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THINGS ABOUT TOWN & COUNTY

-The teachers will leave us todav.

Don't forget the Logan ball on New Year's ove.

-Bellefonte amateurs are preparing to sing the comic opera "Priscilla.

----Straighten up your accounts at this office. We need the money you OWA 115.

----Two young Coburn hunters bert, State Normal School, Bloomsburg, killed a 436lb. bear one day last week. Pa. Miss Margaret McCloskey, princi-Both boys were young. pal training department, Lock Haven

-A. T. James, of Philipsburg, has been appointed a deputy-factory inspector by Governor Hastings.

-Wilson Gephart, son of J. W. Gephart Esq., is confined to his home with a mild attack of scarlet fever. academy, at Chester.

es marked the close of the fall term at the Bellefonte High school last Friday.

----Yesterday was a very busy day in Bellefonte. Such crowds of people have not been seen on the streets in a long time

-----Read Achenbach's ad if you York male quartet want to know where to get Christmas candies, cakes, ices and novelties at rock bottom prices.

---- Chas. E. Murray and Lot W. Jones have purchased the plant of the Forge Run lumber company, in Philof speaker and after his address subipsburg, and will continue the business.

---- Mrs. E. A. D. Blair's chalk talk on temperance attracted quite a crowd to the court house Sunday afternoon. It was a talk to young people and thoroughly beneficial.

----Editor Chas. R. Kurtz, of the Democrat, is confined to bed with a severe cold. His paper is out, bright and newsy as ever, however. We hope his recovery will be speedy.

-----The Logan's New Year's eve dance should attract a large crowd of people to the armory on that night. Good music, good order and a good time is guaranteed to all.

----- Ceader's bakery is one place in startled by the cry of "fire" and though town where everything toothsome can the first warning did not foretell an be had. It is Bollefonte's old reliable alarming situation an investigation disstand and you will make no mistake in closed that the large grain house and going there for your holiday confections. ablaze.

The absence of fire protection made it ---- Frank Williams, electrician at most alarming and by the time the fire

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wood.

session to-day.

tore the happy young folks.

BIG FIRE AT COBURN.-Late Tues-

day night the town of Coburn was

THE FORTY-NINTH ANNUAL INSTI. -Help the Logans by buying a TUTE .- The public school teachers of ticket to their dance. Centre county met in this place, last

-A Williamsport seamstress is se-Monday morning, to begin the fortyninth annual session of their institute. much tea Of the 274 teachers employed all but ten answered to their names, so it will

-If you want to buy a useful. as he inferred that from point of numbers well, as a beautiful, Christmas present. the sessions have been highly successful. go to China Hall and see the many All of the instructors advertised have charming things there. been in attendance during the week and

no disappointments have been exper--The Pennsylvania state music ienced. They are : Dr. J. P. Gordy, teacher's association will meet in Pittsprofessor of psychology and pedagogy burg, Dec. 30th, 31st, and Jan. 1st. The of the travelers whom you meet and ask in the Ohio University. Dr. Byron meeting will be held in the new Car- about Chicago hotels, will speak of the W. King, president King's school of negie hall.

Oratory, Elocution and Dramatic Cul------Because he is going to quit the ture, Pittsburgh, Pa. Dr. A. R. Horne, editor National Educator, Allentown, business now is your time to buy cheap stoves and everything in the hardware Pa. Supt. James M. Coughlin line at McKee's. The lowest prices Wilkesbarre, Pa. Prof. Chas. H. Alever heard of prevail there.

-The death of the venerable David R. Poorman occurred at the home of State Normal School. Prof. I. D. his son. Isaiah, in "the Ridges" a few Gresh, musical conductor, Milton, Pa. days ago. Deceased was 80 years old In addition to the above Powell the and leaves two sons and one daughter. magician, gave the teachers a short talk

-Hardware is not exactly in the on Tuesday afternoon. He was once professor of mathematics at the military line of Christmas purchases, yet you can find many articles that would The evening attractions, all of which make useful and appropriate gifts at Daniel Irvin's sons store in this place. were good, were : Monday, December

