by a short visit from A. M. Hoover. Mr. and Mrs. Hoover had motored up from Landsdowne, with their son Lawrence, for a week's visit with Dr. and Mrs. E. J. Tibbens, at Beech Creek, and at their former home here. While other members of the party were viewing the trout "Gust" came in for a few moments of reminiscence with us. After he had gone our thoughts slipped back to the days when he and John C. Miller were running a book and stationery store in the Humes block which stood where Crider's Exchange is now located. The school children bought slates, pencils and other needed supplies there and it was a very popular place, especially the week before Valentine day. The Valentines then were almost entirely comics and cost a penny each. There were not many pennies in the pockets of the youth of that day so that a lot of us often wondered how several boys in the school were able to put so many in the box we had as a post-office here. Years later one of them, in reciting incidents of our school days, told us how he and so and so had pilfered hundreds of Valentines, while Mr. Miller and Mr. Hoover were looking out of the window.

—Among Mr. and Mrs. John Nighthart's Sunday guests, were their son and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Nighthart, of Muncy.

—Mrs. J. E. Ward has as house guests her son Harold and his family, who are here from Cleveland, spending Mr. Ward's vacation.

—Mrs. W. E. Hurley was taken again to the Clearfield hospital Tuesday, to continue her treatment under Dr. Waterworth and a possible operation.

—Mrs. Marion Lutz Coll, who has been under the care of Dr. Waterworth, of Clearfield, since going over to see him a week ago, is thought to be seriously ill at her home on east Howard street.

—The stay of Miss Bernice Crouse at her home in Smulton, was prolonged on account of the death of her mother, which occurred Saturday, the funeral being held from the Crouse home, Wednesday morning.

—The Misses Mary A. and Henrietta Butts, of Philadelphia, are expected in Bellefonte today to join Mr. and Mrs. Robert F. Hunter on a week or ten day's motor trip through New York State and Canada.

—Misses Helen Beizer, Emily Crider and Anne Straub motored down to Philadelphia, on Sunday, the first two on business while Miss Straub accompanied them just for the trip. They returned home on Tuesday evening.

—Mrs. Clyde Rosenberg is here from Indiana, for a month's visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jodon, and when returning home will be accompanied by her mother. Mrs. Rosenberg was formerly, Miss Katherine Jodon.

—Mrs. E. H. B. Callaway and her daughter, Mrs. Harry Garber, are expected here from Flushing, L. I., shortly. Mrs. Callaway coming for a visit with her daughter, Mrs. George B. Thompson and her family, while Mrs. Garber anticipating making her home in Bellefonte.

—Mrs. Earle C. Tuten, with her sons Tyrrell and John, drove up from Harrisburg, last Wednesday, to enter John as a Freshman at State College. Tyrrell went to Lafayette college, on Monday, where he matriculated in the theological department to study for the ministry.

—Miss Betty Lockington was called home from Mauch Chunk last week, by the sudden development of a serious condition in her mother, Mrs. Charles Lockington, who has been ill at her home on east High street, for several weeks. Mrs. Lockington, however, rallied and is now very much better.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Butterworth drove in from Williamsburg for a Sunday visit with Mrs. Butterworth's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Kilsely and were accompanied home by Miss Anne Keichino, who expects to spend two weeks with them at Wilkinsburg and with the Henry Lowry family at McKeesport.

—Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Beckman with their niece, Miss Sarah Woods Beckman, of Oakland, Cal., as a driving guest, motored over from Altoona, Tuesday, to spend the late afternoon and evening, with Miss Mary and Henry S. Linn. Miss Beckman had stopped in Altoona enroute to Cambridge, where she has accepted a scholarship to do graduate work at Rad cliff.

—Miss Helen E. C. Overton and Miss Isabella Hill, have both returned to Bellefonte, to resume their work as members of the faculty of the Bellefonte Academy. Miss Overton had spent the summer at Atlantic City, while Miss Hill had been at her home at Norwich, Conn., much of her summer, however, had been spent on a trip to Yellowstone Park and other places of natural interest in the west.

—Mr. and Mrs. William T. Speer Jr., of Crafton, their son William, and Mrs. Harris Mann, of Lewistown, spent a part of Wednesday afternoon with friends in Bellefonte. Mr. and Mrs. Speer had driven in from Pittsburgh, to enter their youngest son at the Susquehanna University, and it was while making a visit with Mrs. Mann that they drove here. From Lewistown they intended going to Cambridge Springs, for a week of golf, before returning home.

—Miss Humes, Mrs. Charles Gilmore, Katherine Allison and Miss Sara Caldwell, left Tuesday morning in the Allison car, for Philadelphia, where they have been at the Adelphi until today. Upon leaving there they will go to Atlantic City, the party to be Miss Humes, Mr. Gilmore in the meantime, having gone east to join his wife, will go up to Philadelphia with Mrs. Gilmore and Miss Allison, the Gilmours to visit with their daughter, Miss Margaret and Miss Allison to spend some time with Mrs. Dashiell at George School, Pa. At the end of their three weeks stay at Atlantic City, Miss Humes and Miss Caldwell will join Miss Allison for the return drive to Bellefonte.

—On Saturday an old acquaintance, whom we hadn't seen for years and years, dropped in to see us. It was J. G. Packer, of Burrows, Pa. Perhaps that doesn't mean much to most of you, but some know that Packer is a very well known name down about Howard. It was "Gib" who came to see us and he was a great character in his early days in Centre county. Years have mellowed the rough and ready woodsman and good fortune followed his going to McKean county where he has supervision of getting out the wood for a great chemical mill. He and his son George decided they would take a little motor trip, so they just got out the Buick, stepped on the gas and came down to see a few friends in Centre county.

—The remodeling of the cornice on the Heverly-Harter-Parish block, on the northeast corner of the Diamond, is going to add very materially to the appearance of the structure. It does much toward relieving its severity and squatness.

—A new finish to the front of the Mingle shoe store room, on Allegheny street, is in exceedingly good taste and very appropriate for a store carrying a quality stock.

Bellefonte Grain Markets.

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