

Bellefonte, Pa., Oct. 22, 1897.

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THINGS ABOUT TOWN AND COUNTY

Miss Minnie Brew's regular dancing school will open this evening.

-Samuel Gault has secured the contract to build the new barn on the farm of the Pennsylvania State College.

-While rubbing clothes on a washboard, on Monday morning, Mrs. John G. Uzzle, of Snow Shoe, broke her arm above the wrist.

-Post-Master Hayes Schenck, of Howard, will move the office in that place into the Cook building across the street from its present location.

-E. B. McMullen's roller mill, in Millheim, was burglarized, last Thursday night, and a barrel of flour and 17ft. of employed as a clerk in the drug store of The family rented a little house on Loheavy belting stolen. -Mr. Harry Lose, of this place, and

Miss Bertha Bryan, of Curtin's Works, were married at the home of the bride on Wednesday morning. ---Nittany's new postmaster, Robert Tate, has two carpenters at work erecting

an office building for him. The office has

been moved from the store and is now in a

private house. -Alderman John W. Harris, of Lock Haven, married George Lovett Jr., of Gal-

Thursday.

---Burns Crider, of Linn street, was married at Bethlehem, on Wednesday. Both he and his wife are deaf mutes and upon their return here will go to house keeping on east Linn street.

-Aley Bros., & Co's, tannery, at Curwensville, employs 285 men and pays \$9,000 every month in wages. The plant has been in continuous operation ever since it was built and is not in the trust.

-All members of Gregg post, No. 95, are requested to be present next Saturday evening. Oct. 23rd. The regular annual inspection of the post has been ordered for that meeting and a full attendance is desired.

-Chas. M. Atherton, of State College, has been reserved by the Pittsburg national league club to play third base next season. Charley played last year at Wilkes-

-C. H. Shanbacher, the new manager of the Brockerhoff house, has taken charge of that hotel and will make some radical changes. He is a son of the proprietor of the Hyde house, at Ridgway, and has had considerable experience in the management of good hotels.

port, was riding her bicycle near Frogtown, a short distance from Coburn, last Saturday afternoon, she met a horse and buggy. In attempting to turn out she got into a deep rut and, though an experienced rider, fell under the wheels. They passed over her face and head, inflicting a severe scalp wound and cutting her lip.

-A. M. DeHaas and niece, of Beech Creek, drove to Lock Haven, Wednesday afternoon, with a valuable little mare owned by Harry Fearon. For some unaccountable reason she began kicking and ran away. Falling against an electric light pole she dislocated one of her hind legs at the fetlock and broke the tendons so that bones protruded through the skin. The suffering animal was chloroformed.

-Benjamin Shaffer, whose misfortune in having had his face painfully lacerated by the explosion of a shot gun that he was cleaning up preparatory to going hunting on the opening of the season was noted in our last week's edition, is able to sit up. His wounds are healing nicely and it is believed that his sight will not be impaired. His face will be but slightly marked.

-- The Academy foot-ball team went over to Philipsburg, on Saturday, and played with the team of that place. It was a very interesting game and though the score resulted 10 to 0 against them the Academy boys are to be credited with having made a very good showing. They were delighted with the kindness and courtesy with which they were treated while they were at Philipsburg.

-The Pennsylvania State college foot ball team was defeated by the University of Pennsylvania eleven, at Philadelphia, on Wednesday, by the score of 24 to 0. State's team was badly erippled before going into the game and considering its patched up condition made a very creditable showing. The Philadelphia papers that were so certain that the "game wouldn't amount to much" will have to acknowledge that their pets couldn't do what Princeton did against State, when the latter had every one of her best men up.

-Madame Valerie de Kermen, of Paris, will have charge of the classes in French at the Bellefonte Academy during the next year. She is a graduate of the University of France and has been educated with the sole purpose of becoming a French instructor in America. The Academy has been making some marked advances within the last few years, but such an one as this is one over which the entire community feels gratified, since it puts within the reach of everyone exceptional opportunities for the study of the French language.