16th, temperance address, Mrs. E. A. D. -Mrs Lena Straw, of Lock Ha-Blair. Tuesday, December 17th, "Push ven, has disappeared from her home in and Pull," Dr. A. R. Horne. Wednesthat place and is supposed to have dav, December 18th, artistic recitals eloped with Joseph Salistro, an Italian and character sketches, Dr. Byron W. who had gone to that place from Al-King. Thursday, December 19th, New toons

Yesterday was directors day and ----E. M. Huyett, the Centre Hall many of the men who control the school lumberman, is going to .remove to system of the county were in town to Franklin county where he will begin attend the meetings of the director's asextensive operations. He has cut all sociation. Sup't. James M. Coughlin. the timber he could procure in this Wilkesbare, was the principal county.

jects pertinent to better schools Tyrone minister, died at his home in discussed by other compethat place, on Saturday night, with kidtent men among whom were ney disease. Deceased was nearly 72 Dr. Geo. S. Frank, W. M. Allison, years old and was a brother of Mrs. him to the ground. He was smashed C. C. Lose, Chas. Smith, W. M. Grove, James C. Boal, of Centre Hall. J. T. Lee, J. P. Sebring, J. N. Hall, D. F. Fortney, Esq., Theo. Christ, John

---- Everyone should patronize the D. Brown, P. D. McDonnell, Dr. L. chicken and waffle supper to be given M. Houser, R. K. Wilson, J. C. P. by the Citizen's book and ladder com-Jones, W. E. Irvin and Owen Underpany of Milesburg, on Tuesday evening, December 24th, in the O.U. A. Institute will close with the morning M. hall in that place. It is a worthy

---- The sympathy of this community will go out to Mrs. Jennie Williams, widow of the late Aaron Williams, Esq., when it is known that her brother, Lynn H. Fisher, died at Richmond, creamery of Luther Guisewhite was Ind., lately. Deceased was born at Aaronsburg, in this county, and his death is a sad shock to Mrs. Williams.

there is nothing quite so pleasant as finding himself comfortably ensconced in a well regulated, thoroughly modern riously ill as the result of drinking too hotel. No matter how long business might detain one in a strange city there is always one name, at least, that has a familiar sound in the long list of hotels, and with that familiarity comes the conviction that it is a first class stopping place. For any other kind is rarely heard of, unless through some unfortunate who has been caught. Nine-tenths

LIKE GOING HOME .--- To the traveler

Palmer house. Its name is almost synomymous with the city whose millions of visitors it has done so much to entertain. One of the old, conservative houses of Chicago it has not allowed itself to be outstripped by those of more modern build, but is still the peer of all and the superior of many. Lately refurnished and improved it has taken a bold step in reducing its prices while making its service more complete. While in Chicago you could not find a

more desirable or centrally located stop. ping place than the Palmer house.

CRUSHED TO DEATH AT PHILIPSBURG. frightful death at Cold Stream, near Philipsburg, on Wednesday morning. He was employed by Peter Stuart, who is shipping mine prop timber to the anthracite regions, and on the morning of the accident one car had already been loaded. Mr. Stuart hitched his horses to it to pull it away and make room for another car. Young Simcox was standing at the side of the loaded car and did not notice that when the last log had been swung onto it the derrick chain was left lying on top of the pile. As the car moved off the chain rolled down over the logs and became caught on one ---- Rev. J. C. Barr, a well known of the side standards, breaking it off. Before Simcox could realize what was

happening three of the heavy props rolled off the car and fell on him crushing almost to a jelly and death was almost instantaneous.

The unfortunate young man is a son of Robert Simcox, the bee raiser, of Queen's Run, near Lock Haven.

WHERE TO GET THEM .- The Logan fire Co., of this place, still have a few organization and a great boon to that chances left on the handsome gold watch they intend putting off on New Year's eve, the night of their 26th annual ball, and have placed some of them on sale at the following places :

> Frank Galbraith's jewelry store, Cruse's cigar store, John Anderson's restaurant, J. D. Sourbeck's confectionery store, J. A. McGinley's cigar store, Geo. Fasig's grocery store, the

-It is very enjoyable to look on. if you don't care to dance, at the Logan's New Year's eve ball.

