

Democratic Watchman.

Bellefonte, Pa., Oct. 23, 1891.

TO CORRESPONDENTS.—No communications published unless accompanied by the real name of the writer.

THINGS ABOUT TOWN & COUNTY

Oh, ye gentle zephyrs
That round my pathway whiz,
Is there no quiet place on earth
Where perfect quiet is—
One single spot in solitude,
Alone with thick with flies;
You bet there is; go watch the store.
That doesn't advertise.—*Er.*

—Opera House—Kindergarten—
To-night.

—Snow fell in Snow Shoe on Tuesday afternoon.

—Fine gold wall paper, from 8cts. to 20cts at Williams;

—Read Fauble's supplement and advertisement. A word to the wise is all that is necessary.

—Choice winter apples can be bought in most any Centre county orchard at 12 cents per bushel.

—The "sleepy boy" and the bad children in "The Kindergarten" to night will furnish amusement for all.

—Mrs. C. T. Gerberich has a geranium plant, at her home on North Thomas street, which is 8 feet 6 inches in height.

—If you would be dressed properly read Fauble's "ad" as to a stylish outfit, and then read his supplement as to how to get it.

—A broken down wagon loaded with hay made a veritable picnic for all the bovine strollers, on water street, on Wednesday morning.

—A practical joke almost made Harry Shaffer, Bellefonte's popular young photographer, believe that he had fallen heir of \$72,000.

—Chairman Shaffer has opened Democratic county committee rooms in Garman's block next door to the entrance to the opera house.

—J. W. Hafer, proprietor of the Osceola House, at Osceola Mills departed for his home on Monday morning. He had been visiting Centre county friends.

—A one hundred and twenty five pound pumpkin is the pride of Centre Hall people. The big vegetable measures six feet and three inches in circumference.

—Don't fail to attend the chicken and waffle supper, in the Y. M. C. A. rooms to-morrow evening. Tickets only 30 cents. For the benefit of the Coleville M. E. Chapel.

—Four Lock Haven bicyclists came to town, on their wheels, on Sunday and returned in the afternoon. It took them about four hours to make the trip up. A distance of twenty eight miles.

—Hon. John H. Orvis, has been spending the past two weeks in Harrisburg acting in the capacity of counsel for McCamant the Auditor General whose methods are now being investigated by the senate.

—Valentine Reese, of Wallace's Run, Boggs township, died at his home on Friday afternoon about one o'clock. Deceased had been a trooper in the 1st Penna. Cavalry and was on the roster of the Geo. L. Potter Post, No. 26, of Milesburg.

—We regret to learn of the death of old Mrs. Tobias, of Millheim, which occurred at her home, in that place, on the 18th inst. This most estimable old lady was the mother of ex-Recorder William A. Tobias and had passed the 83th mile stone of her life.

—W. B. Maitland, proprietor of the Bellefonte Boiler Works, suffered a very painful accident on Tuesday morning. While hammering a piece of steel a small clip flew and struck him, just below the right, cutting a very ugly, though not serious, gash.

—Our good old democratic friend Charley McGarvey, from Unionville, was in town on Wednesday and came in to shake hands. While here he showed us one of the nice letters that Morrison the Republican candidate for Auditor General has been writing to the old soldiers throughout the state, but Charley says "we're too old to be fooled."

—The "poor, insignificant, school-boy of an editor," as he calls himself, of the Gazette has been called down for an attempt to spring a joke at the expense of good english. He attempted to correct the best authorities on punctuation so that he could make a pun on Prof. Mill's name. Gazette you are all right on "Billingsgate," but when it comes down to anything else, the less said the better.

—Our long time friend and fellow townsman, Maj. R. H. Foster, now of Harrisburg, was elected as member of the Military order of the Loyal Legion, commandery of Pennsylvania, at a meeting of that body in Philadelphia on the 14th inst. There is no man more deserving the honor such an election brings for one who will reflect greater credit upon the organization, than Major Foster.