"BENNY" RICH KILLED WHILE PLAY- lingered until eleven o'clock that night ING FOOT-BALL.—The sad out-come of a before he died. It is the belief of the on Saturday afternoon, has left its impress | cussion of the brain caused his death. on this community, not merely on account

Benjamin H. Rich, son of Mrs. Annie E. she survives him. Rich, is known to people of Bellefonte Funeral services were held at the A. through his connection with Keplinger's E. church Sunday afternoon. and Zeller's drug stores. He lived here most of the time that his mother and sister he was a boy whose naturally modest displace with his mother for a year and was quarries. J. S. Smith.

lagher township, Clinton county, to Miss & Co., to be prepared for the sepulchre. home. Martha Watkins, of Howard, on last Sunday afternoon they were removed to the home of Mrs. Study, where services were held Monday morning at 11:30 o'clock, conducted by Rev. Albert J. Weisley preparatory to being brought to Unionville, where the funeral took place on Tuesday, Ginter, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. at 2 o'clock p. m. Interment in Unionville cemetery.

The particulars of the accident are sub-

stantially as follows: Saturday afternoon the Tyrone foot-ball team went up to Bellwood to meet an engagement previously made with the team of that town. Up to the time of the sad occurrence, the game had been played in a gentlemanly fashion, there being no "slugging" or unnecessary roughness. The members of both teams were on friendly footing with each other, and though Tyrone was losing everyone was in excellent spirits.

Near the end of the game, when Bellwood had the ball, it was given to J. H. Miller. the Bellwood left tackle, to make an end run. Rich broke through the interference and tackled Miller, as he was running low barre and was one of that team's heaviest and hard. Both men fell heavily, Rich's head striking a stone or the hard ground. with terrible force. Both men scrambled to their feet, and Rich walked aimlessly about for a few seconds then he gasped out:

"Boys, I'm afraid you'll have to put some one in my place. I can't see." Several players ran to him to help him to a seat, but before this could be done he sank into unconsciousness. Dr. W. H. Morrow cident the two teams resumed play and finished the game, Bellwood winning by a

score of 22-0. Meanwhile a sad procession had started for the Bell house, the central figure being the unconscious form of Rich, which lay on a stretcher carried by two friends. Dr. Morrow was in attendance and he was shortly joined by Dr. B. B. Levengood. A short distance from the foot-ball field Rich expired, though the carriers and the physicians did not note this fact until the body had been carried some distance.

Coroner McCartney was advised of the matter early in the evening. He deputized his son, Harry A. McCartney, to act for him. and that gentleman accordingly went to Bellwood and impanelled a jury to inquire into cause of deatn.

The testimony of George Bateman, Tvrone; J. M. Pannebaker, Tyrone; W. T. Cornelius, Bellwood; D. H. Raugh and H. W. Tweed, was taken. These witnesses all agreed that Rich had tackled J. H. Miller while running and that both had fallen together. Rich's head striking the ground or a stone. The witnesses further agreed that Rich had drank a great deal of water before and during the game, the weather being very warm. The fatality was purely accidental and might have been due to Rich's lack of robust physical training, he having indoor employment. Drs. Morrow and Levengood testified that death was probably due to internal hemorrhage of the brain, due to a severe blow or shock. After an hour's deliberation the jury returned the following verdict:

"Death was caused by internal hemorrhage of the brain, superinduced by over exertion and a fall while tackling J. H. Miller, and striking his head on the ground or a stone. Death was purely accidental."

JOHN EMORY FALLS HEADLONG TO HIS DEATH. - The sudden death of John Emory, colored, which occurred at his home, on St. Paul street, this place, late last Thursday night, came in the nature of a shock to the people of Bellefonte, for almost every person in the town knew John. His end had something of the tragic about it. On the afternoon of the fatal day he went into Crider's stone block, on the northwest corner of the Diamond, and just when he got to the steps on his way out he tripped and fell head-long clear down onto the pavement, having first struck the side of his head on the corner of the bottom

stone step. The fall was enough to have killed him instantly, but he staggered to his feet and seemed, in a dazed sort of way, to be trying to start away, when he suddenly reeled and would have fallen again had George Cunningham not seen and realized his condition and saved him.