-All shades Camel's hair sorge, 11 yards wide, 34cts at Lyon & Co. ----H. H. Hewitt, of Philipsburg, has been appointed to a position in the adjutant general's office at Harrisburg. -Leather goods a specialty at

Zeller's. -Men's all wool cheviot suits, at

Lyon & Co's. at \$4.75. -The P. & N. W. rail-road com-

pany has granted an annual appropriation of \$1,000 to the Bellwood rail-road men's Christain association.

ed, on Monday evening. It has a seating capacity of fifteen hundred and was built by banker Patrick Kane.

-Leather goods a specialty at Zeller's

-Children's overcoats, with and without capes, from 98 cents up to the finest at Lyon & Co's.

-J. A. Campbell, of Morrisdale, is said to have fallen heir to a fourth in-O. W. Simcox, aged 24 years, met a terest in a \$2,000,000 estate left by a rich aunt who died in Atlantic City, N. J.

> -Feather boas at 50 and 74cts, and the best at \$1.65 at Lyon & Co's.

-It is said that there are only two sheep left in Crawford township, Clinton county, as the result of the ravages of sheep killing dogs. There are eightyone dogs assessed in the township.

-In order to sell them 75 cent a pair cheaper than the regular prices Lyon & Co. have bought blankets in very large quantities.

-William Chatham, the Mill Hall nan who was supposed to have lost his eye through a spawl from a nail flying into it, has been more fortunate and will recover the sight of that member.

-Good morning, have you seen Zeller's holiday goods?

-Another new lot of boucle and plain cloth ladies coats at Lyon & Co's.

-Judge Barker, of Cambria coupty, has ruled that under the act of 1872 their county commissioners dare not draw more than \$400 per annum and as they had been charging \$3.50 per day he ordered them to return all in excess of \$400 that they had drawn.

-A lot of boy's winter caps, a broken assortment, will go at 15 cents at Lyon & Co's. They are worth double the price.

News Purely Personal.

AVOIRDUPOIS SOCIAL .-- An avoirdupois social will be given by the ladies aid society of the Eagleville Baptist church, Saturday evening, Dec. 21st, 1895, in Kune's hall at that place. It will be a novel affair. Scales will be procured and every one weighed will be assessed one cent for every ten pounds avoirdupois. Prizes will be awarded to the heaviest and lightest lady and gentleman in attendance. Luncheon free to those that are weighed. Cream, oysters, etc., extra.

An excellent Christmas entertainment will be given by the Baptist Sunday school and choir at Eagleville, Tuesday evening, Dec. 24th. The music will be fine and a good time in general is expected. A small admittance, not exceeding 10 cents, will be taken.

-Now is the time to buy your men's storm overcoats. Lyon & Co. sell good ones at \$3.75, \$4.50, \$5.50 and

--- Good morning, have you seen Zeller's holiday goods ?

A SHORT SESSION OF COUNCIL .- At the meeting of council, on Monday evening, only two committees reported. The Street committee announced that \$49 had been collected from T. A. Shoemaker, as his share of the cost of the new boardwalk on Potter street. Several repairs were reported and then the Water committee reported that all the water plugs had been examined and found to be in good condition. The pumps are running fourteen hours per day

Bills to the amount of \$291.20 were ordered to be paid and council adiourned

-Leather goods a specialty a Zeller's.

Men's nobby hats, in black and brown, at 99 cts. \$1.24, \$1.39, \$1.74 and upwards at Lyon & Co's.

-The Gazette and Bulletin office. at Williamsport, narrowly escaped destruction by fire on Tuesday.

-Lyon & Co. are selling a special bargain in ladies kid gloves at 75 and 85 cents, worth \$1 and \$1.25 per pair.

FOR SALE. - A team of heavy draft horses, 8 years old. Will weigh 1600 lbs. each.

T. B. BUDINGER, Snow Shoe, Pa.

37ct goods

HAYWANTED .-- Have you a car-load of good timothy hay you want to sell for cash. If so, write or telephone T. B. Budinger, Snow Shoe, Pa.