A LONG LIFE ENDED.—The oldest resident of Millheim, Mrs. Rev. Tobias, of North street, has passed away and gone into the world beyond, having attained the ripe age of 89 years, 3 months and 10 days. Grandmother Tobias, for a lady of her age, had been remarkably healthy and active until within a few months of her death; when her accident of falling down a flight of stairs prostrated her on a bed of sickness from which she did not rise again. In addition to the injuries received by the fall she became a sufferer from dropsy, the immediate cause of her death. On Tuesday afternoon, Oct. 13th, about four o'clock, the death angel visited her couch, and she gently fell into that peaceful sleep from which none ever awakes. While she has entered into the realms of bliss which await all that have lived righteous lives her surviving family, comprising five sons and three daughters, mourn the loss of a loving, devoted mother, and the community counts one less of its worthiest and most esteemed citizens.

Mrs. Tobias, whose maiden name was Elizabeth Fisher, was born in Berks county, near Sinking Springs, July 3rd, 1802. Feb. 9th, 1824 she was joined in holy matrimony with Rev. D. S. Tobias of Bloomsburg, a prominent minister of the Reformed church. After residing there for twenty-three years they removed to Rebersburg, where the gentleman served the Reformed church until his death in 1864. Their union was blessed with ten children, eight of whom are living. They are Calvin, living in New Hampshire, Jackson, and Mrs. Selma Bomboy, whose homes are in Columbia county, and William, Snyder, Lewis, Mrs. Amelia Auman and Mrs. Elizabeth Miller, the latter five being residents of this place. Their combined age is 434 years. After the death of her husband Mrs. Tobias and family moved to Millheim, then to Aaronsburg, and back to Rebersburg. In 1876 she disposed of her property there and became a permanent resident of this borough, her two sons, ex-recorder Tobias and Snyder Tobias, both single, sharing the North street home with her.—*Journal.*

POLICE NOTES.—For the last two weeks the force has had its hands full in getting the rowdies all corraled, but on Saturday night they were pretty well rounded up. After the fight of Wednesday night the colored offenders were held for court and all the charges possible brought against them.

Saturday was a full one for the police. Many drunks were seen on the streets and chief Gares had a hard time keeping everything quiet. In the evening Wm. Hannon, a puddler at the Nail Works, was arrested in front of the Brockerhoff House for carrying a loaded revolver, which he had been brandishing in a way that struck terror to the hearts of people about the big hotel. He was committed to jail for court.

George Showers was arrested, and fined two dollars, for committing a nuisance in front of the Opera House, and the night's work was wound up by the arrest of a one armed tramp, who was making things unpleasant for everyone with whom he came in contact. Upon promise to leave town he was released.

We are glad to see that the police are awakening to the fact that sober, inoffensive people have rights on the streets as well as the drunks and toughs who have been holding sway all fall, and whose profanity and insulting remarks have materially injured the business of some of the houses near which they congregate. Policemen when you have cleared every corner, and every curb of loafers, and have stopped the foul language which is continually heard on our streets, then you will have merited, and will receive, the praise of every respectable citizen.

COLLEGE BOYS JUBILANT.—Saturday was a great day for the foot-ball teams of the Pennsylvania State College. The first eleven was sent down to Philadelphia to open the State League championship season with Swarthmore College and returned Monday morning with a victory of 44 to 0 while the Reserves succeeded in doing up the Altoona players by the score of 8 to 2. The students are highly elated over the excellent showing the first team made and are now more certain than ever that the championship will come to the big Centre county institution. In their game with the Quakers the P. S. C. boys displayed superior training and much better teamwork than their opponents who were supposed to have been in the best condition. From the relative play of the two elevens a pretty fair inference could be drawn as to the probable result of the championship season.

HE THANKS THEM ALL.—Mr. T. D. Weaver, of Moshannon, takes this opportunity of thanking the many friends who have so kindly assisted him, in his hours of trial, since he burned him out of house and home. He thoroughly appreciates the good will of the people of that vicinity and hopes to repay it, in some measure ere long. No one, knows the value of a friend until one is needed and friends in need are the greatest boon to suffering humanity.

—After October 31st Gray's big store at Philipsburg will be conducted on a strictly cash plan.

—A little child of Mr. Alex Heverly, of Blanchard, died on Thursday night of last week.