The poor fellow was carefully lifted into

a conveyance and taken home, where he

Deceased was born in Williamsport, of the fatality that resulted from the popu- June 9th, 1857, and when he came here, a that place, suffering from an ugly wound services. lar sport but more because it cost the life number of years ago, his arrival created of a young man who is remembered in quite a furore among the colored popula- her face and her husband is in jail here Bellefonte as having been a conscientious, tion. Polished in his manner and tidy in awaiting trial for a murderous assault on straight-forward boy, the pride of a widow- his appearance he was a very creditable ed mother and the dutiful son, whose sole type of colored man-hood. Shortly after ambition seemed to the attainment of a his arrival he married Alice Simms, a position in which he could be her support. daughter of the late George Simms, and

Eva were residents of this place and though STANCES .- About six weeks ago Samuel Johnson, his wife and three year old position kept him in retirement those who daughter, arrived in this place from Mt. knew him were not slow to recognize the Holly, N. J. They had sold everything sterling worth of his character. He met they had to pay their car fare and were his death while playing foot-ball at Bell- really destitute when they arrived here. wood, last Saturday afternoon, with the He was looking for work and was fortu-Tyrone team. He had lived in the later nate enough to find it at Morris' stone

gan street and went to house keeping. Benjamin H. Rich, was the only son of While the father was away at work all day J. Gillingham and Annie E. Rich. His long the little girl kept her mother comfather died some years ago from an accident | pany and her mind occupied in their new while lumbering. The son was born at and strange home. On Monday the daugh-Unionville, Centre county, Pa., January ter took sick and on Tuesday evening she 1st, 1876, and at death was aged 21 years, died. The circumstances attending her 9 months and 15 days old. He leaves to sur- death were particularly sad. The family vive, his mother, in Tyrone, and one sister, are so poor as to have to deny themselves Eva J., of Overbrook, Pa. His remains every comfort and one could scarcely bewere taken to Tyrone, on Saturday evening, lieve that in the midst of such a communion the 9:33 express and removed to the ty as this there should be such abject disundertaking establishment of Kirk, Camp tress as is everywhere apparent in their

> The body was taken to Mt. Holly, on Wednesday morning, for interment.

DEATH OF MABLE GINTER.—On Wednesday morning, at three o'clock, Mable Jas. Ginter, of Logan street, died at her home after weeks of suffering with heart trouble, consumption and dropsy. Mable was eighteen years old on the 6th of September and although only beginning life her death was not sad as she was ready and willing for the change and her life had not been a pathway of ease. She was a dear girl, always anxious to please and most faithful in her devotion to the church. For several years she had been in poor health and, at times, suffered greatly but seriously ill she was. She knew, however, that she could not endure much more and, noon at 2:30 from the Methodist church.

Hollabaugh, of Coleville, died with whooping cough early Wednesday morning.

was hastily summoned and he was removed of the banking firm of Jackson, Hastings & Co., was taken to the University hospitpating any serious consequence of the ac- al, on Tuesday night, and is under treat- Mr. Burchfield, Gilham ran down the railment there with the hope of getting into

condition to be operated on for gravel. threatened with pneumonia at first. This was relieved and kidney trouble developed; the effect being that he suffered the most acute pain and grew so bad that Dr. White, an eminent specialist of Philadelphia, was called. He arrived on Monday and said the patient would have to be taken to the hospital. Accordingly Sup't. Wallace, of the N. C. R. R., offered his private car and the regular train and arrived in Philadelphia at 8 o'clock Wednesday morning. Mrs. Jackson, Mrs. Brew, Harry Jackson and Dr. J. L. Seibert accompanied him. He stood the journey remarkably well and on Wednesday seemed much better. That night, however, he did'nt rest well and at noon yesterday his condition was very serious indeed. A telegram at 7 o'clock last evening stated that he had been sinking all day and that the anxious watchers at his bedside had little hope.

It is the hope of every one of Mr. Jackson's host of friends in this section that his useful life may be spared to the community that esteems it so highly.

THE PEOPLE'S POPULAR COURSE.—The opening attraction of the people's popular course of eight lectures and entertainments for \$1 will open with the concert of the Ollie Torbett company, on Wednesday night, Oct. 27th. The famous Lutteman male quartette, Lucy E. Manson, pianist; and Ollie Torbett, the celebrated solo violinist, will be the entertainers.

Reserved seats 10 and 20 cts. extra. Can you afford to miss it. Tickets on sale at Parrish's drug store.

THE BRIGHT PARTICULAR STAR -Piles of money and piles of enthusiasm were up on the game of foot-ball between the Bradford and Buffalo elevens last Saturday. Billy Stuart, of State College, is coaching the Bradford eleven and this is what the Saturday Post, of that town, says of him:

"Chauncey" Stuart was the bright particular star of the game, his playing eclipsing that of any of the members of either team. As a punter and tackler he is probably un-beaten by any player on the gridiron this season. The excellent showing of the Company C eleven is chiefly due to his coaching

-Special line of suitings, made to or der, \$15, \$18 and \$20 at Montgomery & Co's., tailors.