LOST.-A small sterling silver match

box with the monogram, G. R. M., en-

graved on one side. The finder will be

the Edison illuminating works in this place, is happy. It is no wonder, either, together with 1000 bushels of wheat, a for the sweetest little girl arrived at his house, on Saturday, that ever you did lot of rye, oats and other articles amounting to \$7,000 in value were totally desee.

----Rob't Hunter, commissioner's ance. clerk, shot a wild turkey while out hunting on the mountain above Fillmore last Friday. There are those who will dispute our use of the adjective wild in the above.

-The Bellefonte club entertained on Friday night in an informal, though very delightful way. A concert comrailroad station was badly scorched. pany was engaged for the evening and the musicale was enjoyed by a large the engine room of the creamery where party of ladies and gentlemen. they had been working late that night.

----- Mrs. Peter Coyle, a daughter of the late Oliver Wilson, of Julian, died at her home, near Philipsburg, last Thursday, after a long illness with cancer. Deceased was 35 years old and leaves a husband with three children.

----- Walter Whippo has leased the blacksmith shop at the old Waite carriage works, on Water street, and will continue working there. All sorts of iron work will be done in the best possiyoung man of industrious and temperate ble manner and at reasonable prices. habits. Surely a brilliant future is be-

-Miss Nellie Conley, the pretty little daughter of Mr. Will Conley, of Logan street, celebrated her seventh birthday on Monday evening. A large party of her child friends gathered at her home that evening and enjoyed a delightful party.

-Physicians are said to be starving in Paris because there are not enough prepared and so tastefully served as to patients to go around. Such a condiplease the most fastidious. tion can't last long in such a feverish city. Some crank will break loose in the chamber of deputies before long, and, with his little bomb, will make likely had passed this way before, joined work for all. newly married couple.

--- Powell, the magician, gave a matinee yesterday afternoon. His entertainment is a delightful one and seems to have caught Bellefonte people on the right side. When they give a show to paying business at three entertainments in as many weeks there is evidence that it must be entirely satisfactory.

---- Invitations are out for an assem- bands and scraped along the log, disbly in the armory, on Wednesday eve. charging it. The load entered Confer's ning, Jan. 1st. It will be a very swell body in the abdomen, on the left side, affair and the music will be furnished going upward and lodging near the by Chappel's orchestra from William- right lung. He was so near home that sport. Mrs. W. F. Reeder, Mrs. Harry his mother heard his cries and went to Keller, Mrs. Frank Warfield, Mrs. his assistance. He was carried into the Henry Quigley and Mrs. W. Frederick house where he lingered in great pain tre county despicable enough to have Reynolds will be the patronesses. for a few hours then died.

who has had more than her share o had burned out, Guisewhite's buildings, sorrow recently.

town.

-Robert Fulton Mull, assistant cashier of the first National bank of Philipsburg, died at his home in that stroyed. He had about \$3,000 insurplace last Saturday afternoon. Deceased was forty years old and died from There was no wind at the time but the effects of bemorrhages from the the flames spread to the lumber yards of lungs, that began three days prior to his the Harter brothers and licked up about death. He was a Christian gentleman 80,000 feet of lumber, then consumed whose death, in the prime of manhood 50,000 feet owned by C.C. Lose. In seems particularly sad. Funeral seraddition to these four freight cars, one vices were held at the home of his sister, loaded with salt, were burned and the Mrs. O. P. Jones, on Wednesday after-The fire is supposed to have started in noon

.---Joseph P. Sherlock, a Huntingdon county man, was arrested in Philipsburg, on Monday, charged with forg-

"WEDDING BELLS RINGING."-At ing the name of Henry Whitmer to two the home of the bride's parents, at Axe checks. They were in amount \$18 and Mann, Wednesday, Dec., 18th, 1895, at \$22. Sherlock endeavored to get the 7 P. M. Mr. Eugene H. Heverly and Miss Anna Marilla Stewart, both of \$18 check cashed, but as it was not dated he failed at the first place and had to Axe Mann, were united in matrimony by Rev. J. C. Young, in the presence go to E. Chandler who gave him the money. In default of bail he was comof a few intimate friends. The bride mitted to jail by 'Squire Laporte. He was exquisitely ' attired in heavy was brought here on Tuesday morning. cream satin and presented a beautiful appearance. The groom is a handsome -----Among the many entertaining

literary features at the Academy, Friday afternoon, was the Addisonian Mirror, the society paper issued by the