—The Oak Hall roller mill has been sold, at administrator's sale, to Mr. D. C. Gingerich for \$11,000. The late S. H. Weaver was the owner.

—A Tyrone stock company is going to build an Opera house for that place. The new play house will be opened about New Year's time.

—The entire satisfaction given by the Kindergarten company, when here last season is the best card it could desire for a good house to-night.

—The handsome cards and programmes recently received at this office are eliciting much admiration from all who see them. If you want a neat and artistic announcement folders, dance cards or menus call and see them.

—The Curwensville Match factory is among the things of the past. All the machinery and accoutrements have been sold and now nothing remains to tell the tale of a once promising industry, but the building in which it operated.

—Our little neighbor the News is now being edited from a neat, new sanctum. The move down stairs was a good one and if the style of the sprightly little daily is kept in accord with that of its new quarters it must certainly become an excellent journal. Drop in and see how fine things are.

—The dedicatory service, for the new Reformed church at Zion, will be held on Sunday, November 1st. Rev. S. K. Evans, of Sanbury, will preach the sermon. Morning, afternoon and evening services will be held on Sunday and preparatory service will be held to-night and to-morrow night.

—The district convention of Royal Arcanum will be held in Philipsburg on the 12th of next month. The counties of Lycoming, Clinton, Centre, Clearfield, Cambria, Jefferson, Blair and Huntingdon are included in the district and will send councils. Owen D. Robert, Grand Regent of Pennsylvania, and a number of other high "muckledoodles" will be there.

—Mrs. Ganoe and Miss Owens of Philipsburg, were among the delegates to the meeting of the W. C. T. U. at Bradford, last week, who were poisoned by something they ate or drank at a dinner given the delegates by the McKean county organization. They were reported as terribly sick for awhile, but came out all right. About one hundred delegates were effected in the same way. There were no fatal results.

FOUND IN AN ASH PILE.—While clearing away an ash pile at the Pennsylvania railroad station at Sanbury, says the Daily of that place, a bag containing a lot of money in silver was uncovered. The boys who found the bag turned it over to Ticket Agent Smith, who in turn handed it over to Trainmaster Attig. The place where the money was found had been cleaned out only three days previous. There was nothing to show to whom the money belonged. The Daily did not state the amount of money the bag contained.—*Lock Haven Democrat.*

A BANK DRAINED DRY.—The Pittsburg Dispatch, of Oct. 16th, has the following to say concerning the condition of the Clearfield bank when it closed:

"Receiver Richard Haywood, of Mercer, is here, and has charge of the First National Bank. Examiner Miller had affairs in good shape, so that the receiver can go ahead with the settlement. Neither will say anything regarding the affairs, but facts regarding the bank have leaked out.

It seems that Dill has been doing a tremendous business during the past year, his accounts reaching nearly \$1,000,000 since last fall. That is, he has had that much credited to his individual account at various times. Another secret, that is just out, is that of the \$40,000 claimed to have been drawn out by a depositor during the last three days before the bank closed. Dill and his people drew \$37,000. This left not \$3,000 to be drawn by the depositors. It is also to be shown that Dill took away during the last two days \$35,000 worth of good paper and had it re-discounted, putting his own individual paper in its place. The officers claim that they can recover this, and will try to do so. Some of this paper went to the Curwensville bank, of which Dill's son-in-law is cashier.

Efforts are now being made to trace the rest of the paper and enter proceedings against the holders. Official say there are six separate and distinct charges to be made against Dill, and that they will insist on having him tried separately on each. The officers of the bank are doing all in their power to aid the receiver in saving something from what is now known to be a mere wreck of a bank. When the doors closed Wednesday, September 30, there were but \$1,400 left in the bank vaults.

HIS SKULL CRUSHED.—Scarcely a week passes that we are not called upon to record some frightful accident which has happened in one of Bellefonte's many large industrial plants. This time it was the Nail Works which furnish the data for the account of a misfortune which, in all probability, will prove fatal to an employee.

Last Friday evening Charles Winner, of Lock Haven, came to town and found employment as a helper on the No. 2 puddling furnace at the mill and commenced work at his new job. Everything went well until Tuesday evening, last, when by a slight oversight he sustained injuries which, if they have not already done so, will undoubtedly result in his death.