-Subscribe for the WATCHMAN.

NEARLY A MURDER.—Philipsburg only escaped being the scene of another frightcaused by a bullet that went clear through

Officers Simler, Howe and Hurley brought Gilham to jail, on Sunday evening, and he is locked up in a cell in the second tier in the south-east corner of the jail. Gilham is a right good looking fellow. He takes his confinement philosophically and thinks that his wife will not appear DIED UNDER DISTRESSING CIRCUM- against him. There seems to be something concealed in the case that has not developed and is not likely to be known until the trial. Gilham says he had no desire to kill his wife, but merely wanted to disfigure her for life by shooting her nose off. He did not accomplish his fiendish purpose, but did succeed in inflicting wounds that Mrs. Gilham will carry as long as she lives.

Until three months ago they had lived together at Shamokin and had a very comfortable home, for a miner. Mrs. Gilham left him and that was the last he saw of her antil the eventful night.

THE STORY OF THE SHOOTING

The particulars of the shooting, as told by the Philipsburg Journal, are as follows: On Saturday night, about 7 o'clock, the sharp crack of a revolver startled the pernia passenger station in this place, awaiting the departure of the "Jerkwater" for Morrisdale Miles, and a young woman, grasping her face in her hands, ran into the ladies' waiting room, while a small man, with a pistol, was seized by Roland Burchfield, baggage master, who had witnessed the murderous assault. The latter, however, felt himself constrained to release his hold of the man, who pointed the pistol at Mr. Burchfield and threatened to shoot him also. The man with the pistol was Samuel Gilham, formerly of this place, and was well known here as a member of Gilham's big six band. The woman was his wife, a daughter of Thomas Moriarity, of Hawk Run. The Gilhams have not for some time been "dwelling together in unity," but separate and apart, the wife in Osceola, and the husband in Shamokin, from whence the latter had come and telephoned, as he alleges, to have his wife meet him in Philipsburg.

When first noticed by Mr. Burchfield, Mrs. Gilham, in an excited condition, was standing on the steps of the ladies' room. The husband, a few minutes later, approaching her and wanted her to walk with him to Hawk Run. She refused, saying that he hadn't treated her right, and addonly recently did her friends realize how ed that she couldn't live with him. He, thereupon, threatened to kill her if she did not accompany him. She replied that he wouldn't dare do that, as the law wouldn't on Tuesday, told her pastor, Dr. Stevens, allow it. He then asked her to walk that she was simply waiting for the sum- around the station building, but she refusmons. She will be buried to-morrow after- ed and he started. Finding that she did not follow, he went up to her again, caught her by the shoulder, and saying: won't, won't you?" drew his revolver, -The seven month's old child of Geo. and placing it against her cheek, fired. The ball entered a little below the left eye socket, and came out a trifle lower on the son.—George W. Jackson, senior member store, and from there was conveyed in a wound was properly cared

In the meantime, having got away from road track and succeeded in getting on the passenger train at the switch adjoining the freight station. He did He had been confined to his home in not hesitate to tell what he had done, this place for nearly three weeks and was and inferring from the actions of baggagemaster O'Connor and others that he might be arrested, he became demonstrative and threatened to shoot any one who would attempt it. He left the train and went to father-in-law's house to tell what he had been doing. He walked back to Philipsburg, and finding that his wife had been taken to the hospital, went thither to asthat an operation was necessary but that certain how badly he had hurt her. While there he was captured by constable Ira Howe and her father, Mr. Moriarity, and brought to town at 10:45 p. m. On Sunday morning he was brought before J. C. it was run special from here to Sunbury, on Williams, justice of the peace, to whom he admitted the shooting of his wife, and said he did it for revenge. MRS. GILHAM WILL PROBABLY RECOVER.

The latest report from the Cottage hospital is to the effect that Mrs. Gilham is going to the Hot Springs, in Virginia, as soon as resting easy and will probably recover. She has slept well, the only trouble being caused by the bleeding of the wounds.

SHOT WHILE HUNTING. - Prothonotary John B. Lesher, of Clinton county, has lost the sight of his left eye as the result of an accident on Tuesday afternoon. He was with a Snow Shoe hunting party and was shooting pheasants near Beecher's camp when a shot from one of the guns struck him in the upper part of the body. One shot struck his left eye-ball, two in his cheek, one in the lip and a number in the arm. He had been in a ravine with his dog and went to ascend an embankment when one of the party, not knowing his dangerous position, shot at a bird with the distressing result.

