

## Democratic Watchman

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To Correspondents. — No communications published unless accompanied by the real name of the writer.

### THINGS ABOUT TOWN & COUNTY

—March did get in like a lion. Will it go out like a lamb?  
—Revival services are being held in nearly every church in town.

—Miss Minnie Brew has taken charge of a dancing class of children in Tyrono.

—Dr. McGehee has decided to leave Centre Hall and move back to his former home in Allegheny county.

—The Undine Fire company is preparing for its grand Easter ball that will be given Monday evening, April 6th.

—Beginning on Monday evening, March 16th, a musical convention will be held in the Reformed church at Salona.

—It will not be long now until amateur horticulturists will be out with spade and rake getting ready for early vegetables.

—Mr. and Mrs. Herbert M. Bartley moved from the parental home, on Willowbank street, on Tuesday, to a cosy house adjoining it.

—John Olewicz and family have moved from their former home, on Willowbank street to the Mrs. Harriet Linn property on Spring street.

—A fire at Johnstown, Wednesday night, destroyed the building in which the Johnstown Democrat office was located. It is a total wreck.

—Vince Bauer is getting the south room in the Temple Court in readiness for the fine line of boots and shoes he expects to display there before long.

—The ex-prisoners of war association of Centre county will meet in Gregg post rooms, in this place, on Saturday afternoon, March 14th, at 1 o'clock.

—Editor Charles Dorworth, of the News, hasn't a rubber neck by a long shot. He has six bolts on it and consequently don't bend it any more than possible.

—The engagement of Miss Anna Simonton, a daughter of Judge Simonton, of Harrisburg, to Gilbert Addams Beaver, of this place, has been announced.

—The service at the United Evangelical church, on Willowbank street, on Sunday evening, at 7 o'clock, will be conducted by the Y. M. C. A. All are invited.

—The heavy rain on Friday night caused a small landslide on the Bellefonte Central railroad, near Hastings, that delayed the trains several hours on Saturday morning.

—The local teachers institute for district No. 4 met at Milesburg last Friday and Saturday. Interesting sessions attracted large audiences and all felt profited thereby.

—The Daily News gold mine, discovered somewhere in Centre county, has turned out to produce quartz bearing "real gold" but in quantities too small to make it pay.

—The meeting of the Bellefonte Y. M. C. A., on Sunday afternoon, was particularly interesting and well attended. A larger number of men were there than has been the case for some time.

—The annual stag dance at The Pennsylvania State College will be held in the armory, on Friday evening, March 13th. It will be a masquerade ball and the State College band will furnish the music.

—Services in the A. M. E. church in this place, on Sunday, will be particularly interesting because both the independent order of Odd Fellows and the grand united order of Odd Fellows will be in attendance.

—Dr. D. M. Butts, of Lion street, has concocted a remedy for all kinds of pains and aches that he has named "Auroala." It is compounded with four essential oils, one of which is procured in the forests along the Amazon river in South America. Mr. Butts' son Lawrence, who has spent much time there, sent it to him and reports that the Indians use it as a cure all.

—William Temple, the veteran engineer on the Snow Shoe railroad, has an idea that he would like to run for sheriff of Centre county. It is likely to remain an idea, however, as Bill's best place to run is over the 26 miles of track that he knows so much about. A political road would be new to him and we're sure he couldn't make his schedule on it.

—A partial paralytic stroke affected one of John Fellenbaum's hands at an early hour, Sunday morning. On Monday the stroke affected his entire right side and he is now in a serious condition. It is reported that he will never recover the use of the affected members. Mr. Fellenbaum is a blacksmith who lives on Bishop street and his numerous friends are indeed sorry to learn of his plight.

**A WEEK'S CHRONICLE OF MORTALITY.**—Another old land mark has passed over the dark river in the person of William Calderwood, of Hannah Furnace. Having received a paralytic stroke, on Monday morning, he was unable to survive it and died at noon that day. He leaves a widow with four daughters, all of whom are married. The remains were followed by a large concourse of mourning friends to Ross' cemetery in Half-moon, on Wednesday, where they were laid to rest. Rev. G. P. Sarvis officiated at the services.

Deceased was a very highly respected man and his death has caused profound sorrow in the community in which he lived. All his life he had been closely identified with the workers in the Democratic party and in his death there is a loss that will be felt in that end of the county.