In all big iron mills, where bar iron is manufactured, there is a system of "telegraph" or overhead tracks, upon which large pulleys, carrying an immense pair of tongs, are guided from the puddling furnaces to the rolls. Each furnace has an individual track, for a short distance, but eventually they all shift off onto one main rod; and, on this account, great care must be taken lest some of the switch gates are left open.

Winner was running a one hundred pound block of puddled iron out to the rolls, not noticing that his switch was open, when, with a mighty crash, the ponderous pulley and chain fell on the unwarned workman. Striking him on the side of the head he fell to the floor a lifeless mass. The great iron wheel had crushed his skull and the blood was spurting out in all directions. His fellow workmen hastened for a physician who, after making a superficial examination of the wounds, had him removed to the Garman House. All night Tuesday and all day Wednesday he lay in an unconscious condition. Hovering between life and death, but about noon he rallied sufficiently to encourage the surgeons to perform an operation.

The skull was so fractured and crushed that a hole large enough to admit a finger, was found just above the ear, and inside the blood had clotted in a manner that was extremely dangerous. At the operation this was removed with a small portion of the brain and it is believed that the skull will have to be trepanned if the condition of the patient will warrant it.

The unfortunate man's brothers, George and Edward arrived here, from Lock Haven, on Wednesday morning and took their brother home on the Day Express. He is a single man, only twenty-four years old, and it seems sad indeed, that he should have been stricken down in the vigor of young manhood without a moments warning.

COUNCIL MONDAY NIGHT.—Barely a quorum was present in the council chamber, on Monday evening, when the meeting was called to order and the minutes of the previous session read and approved. In the line of new business ex-Sheriff Lingle was present to ask that a light be put, on Spring street, near his residence. Council voted to put an incandescent lamp at the corner of Spring street and Kline's alley. A communication, from the Chief Burgess, asking for funds with which to purchase new uniforms and overcoats for the policemen was referred to the Fire, Police and Finance committees. All committees reported progress with their work. The most important business considered was that concerning the drainage pipe, to be laid down High street, from the Court House. Commissioners Adams and Goodhart were present with the borough engineer, Mr. D. M. Butts, to take exception to the offer, request of council, in the matter of laying the sewer pipe down High street. The commissioners took exception to the size of the pipe being 20 inches as it was larger than would at any time be required for the accommodation of the county buildings and all the private houses on High street. After convincing the council of this fact a resolution was offered by Mr. Williams that permission be given them to put down a ten inch pipe, and that they be required to put a cross every one hundred feet for convenience in tapping the pipe; and for the additional cost of said cross all persons tapping the pipe shall be charged a small amount by council and it will refund to the commissioners the amount expended for the cross over and above the cost of an average joint of pipe. The question was thoroughly discussed and it seems now as if both commissioners and council will soon reach that point when an article of agreement will be entered into and then the work commenced.

With the approval of a small number of bills council adjourned.

THREE CHANGES.—Not long ago John Bauer purchased the fruit stand, on High street, from Louis Bagnarelli, the little Italian, and ran it with much success until last week, when his brother Vince resigned his position in the firm of V. J. Bauer & Co. to accept the position of book-keeper for Brockerhoff Bros. This change made it necessary for John to sell his stand and return to the Allegheny street store. Lew. McQuestion was the purchaser and he will continue serving the patrons of the stand with fine fruit and nuts.

—Maud S. is no longer "Queen of the Turf" for Sunol has lowered the record to 2:08 and once more the sporting fraternity is given a new love.

—Brown back wall paper, at 8cts and 4cts per bolt, at Williams;

—It is reported that the recent bank failures in the Clearfield region have increased the demand for shares in local building and loan associations.

—Novelties in furniture and wall paper are the order of the day at E. Brown, Jr's on Bishop street.

—Pretty girls, catchy songs, good comedians, fancy dancing and laughable effects will be the attractions offered by "the Kindergarten" to-night.

—We have the largest stock of home made buggies in the county and at the lowest figures for the grade of work. McQuestion & Co.