Mr. Heverly holds a lucrative posi students at the end of each term. It tion in Mann's axe factory, near Lewiswas full of choice articles and jokes of a town, where he and his bride will locate local nature that made it doubly enterfor the present. After the marriage taining. "Bobby" Valentine, the staff ceremony had been performed the artist, had illustrated some of the best invited guests sat down to an elegant rehits in a way that gave them an addipast, a most royal feast, so delicately tional pointedness. An original poem, by Miss Elizabeth Gephart, the little daughter of Sup't. J. W. Gephart, of After the feast came the big serenade the Central R. R., embodied a beautiful by the boys and girls of the village, yes, Thanksgiving sentiment in verses of even many of the married people, who

which many an older writer might feel proud. with the younger ones to do honor to the

----- One of the meanest, most contemptible tricks we have ever heard of KILLED WHILE RABBIT HUNTING was the one some miserable shyster -A sad accident betell Russell Confer. played on David Meyer, a farmer living the 16 year old son of Elias Confer, of near Linden Hall. Mr. Meyer uses Loganton, on Saturday afternoon. The about 1200 feet of inch metal pipe to young man had been out hunting for conduct water from a near-by spring to rabbits and was standing on a log, with his farm house and barn. The pipe was laid on the surface. Though the con- have to sell nor are they backward about the butt of his gun on the log at his side. The weapon slipped out of his stant flow of the water through it would have kept it from freezing this unknown goods. stopped up the lower end, during the recent cold weather, and the water froze solid all along the pipe. A new line of pipe will have to be laid to supply was ter for the farmer and his stock. We didn't think there was a wretch in Cen-

been guilty of such a trick.

Farman and Brant houses

This is a first class watch and the price of a chance, ONE CENT, is so low that it is within the reach of all.

THE THIRD DEATH IN TEN WEEKS. -Death has entered the home of Mr. Joseph Lowery, of Unionville, three times in ten weeks. The last visitation robbed the fond parents of their youngest son, Martin, aged 14 years. His death occurred last Friday morning, at 10 o'clock after a period of illness, with typhoid fever, lasting twenty-two days. Funeral services were beld, on Saturday, Rev. Miller, of the U. B. church officiating and interment was made in the Myer's cemetery, Buffalo Run. Deceased was a grandson of the late Michael Myers, of Benner township.

PROMPT PAYMENT .-- On Wednesday F. E. Naginey, financial secretary o the Bellefonte order of Heptasophs, handed Mrs. Anna Woodcock, of east Linn street, a check for \$5,000. It was the amount of a benefit the late Rev. J. A. Woodcock, held in that order and it had taken just six days from the time the proof of death left here until the check was received in return. The check was certified by the national Marine band of Baltimore.

----Harry Paul, a Philipsburg driver, came near losing his life at the Presqueisle street crossing of the P. R. R. in that place, at noon, on Saturday. The Houtzdale passenger engine struck the wagon in which he was sitting and completely demolished it. His team had just cleared the track when the train ran in. Paul was picked up in an unconscious condition, but was not seriously hurt.

---- Sechler & Co's line of holiday groceries is the finest in town. No one disputes it. Everything is fresh and in the best possible condition. Their prices are away down and they are making special drives on holiday necessaries.

-Remember that the advertiser's in the WATCHMAN are the merchants who should get your trade. They are not afraid to let you know what they announcing the prices they ask for their

-You can buy an \$8, elegantly trimmed, heavy cloth lady's cape for \$6 at Lyon & Co's.

-----Would'nt this be a good time for you to send in some money on your subscription account? We need it and would like to have it.

John Tonner left Tuesday morning for a three week's visit with her sister Mrs. office. Nagle in Philadel phia. -Miss Mary Devling leaves, to-morrow, for

Philadelphia and New York where she will spend the holidays with friends. -Fred Blanchard, formerly of this place, is here from Princeton to spend the Christmas holidays. He arrived on Monday.