Capt. J. S. Hall, who died at Renovo, on Monday morning, at the age of 70 years, went to that place in the early days of the town. He was born at Milesburg, this county, and was a son of sheriff Thomas M. Hall, Dec'd., whose deputy he was during his term from 1845 to 1848. Sheriff Hall was the first sheriff of Centre county whose nomination was made by a convention as it is now. Capt. J. S. Hall was a prominent G. A. R. man, well advanced in masonry and was looked upon as one of the prominent men of Renovo. He was a nephew of Col. James F. Weaver, of Milesburg.

Miss Sarah Rankin, whose home was with her mother, Mrs. Jos. A. Rankin, at the corner of Howard and Spring streets, died last Saturday morning after a lingering illness with catarrh of the stomach. She was 39 years old and during her entire life had lived as only true Christians do, thus assuring her sorrowing friends that, though sad, her death was only the means to a happier and eternal home. Her mother, her sister, Miss Carrie, and one brother, Wm. B. Rankin Esq. survive.

Funeral services were held in the Presbyterian church, on Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Hannah B. Rodgers, wife of William Rodgers, died at her home, in Tyrono, last Friday morning. She had been ill a year with consumption. Mrs. Rodgers was a daughter of Charles Lucas, of Wallace Run, this county, and was 31 years old. Besides her husband and three children, five brothers and three sisters survive, namely: Edward, Sheridan, James, William and Franklin Lucas, and Mrs. William Johnson and Mary and Maggie Lucas, all of this county.

Deceased was a member of the First M. E. church. Interment was made near Milesburg.

The remains of William Walter Harden, colored, who died at Benzenette, on Wednesday, of Bright's disease were brought to this place, on Friday evening, and taken to the home of his sister, Mrs. Thos. Taylor, on Penn street, from which place burial was made on Sunday afternoon. Deceased formerly lived here. He worked for a long time at the old Valentine forge and later had a barber shop in the basement of the room now occupied by W. A. Lyon as a meat market.

Mrs. Amelia Hoover, aged 56 years, died at Millheim, on Saturday afternoon, her illness having been of short duration. Funeral services were held on Tuesday the rites of the Evangelical church, of which she was a consistent member, having been observed.

Mrs. Elizabeth Williams, aged 73 years, wife of George Williams, Sr., died at her home in Beech Creek on Tuesday. She is survived by her husband and three children. Funeral services were held in the Methodist church yesterday afternoon.

In the 69th year of his age William Sesaman died at his home, near Vail, last Thursday evening, and interment was made at Bald Eagle on Sunday.

Samuel Sigmond, aged 60 years, died at Salona, Tuesday morning, after a ten day's illness.

Pneumonia caused the death of Jacob Miller, at his home, at Rote, early Tuesday morning.

**TO LOOK AFTER THEIR OWN PIANOS.**—The Shoemaker piano people of Philadelphia are desirous of looking after their make of pianos, a number being in use in this vicinity, and will send one of the tuners from their factory to do the work, if enough is secured to pay his expenses to this place.

They are anxious to do this because they feel that one of their own men will understand their instruments better than any one else could and consequently would put them in better condition. Should the man come to be here the fore part of next week when he will tune all pianos in need of it, not only those of the Shoemaker make but all others. Leave your order at this office.

## A Fiend Incarnate.

MURDER OF A CONSTABLE AT WOODWARD.

WITH GUNS AND DYNAMITE HE DEFIES HUNDREDS.

William R. Ettinger, a once Respected Man Turned Out-law—Now a Murderer and a Prisoner in His Own House.—A Sheriff's Posse Unable to Take Him.

The awful tragedies of frontier life had a counterpart right here in civilized Centre county yesterday afternoon. A demon whose desperation led him to crimes almost as fiendish as those of the notorious Holmes shot down a constable and attempted to kill all who tried to bring him to justice. As yet he is prisoner in his own house and no plan has been matured for his capture.

Fortified with dynamite bombs, Winchester, and shot guns he hurled defiance at the officers of the law all night and the lurid flash of a gun or the flickering light of a burning dynamite fuse in the hands of his out-law wife ever and again warned those of the guard that had concealed itself about the house to prevent his escape to the mountains, that if he was to be taken blood must be shed in doing it.

Yesterday afternoon district attorney Singer received a telegraphic request from Coburn to "send officers, at once, properly armed to capture William Ettinger."

Ettinger is a long, lanky fellow who has lived a life of out-lawry at Woodward, six miles east of Coburn, where he has a home for his wife while he spends his time between it and a cave in the seclusion of the mountains near by. For years he has terrorized the whole community and some time ago made an assault on his father-in-law, Benjamin Benner, nearly scalping him with a billet of wood. For this offense the officers succeeded in arresting him, in an unguarded moment, but the bandit secured bail for his appearance at court and was released, after Isaac Orndorf and Daniel Engle had given security for him in the sum of \$250 he jumped the bond and ever since then plans have been laid for his capture.