Mr. Lesher was taken to Lock Haven as quickly as possible, but there it was found that the eye would have to be removed and he was taken directly to Philadelphia for the operation.

THE 110TH REUNION.—The fourteenth annual reunion of the 110th Reg., P. V., at Philipsburg, last Wednesday and Thursday, was quite a success. A large number of the survivors were present and every one enjoyed Philipsburg hospitality.

The election of officers for the ensuing year resulted as follows: President, Geo. W. Buck, of Altoona; first vice president, Geo. W. Waite, Tipton; second vice president, Simon Kephart, Osceola; secretary, L. C. Hagerty, Kipple; chapalin, A. J. Hall, Trough Creek, Pa.

Bellwood was fixed as the place for holding the next annual re-union, with the following as the committee for completing the necessary arrangements: Daniel Goss, Thomas Clossen, G. W. Waite and Joseph

-Mr. H. B. Neff, of Roland, this the merest chance. As it is Mrs. Samuel Thursday afternoon. Rev. A. P. Wharton Gilham is lying in the Cottage hospital, in of the Methodist church officiated at the

> -George L. Williams, formerly of this place, was married to Miss Estelle Sechrist. at Howard, on Wednesday morning. The ceremony was performed at the home of the bride's parents, Rev. and Mrs. J. R. Sechrist, and Rev. A. Stapleton, presiding elder of this district of the Evangelical church, officiated. The groom will be remembered as having been connected with Powers' shoe store in this place for years and he is one of the best pen-men in the county, having made a specialty of artistic work with pen and ink. Mr. and Mrs. Williams will live in Pittsburg, where he has secured a position as a clerk.

C. H. MURRAY TO BE MARRIED.-C. H. Murray Esq., of Philadelphia, well known in this place, having been a law student in the office of Beaver and Dale, will be married to Miss Eveline Bard, of Reading, on November 9th

The bride comes from one of Reading's most respected families and possesses the many qualities that go to make up a lady in its fullest sense. The groom is a native of Centre Hall and a son of J. D. Murray, the druggist. He is a graduate of Princeton and a New York law school and sever- bers of the Street committee as to the best sons who had collected at the Pennsylva- al years ago was admitted to the bar of the policy to pursue in the matter of laying Centre county courts. He is at present en- crossings. Chairman Brachbill took the joying a splendid practice. Mr. and Mrs. Murray will be at home at Lansdown for far in debt to admit of its building anythe winter.

Mr. Murray is associated with Thaddeus Vanderslice, a prominent corporation lawyer of Philadelphia.

BRUSH.—The indignation of certain of the students of the Pennsylvania State College at members of the faculty of that institution, for not giving the foot ball men sufficient encouragement, found vent in various significant hieroglyphics and inscriptions that were painted all over State College last Saturday night.

The sides of new buildings, fence posts, side-walks and the walls of the armory were daubed with anything but elegant expressions and a diligent search is being made for the perpetrators.

Such actions are not calculated to turn the professors who were thus ridiculed to the desired co-operation with the foot ball men and are more likely to make them less thoughtful of the fact that if State is to have a team competent to cope with those of the larger colleges her men must, at least, be given all the time possible for

THE VALENTINE IRON WORKS.—The report is in circulation that the Valentine iron works will resume next week which, right cheek, inflicting an ugly, but not a unfortunately, is untrue. Rodger's, Brown fatal wound. With the assistance of a & Co., a firm of brokers in Cincinnati, THE CONDITION OF GEORGE W. JACK- couple men she walked to Parker's book have been here and signified their willingcarriage to the Cottage hospital, where the ness to take every pound of iron made at At a slight increase of cost, 'tis true, but the Valentine works, paying for it in cash at a material saving in the end. as delivered on the bank. They were large buyers of "Nittany" before the suspension and are particularly desirous of having the furnace resume because its product is a grade of softener that they need for their trade and can get only at this point.

> It will probably be known to-day whether the plant is to resume soon. If certain conditions prescribed by the Cincinnati firm are fulfilled they will furnish the money to start the plant again and keen it going.

News Purely Personal.

-J. H. Weber, Boalsburg's hustling merchant, spent yesterday in Bellefonte.

-Howard Spangler and family have moved to Harrisburg, where Howard has secured a good position as an operator on a type-setting machine. -Mrs. W. F. Reeder, who is just recovering from a long illness of inflammatory rheumatism, is she is able to travel.