—Just when the relationship between Gates of the Daily News and Wanamaker was discovered we are at a loss to know. But Charley calls him uncle all the same.

—White back wall paper, from 6cts to 10cts per bolt, at Williams;

—For the benefit of the Coleville M. E. Chapel, a chicken and waffle supper will be served in the Y. M. C. A. rooms to-morrow, Saturday evening. Tickets only 30 cents.

—Wall paper in every shade and pattern at E. Brown, Jr's on Bishop street.

—Dr. E. W. Hale and family left on Tuesday morning for New York where they will sail for Europe. They will winter in southern Italy and France and it is to be hoped that the doctor will return, in the spring, much benefited in health.

—19 new buggies, 5 second hand, and one 2nd hand spring wagon for sale at bottom prices by McQuestion & Co.

—Dr. Laurie's lecture on "scenes and incidents in Europe," in the chapel, on Wednesday evening, was enjoyed by quite a large audience. The doctor's impressions of what he saw while abroad proved an entertaining theme for those who heard him.

—If you want furniture cheap, E. Brown, Jr's is the place to get it.

—W. F. Markie, the popular young clerk in Joseph Brothers & Co's. mammoth store, in this place, was married to Miss Kate Fry, of Williamsport, on Wednesday evening. The happy couple arrived in town on Thursday morning and a reception was given them at the home of the groom's father.

—If you are in need of a buggy, go to McQuestion & Co. the only manufacturers in Bellefonte who ever served time at the business.

—The famous One Hundred and Forty-ninth Regiment, or "Bucktails," held its ninth annual reunion, at Huntingdon, on Tuesday, and elected the following officers: President, Lieutenant Colonel James Glenn, Allegheny; Secretary, W. R. Johnston, Pittsburg; Treasurer, Captain J. C. Barkley, Cameron county. The next annual meeting will be held at Curwensville.

—J. H. Meyers Esq., formerly of this place, but for years back a resident of Rochester N. Y., has been nominated as the Democratic candidate for Senate for the 29th district of that state. Mr. Meyers has every qualification to make a creditable and intelligent representative and is imbued with that kind of Democracy and honesty, that will secure to the people of that section, a lawmaker whose chief aim will be to do that which is best for all classes, and legitimate interests. His election, we have every reason to believe is beyond a doubt, and his many friends in Pennsylvania join us in congratulations for himself as well as the party that has shown such good judgment in making him its nominee.

MR. AND MRS. ROBERT MCKNIGHT JR.—Monday evening the McKnight home, on Lamb street, was the scene of much gaiety and pleasure. It was occasioned by the home coming of the sea with his pretty young bride. Bob, as he is familiarly known by everyone, is a promising and industrious young gentleman and in every way qualified to make a good husband for the fair Philadelphia girl whom he has brought home as his bride. They were married in the Quaker city, on last Thursday morning at 9 o'clock, and after a short sojourn at Atlantic, arrived here at 8-49 Monday evening. A large party was awaiting their coming and when the happy couple put in their appearance they found themselves in the midst of a large reception given in their honor.

The bride will be remembered as having visited Bellefonte during the past summer and while here she made hosts of friends who will be glad to welcome her into Bellefonte society. She was Miss Sadie McKnight and was a cousin of the groom.

—Fine job work of ever description

—The finest and largest line of Foreign and Domestic woollens for suitings and overcoats ever shown by us. Full assortment of Ready Made clothing Hats, Caps, and Furnishing Goods. MONTGOMERY & Co. Tailors.

DILL WAIVES A HEARING.—Last Friday was the day set for the hearing of ex-bank President Dill, before United States Commissioner Ambrose, at Altoona. He was not present, however, being represented by his attorneys who furnished bail for his appearance before the United States court, which convenes in Pittsburg, the second week in November. \$20,000 was required on each charge. W. W. Betts, A. W. Lee, A. E. Patton and D. R. Fullerton are the bondsmen.

—McQuestion & Co. is where you get just what you are told you are getting, so that is the place to get your buggies. No old buggies sold for new ones.