Yesterday afternoon he was seen to slip down out of the mountain and enter his house. Constable John Barner, with two deputies started to effect his capture and that marked the opening of a tragedy such as has never been heard of in the annals of Centre county's criminal records.

AN AUTHENTIC STORY OF THE MURDER. At 1:30 this morning the WATCHMAN received the following authentic story of the tragedy. A warrant having been placed in the hands of constable Barner for the arrest of Ettinger, slipping his bail in the assault and battery charge that official, on the evening of the last election, duplicitous C. G. Motz and John Hosterman to assist him in the arrest of the desperado.

The three men went to his house about 2 o'clock in the afternoon and found husband and wife, with a 3 year old daughter and a 2 year old son barricaded in the second story of their two story frame house, which is located along the pike in the extreme east end of the village and on the only street it boasts.

The officers entered and finding the fugitive up stairs tried to get to him. Barner broke to a panel of the door and started to crawl through. He had gotten his body half through the aperture when

A SHOT FROM ETTINGER'S GUN STRUCK HIM IN THE HEAD. The man fell limp in the opening and his deputies, deeming it too perilous to attempt to capture his murderer, fled from the house.

The awful news was quickly spread throughout the village and the populace rose in arms to surround the house in order to prevent his escape. Shortly after the first shooting Frank Guisewite, a blacksmith who was sick in his house across the street, went to the window of his room and saw Ettinger aiming his gun at him. Before he could comprehend what he was doing the fend fired, two buck-shots taking effect in the sick man. One in his head, the other in his shoulder. Neither wound is serious, however.

A PERFECT FUSILLADE. From that time on a constant firing went on between the house and the guard outside. When Daniel Engle and Isaac Orndorf, the men whom he had stuck for his \$250 bond, came into town from a business trip, to a distance, they did not know what the excitement meant until they were abruptly halted by Ettinger, who called to Orndorf and asked him if he wanted to be shot. He opened fire forthwith but neither man was hurt. A little later he fired into Mrs. Miller's residence, the widow mother of Robert Wolf, the village storekeeper, but there his aim failed and the old lady escaped injury. But there was soon

A THIRD VICTIM. For John Musser, a young man of the village, who was standing guard at the stable was shot in the neck. His wound was merely a flesh cut and will not prove dangerous.

A SKE DEVIL. The wife of the fend seems to be as desperate as her out-law husband and is quite as ready with the Winchester, shot guns, dynamite and revolvers that they have a store of. At 6 o'clock she appeared at the window in the act of lighting a dynamite fuse, supposedly to throw it with hellish intent among the surrounding crowd, but no sooner had the flash of her torch been seen than a dozen shots rang out in the clear night air and throwing up her arms she fell backward, whether to her death is not known. At this point the guard began to economize in its ammunition as five hundred shots had already been fired and the large supply of ammunition in the store of Robert Wolf was well nigh exhausted. During the afternoon Ettinger fired a number of shots into the public school building, but with no other effect than the breaking of a number of windows.

### THE SHERIFF'S POSSE ARRIVES

The sheriff and his posse arrived at Coburn at 7:15, having left here at 6 o'clock on a special train, and though considerable time was consumed in procuring conveyances to carry the party over the seven miles of rough lumber road along Pine creek they reached the town a little after 8 o'clock. Already there were nearly a thousand people gathered about the place but the ominous shots from Ettinger's house warned all to keep at a respectful distance.

IN A DILEMMA. After the officers had arrived they did not know exactly what to do. To enter the house meant certain death. To burn it meant a probably ghastly ending to what had already been a horrible tragedy. To set fire to the place meant the burning of the dead constable and the probable sacrifice of two innocent children with their dear parents. Out of such a predicament it was hard to see what would come, yet if the posse should wait until morning the bandit would probably pick off whomsoever he pleased.

The sheriff and his fellow officers then went into consultation as to what was the best plan to pursue and they were yet discussing the matter when the WATCHMAN representative left the dreadful scene.

AMMUNITION EXHAUSTED. Even though the firing had been desultory on the part of the officers they ran out of ammunition by 3 o'clock in the morning and Robt. Hunter, Al. Garman and Alf Baum came back on the special that could not wait any longer for them. They arrived here at 4 o'clock and after restocking their bags started back by carriage with cartridges and one more Winchester.