-C. M. Bower Esq., J. C. Meyer Esq. and John Blanchard Esq, three of Bellefonte attorneys, spent Saturday in Lock Haven trying a

-Harry Gerberich, of this place, was in Philipsburg, on Wednesday, shaking hands with the "snow-flake" flour trade in that place

-Miss Jean Parsons who has been visiting Miss Blanche Hayes since the Hayes-Bubb wedding has returned to her home in Williamsport.

-H. C. Rice Esq., an agreeable Phillpsburg gentleman who spends most of his time at Julian, was in town yesterday and dropped in o see us for a few moments.

-Miss Ella Levy, one Bellefonte's me successful public school teachers and a learned woman, spentSunday in Lock Haven. with Mrs. B. L. Emery, of that place.

-Mr. Wilson Dillon, of Julian, was in town yesterday and called to see us to pay for the paper he and his good wife have been reading almost from the day it started. It was forty years ago they were married and, like every young couple should do, they subscribed for the WATCHMAN the first thing.

-- Mrs. Wm. B. Fleming was a pleasant caller at this office, on Tuesday morning and en rolled the name of her husband, as a subscriber. He is located at Midway, Washington county, where he is engaged in oil pros pecting for Geo Hauntz one of the most successful operators in the oil fields.

-Mr. S. A. Martin came up from his home at Nittany, yesterday, to attend the meeting of the public school directors of the county. As the train was nearly two hours late arriving he missed the morning session, then a sick wife called him back home on an afternoon train We were sorry to learn of Mrs. Martin's illness and trust that her recovery will be speedy.

-Henry Whiteleather, of Abdera, is one of Walker township's school direstors who always takes an interest in the work. He was here. yesterday, to attend the meeting of the direct tors of the county and, as is his custom, speni a few moments in this office. He is one of the few men who has read the WATCHMAN ever since it was started, even before the present editor took charge of it.

-Our old friend Mr. John Kerstetter Sr., o Coburn, did not call to see us yesterday, but he sent a very pleasant young gentleman in to order the paper for another year for him. We suppose Mr. Kerstetter was too much engaged looking at the ruins of the big fire down there to get up himself, but he knew what would please the editor most, next to a person al call from him.

-One of the most charming of the many school teachers who have been in town during the week is Miss Anna E. Heberling, a daugh ter of Mr. J. H. Heberling, of Eagleville. She

is a Liberty township teacher and is one of those young women whose independence commands admiration. Her scholars can enjoy the distinction of having one of the pretest teachers in the county.

rewarded by returning same to this

WHERE YOU CAN BUY THE CHEAP-EST.--It is a question of dollars and cents after all. No matter what people say it is as natural to save a penny in buying as it is to eat dinner at the dinner hour. Opportunities to make great savings are not often to be had, but Lyon & Co's., big advertisement in this issue affords just such a chance. Read it and profit by the bargains it holds out. A dollar saved is a dollar earned.

REDUCTION SALE -Eclipsing the great Fire Sale of 1894, when we sold great quantities of goods in a short space of time. Stock is in much better condition, prices are much lower. Values are greater No reasonable man expects to buy all wool Suits, and all wool Over. coats, at the prices named for Shoddy and Satinets. We expect to get your trade when you are through being decoyed and have your eyes opened. Olothing is our business.

MONTGOMERY & CO.

Bellefonte Grain Market.

Corrected weekly by GEO. W. JACKSON & Co: The following are the quotations up to six 'clock, Thursday evening, when our paper goes to press : New wheat...... Red wheat...... Rye, per bushel....

orn, shelled per bushel, Corn, ears per bushel... Oats—new, per bushel... Barley, per bushel... Ground Plaster, per ton. Buckwheat per bushel... Cloverseed, per bushel... ..\$6 00 to \$7 00

Bellefonte Produce Markets.

Correctea weekly by Sechler & Co

otatoes per bushel

Eggs, per dozen..... Lard, per pound..... CountryShoulders...

Sides... Hams... fallow, per pound

Butter, per pound ...

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