—State College people will remember the family of Mr. Hud Love, who used to work in that vicinity, and will be pained to learn that since moving to Pittsburg he has suffered many misfortunes. The latest has been the diphtheria scourge, from which Nellie, the oldest daughter, died, while Mrs. Love and two of her children are not expected to live. Hud has had two fingers cut off in a circular saw, and altogether the family is in a bad shape.

—E. Brown, Jr., wants you to see his stock at his store on Bishop street.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.—William D. Bartges, of Millheim, and Mary E. Elgin, of Logan Mills.

A. G. Gardner and Emma E. Bush, of Union township.

C. D. Loraine and Katie L. Childs, both of Philipsburg.

William Giesewille and Cordia Williams, both of Philipsburg.

—Embossed gold wall paper, 12cts, and upwards, at Williams;

—A new one hundred horse power engine has been added to the Edison Electric Illuminating Co's plant, on Lamb street. A new engine room 33 x 50ft will be built adjoining the station and all of the old building will then be used for dynamos.

WHY SHOULD'NT YOU?—If you need a Monument or a Tombstone buy it this fall at A. M. Motz's Marble Yard. It will pay you, as he has a very large stock on hand that he will sell now much cheaper than next spring. Call and see for yourselves and you will not regret it. You will not need to buy unless you wish to 39-3t

—The following letters remain in the Bellefonte P. O. unclaimed, Oct. 20th, '91. P. S. Bergen, Robert Blanden, John F. Casey, Mr. Drape, Annie Dunlap, F. B. Doney, Susan Harle, Mrs. S. S. Serepta Roy, George Rice, J. M. Smith, Roy Tate.

When called for please advise advertiser. J. A. FIEDLER, P. M.

TO TEACHERS! Supply educational papers lower than publishers rates Ed. News, weekly \$1.25 per year; School Journal, large weekly, \$2.50; Institute monthly, \$1.25. W. C. McFEE, Philipsburg, Pa.

TO THE CITIZENS OF Bellefonte and Community. I have opened the largest and best line of trimmed and untrimmed hats ever displayed in this county. I have Miss Batlier, of New York, to assist me in trimming. I invite all to call and examine goods, styles, work and prices, and compare with others. 36 38 41* SNYDER SISTERS.

Sale Register Nov. 4th.—At the residence of J. Roof, four miles west of Unionville, at ten o'clock. Horses, cows, young cattle, implements, harness, and household goods.

Bellefonte Produce Market. Corrected weekly by Geo. W. Jackson & Co.

The following are the quotations up to 10 o'clock, Thursday evening, when our paper goes to press:

New wheat	95
Old wheat, per bushel	95
Red wheat, per bushel	95
Rye, per bushel	80
Corn, ears, per bushel	35
Corn, shelled, per bushel	35
Oats—new, per bushel	28
Barley, per bushel	65
Ground Plaster, per ton	6.50
Buckwheat per bushel	50
Cloverseed, per bushel	\$4.00 to \$6.00

Bellefonte Produce Markets. Corrected weekly by Sechler & Co.

Potatoes per bushel 25
Eggs, per dozen 20
Lard, per pound 8
Country shoulders 20
Sides 8
Hams 15 1/2
Pig feet per pound 4
Butter per pound 25

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Papers will not be sent out of Centre county unless paid for in advance.

A liberal discount is made to persons advertising by the quarter, half year, or year, as follows:

SPACE OCCUPIED.	3m	6m	1y
One inch (12 lines this type).....	\$ 5	\$ 8	\$ 11
Two inches.....	7	10	15
Three inches.....	10	15	20
Quarter Column (4 1/2 inches).....	12	20	35
Half Column (9 inches).....	20	35	55
One Column (19 inches).....	35	55	100

Advertisements in special column, 25 per cent. additional.

Transient ads. per line, 3 insertions.....20 cts. Each additional insertion, per line.....5 cts. Local notices, per line.....25 cts. Business notices, per line.....10 cts. Job Printing of every kind done with neatness and dispatch. The Watchman office has been refitted with lower presses and new type, and everything in the printing line can be executed in the most artistic manner and at the lowest rates. Terms—CASH. All orders should be addressed to P. GRAY NEEK, Proprietor.