Nothing further had been heard up to 8 o'clock this morning.

The constable is a married man, having a wife with several children, while Guisewite is a blacksmith by trade and a very powerful man.

Ettinger has been an out-law for years, his occupation having been that of a sawyer at one time. He is a son of Solomon Ettinger a once highly respected resident of the valley who committed suicide at Potter's Bank in the fall of 1885. He has been carrying a rifle with him for years and is known as the most desperate character in the county.

Ettinger was in jail here in the spring of '86, when his father died from the effects of the bullet shot at his own hands a few months before. On his death-bed the father asked to see his son and sheriff Walker sent deputy Duke-man down with him. They had scarcely returned to the jail when a telegram announced the death of the old man and the convict was taken to the funeral by the deputy. At that time judge Furst, who was in Philadelphia, declined to say by telegraph whether he could go or not, and the sheriff, acting on his own responsibility sent him down.

He was serving a 6 months sentence for assault and battery. The jail record shows him to be a man of about 36 years of age, tall, dark complexion, black eyes, black wavy hair and really handsome.

IT WILL REMAIN STATE COLLEGE. Ever since the question of incorporating the village of State College as a borough has been agitated by some of the progressive residents of that place there has been more or less of a clash up there. At first the project was frowned down, but the promoters kept overhauling it until they secured the signatures of seventy-three, of the ninety or more property holders in the place, to a petition which is now before the court to incorporate it as a borough.

Thinking that possibly the name of State College, under which the thrifty village had prospered ever since its birth warranted a name, would not be in keeping with the new dignity of borough-hood some of the people began talking of a new name for it. Some thought that University Heights, University Place, Barrensville, Irvineville, or State Centre would, anyone of them, be better than its present name. Accordingly a public meeting was called in the school house, last Saturday night, to discuss the matter. Most of the property holders were there or had representatives in attendance and quite a lively meeting was the result. "The camp", by which the men attached to the College are familiarly known, favored a change, while most of the old residents were satisfied to leave it as it had been. A vote followed in which State College received 28; University Heights, 24; and State Centre, 1.

Two men who were driving out of town, on the Jacksonville road, last Friday morning, met with an accident that was almost as thrilling as it was singular. A dog jumped out of a field and ran across the road in front of their team, frightening the horses so that they became unmanageable. Both men were thrown out of the wagon and the team ran off. Going like the wind they suddenly seemed to rear into the air then plunged forward on to their heads, to be covered by the wrecked wagon and so entangled in the harness as to be perfectly helpless. The men, seeing the ending of the runaway, hurried to the scene and extracted the horses before any serious injury had resulted.

William S. Neff and Miss Leticia S. Beck were married at Warriorsmark, on Wednesday.

Manon Moyer, a Middleburg, Snyder county, boy, was robbed by two negro tramps with whom he was riding on a main line freight train, a few miles east of Tyrono, on Friday. He had them arrested and both are now in jail at Hollidaysburg awaiting trial.

### News Purely Personal.

—Miss Georgia Daggett, of Tioga, is visiting her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Daggett at the Bush house.

—A. C. Thompson was in town, on Saturday, talking politics with his many friends here. Curt. is teaching at Snow Shoe.

—Mr. and Mrs. John Rishel, of Axe Mann, are in Philadelphia, visiting their son, Dr. George Rishel, who is practicing in that city.

—Ex-register John Rupp, of Oak Hill, spent yesterday about his old haunts in the court house. He reports his mill in a prosperous condition.

—Mrs. Gunsalus and her bright little daughter from Beech Creek were shopping in Bellefonte on Wednesday. They returned on an evening train after a busy day in town.

—Among the many strangers who were in town, on Tuesday, to attend the license court was George E. Leister the man who has made the Potter house at Philipsburg such a popular resort.

—H. M. Kreber, of Pine Grove Mills, had lots of business to attend to in this place on Wednesday, but there was not quite enough to keep him over night, even if there was an attraction at the opera house.

—Jake Truby, whose name has become pretty familiar to the Democrats of this congressional district, was in town Monday attending to some business necessary to the securing of license for his new hotel, the Parker house, in Philipsburg.

—The family of Col. Wm. Shortidge entertained Miss Sara Sterrett, of Milroy, over Sunday, at their home on Thomas street. She had driven over the mountains to this place and returned on Wednesday. Miss Sterrett is a cousin of the McCalmonts.

—Col. James F. Weaver, of Milesburg, whose active interest in farms and graminings makes him a much sought for man at graminings, was in town Tuesday. As a deep thinker on agricultural matters Centre county has few men like Col. Weaver.

—C. D. Moore, of Boalsburg, whose duty it is to teach the young idea in Harris township how to shoot, spent Saturday in this place. Mr. Moore is fully conversant with the responsibility resting on a public school teacher and is, in consequence, a very successful one.

—M. I. Rishel, of Farmer's Mills, was in town on Tuesday, having come this far to say good-bye to his son John, who left for the West on a morning train. The young man left with the intention of remaining until fall, at least, and might locate there permanently.

—Joseph Hoy Esq., of State College, dropped in to see us for a few moments on Wednesday. His call was purely a social one and was enjoyed very much. Mr. Hoy is a brother of the late Judge Hoy, of this place, and lives in retirement after a long period of activity as a farmer.

—Rev. McArtle recently entertained Rev. Gormley, of Renovo; Rev. Rosenstiel, of Tyrono; Rev. Fleming, of Snow Shoe. Rev. McArtle occupies one of the finest houses in town now and his guests were doubtless very much impressed by the handsome property owned by his parish.

—P. H. Meyer Esq., of Boalsburg, was seen on our streets, on Tuesday, and before leaving for home he announced positively that he would enter the contest for the commissioner ship nomination. Mr. Meyer represents a large Democratic family and intends doing considerable hustling.

—Among our pleasant callers last Friday afternoon was Mr. Henry Heaton, of Boggs township, whose announcement for commissioner appears in this issue. He is an old line Democrat who will be very apt to find himself pretty popular by the time for holding the county convention.

—You have often heard the expression, "as busy as a miller." Well that is the way Cyrus Lucas, of Gum-Stamp, was during the few hours he spent here, on Saturday. He is getting ready for the big sale he has advertised for March 24th, and as he has a large amount of stock it will keep him hustling.

—Ad Fauble and his vivacious sister, Blanche, left for Harrisburg yesterday morning to attend a fancy dress ball that was given there last night. Miss Fauble will spend a few days visiting her sister Jennie, who is stenographer to Governor Hastings, while Ad continues his trip for a few days in Philadelphia.

—Vinton Beckwith, Taylor township's all-around Democrat, was here on Monday, being sworn in as constable for his district. For some unaccountable reason the return sheet from Taylor showed that G. M. Walk had been elected, and all the papers announced the result accordingly, but the fact that Mr. Beckwith has been sworn in is evidence that it was a mistake and that he is the lawful constable.

—I. V. Gray, the Wanamaker of Philipsburg, with George Pottsgrave Esq., of that place, were in Bellefonte yesterday. The gentlemen seemed to find much of consolation in their claim to be the best fact that Bellefonte streets seem to be productive of more of a Sabbath sensation than are those of our sister town. Whatever the case might be we would have all remember that Bellefonte is looking particularly pious just now after having been washed in the great moral wave that swept over her recently.

—Men are as different as they are numerous. On Saturday afternoon a gentleman from Spring township dropped in to call for a few moments, judging from his sober appearance we imagined him to be the bearer of most unwelcome news of some sort. It was quite the reverse, however, for the person was Mr. William Corman and he simply dropped in to put himself right on our books, then chat a little while. He doesn't come often, but when he does he does the right thing.

—Wm. Mingle Esq., and Dr. John F. Alexander, two men of whom Centre Hall has every reason to feel proud, were in town on Tuesday. The former came over to tell his friends that he had decided not to be a candidate for the nomination for county treasurer and the latter to receive a team of fine bay horses that had been shipped to him from Pittsburg. The gentlemen spent the day very pleasantly here. When Mr. Mingle announced his purpose not to enter the contest there was no mistaking the friendship that freighted the many words of regret that were expressed over such a determination. Such a conclusion was prompted by the most honorable sentiment and with a desire that party harmony would be the better subserved by his retirement as a possible candidate.

**A LIVELY SET-TO.**—John Bell, of south Thomas street, and Eber Rothrock, of Buffalo Run, indulged in a little pugilistic exercise in front of Shuey's grocery store, on High street, last Friday afternoon.

The two boys had a misunderstanding the night before, when Bell told Rothrock he had to stop talking to some girls, during the progress of the Weaver meeting in the court house. The latter seemed to think that he had a right to do just as he pleased up there for when he met Bell, next day, he wanted to know what business he had to tell him to keep quiet. Now as John happened to be one of the ushers and general promoters of the work he told the long haired knocker from up the Run just what was what. No sooner had he finished than a small cyclone struck him.

Rothrock tried to Fitzsimmons him, but Bell wakened up after awhile and went for his assailant. He soon had him down on the pavement where he expected to chastise him until he would realize what it was to "talk in meetin'", but with a desperation that was devilish in the extreme the under man creaked his fingers and pulled both hands down across his conqueror's face. That ended it, some one pulled Bell off and Rothrock jumped up and gave him a parting crack on the nose.

With the gore trickling down his proboscis and his face scratched until it looked more like a steak that has just come off a broiling iron than anything else, it was little wonder that Bell sought redress before justice Keichline. That official issued a warrant for Rothrock who appeared, waived a hearing and entered bail for his appearance at court.

**INDICTED ON A SERIOUS CHARGE.**—Constable John Dunlop went to Lock Haven, Monday night, and brought Owen McManis of that city, to this place where he was lodged in jail on a charge of f. and b. preferred by Nora Whippo. McManis finds himself in a pretty predicament, as he had just returned from a two week's wedding tour the Saturday evening before his arrest.

**Safe Register.** For the benefit of those who contemplate making public sale during the coming season. We will keep a register of all sales within the county as fully as possible, mentioning the date, place and name of the parties to which will be free to all. Persons having their bills printed at the WATCHMAN office will receive notice of sale in this column free of charge.

MARCH 4th.—At R. F. Blair's, 1 mile north of Fillmore, 5 horses, 10 cattle, 25 sheep, shoats, Advance Horns, Champion Binder and complete line of farm implements. Sale at 10 a. m. Wm. Gohsen auctioneer.

MARCH 12th.—At the residence of James W. Beck, 2 of a mile west of Jacksonville, on the turnpike leading to Howard, horses, cows, young cattle, shoats, sheep, wagons, implements and a Johnson mower. Sale at 1 o'clock, p. m. Clark McClintock auctioneer.

MARCH 18.—At the residence of Samuel Vonada on the Adam Yearick farm near Jacksonville, horses, cattle, sheep, hogs and farm implements of all kinds. Sale at 10 o'clock, Joseph L. Neff, auctioneer.

MARCH 20th.—At the residence of Mallock Fry, at Julian, all kinds of household goods and cooking utensils, a new fanning mill and numerous other articles. Sale at 1 o'clock, p. m.

MARCH 24.—At the residence of Cyrus Lucas, on Wallace Run, Boggs township, Horses, fresh cows, young cattle and all kinds of farm implements. Sale at 1 p. m. Jos. L. Neff, auctioneer.

MARCH 27.—At the residence of William Stewart, at Axe Mann, good draught horses and a four year old cow, farming implements, harness, cattle, brood sows, shoats and household goods, new Eley piano. Sale at 10 o'clock a. m. Jos. L. Neff, Auc.

MARCH 28.—At the residence of S. E. Kanaan opposite the depot, at Renovo, a line of household goods. They are in good condition and many bargains will be in store for those in need of such effects. Sale at 1 o'clock p. m.

**Business Notice.**—An experienced stenographer and teacher will give lessons by mail to a few persons wishing to study shorthand. Correspondence solicited. A. I. Stebbins, 329 West 31st street, New York.—11-4-96

**Bellefonte Grain Market.** Corrected weekly by Geo. W. JACKSON & Co. The following are the quotations up to six o'clock, Thursday evening, when our paper goes to press:

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| Red wheat                 | 45               |
| Bye, per bushel           | 70               |
| Corn, shelled, per bushel | 35               |
| Corn, ears per bushel     | 18               |
| Oats—new, per bushel      | 28               |
| Barley, per bushel        | 40               |
| Ground Flaxseed, per ton  | \$6 00           |
| Buckwheat per bushel      | 40               |
| Gloverseed, per bushel    | \$6 00 to \$7 00 |

**Bellefonte Produce Markets.** Corrected weekly by Seehler & Co. Potatoes per bushel..... 50 Onions..... 12 1/2 Eggs, per dozen..... 8 Lard, per pound..... 8 Country Shoulders..... 8 Sides..... 12 Ham..... 12 Fallow, per pound..... 3 Butter, per pound..... 20

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|------------------------------------|----|-------|------|-------|
| One inch (15 lines) this type..... | \$ | 5 8   | \$ 8 | \$ 10 |
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| Three inches.....                  |    | 10 15 | 15   | 20    |
| Quarter Column (4 1/2 inches)..... |    | 12 20 | 20   | 25    |
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