-Mrs. Charles J. McCue and her three children are here from Duluth, Minn., for a visit to Mrs. McCue's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Montgon ery, of Allegheny street.

-Mrs. Louise Bush went to Port Deposit, Md., on Tuesday morning, and after the marriage of one of her relatives there she will visit Harry in Philadelphia for a few days.

-Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Beaver, of State Colere, were in town yesterday combining the pleasa little necessary shopping.

-H. L. Hutchinson, P. R. R., passenger agent at an extended trip to Hot Springs, Ark., where he went to get the rheumatix boiled out of him.

-Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Crider and Miss May were in Philadelphia the fore part of the week on their way to Bethlehem, where Burns, the eldest son of the family, was married, on Wednesday evening. -Mr. Richard Gates and his niece were down

from Rock Spring, Tuesday, to do some shopping. It was the young lady's first visit to Bellefonte and of course she was pleased with everything t be seen here. -Mr. and Mrs. John P. Harris Jr., of Tyrone,

spent Sunday at Mr. Harris' parents home on Linn street. Mrs. Harris was Miss Katharyn Hutchinson, of Parkersburg, W. Va., and they were married on the 7th.

-Mr. and Mrs. George M. Neff, of Mt. Eagle, vere in town, on Tuesday, arranging for the sale of their farm stock, which will be made on the 13th of next month. Mr. Neff has decided to quit farming and after his sale will give his attention to other things. He is a son of Jos. L. Neff, the auctioneer.

-Mr. F. D. Fisher, head of the Lock Haven Democrat bindery department, with his assistant, is in town for a few days while measuring the books in the court house for which they will manufacture new covers. Their work has been so satisfactory wherever used that there is a grow ing demand for it.

-While in Norfolk, Va., two weeks ago, we met the proprietor of "The Globe". our big and up to date store, who is there overseeing and getting in order a new clothing store, the Liverights have started. Mr. Katz is only there for a month and if any one can make it go he can, for he has built up an excellent trade here in a

THE BOROUGH COUNCIL IN SESSION .county, and Miss Ida R. Leathers, of How-Council met, last Monday evening, with game of foot-ball, at Bellwood, Blair Co., doctors that either a fractured skull or con- ful wife murder, last Saturday night, by ard, were married at the bride's home last only six members present, but considerable business was attended to.

William P. Flack, of the Undine engine company, and Mr. Brachbill, for the Logan company, asked that council make the usual annual appropriations. \$250 were given the Logans and \$200 to the Undines. The former receives \$50 more than the later to support the hook and ladder truck.

Gottlieb Haag and D. C. Keller presented a petition, signed by Bishop street residents, for an arc light at the intersection of Penn and Bishop streets. The matter was referred to the proper committee and a report will be made at the next meeting.

The Water committee reported various repairs in the service and that a contract had been made with Mr. F. C. Williams for a water heater that will cost \$200. Benjamin Bradley was given the contract

to lay a plowed and grooved plank floor in the engine room of the new public building at a cost of \$142. The Street committee reported that the

cost of grading east Linn street to the borough line had been \$77.95.

Bills to the amount of \$735.92 were approved and council adjourned.

When the proceedings of the last meeting were published it was noted that there had been a disagreement among the memground that the borough is already too thing but the most inexpensive street crossings, while members Shortlidge and Shaffer maintained that it would be economy in the end to build the very best or none. In accordance with this view they presented a STUDENT ARTISTS WITH THE PAINT written report to council, on Monday night, setting forth the fact that Bellefonte's most progressive citizens had, in their day, advocated the best or none.

While chairman Brachbill's motive is andeniably of the best he takes a wrong premise in believing that it is easier for the taxpayers to build a cheap crossing than a good one. It would be all right if it were merely for temporary use, but the street crossings will be used as long as there is a resident in the town and under such conditions it is certainly far easier to pay for a first class one than for continued repairs to a cheap one; besides the comfort and creditable appearance of well laid substantial street crossings.

All the Street committee needs to convince it of misspent money is to examine some of the crossings that have been laid in this place. The material used is all right and the workmanship was all right, but the proper specifications were not given. The brick crossings that have been laid are, everyone, out of level already for the want of proper foundation.

Put down a concrete foundation, a strong curb, lay the bricks in cement and you will have crossings that will last forever.

-Shook Bros., the fancy stock raisers of Penn Hall, had their herd tested for tuberculosis a few days ago. Three of their finest bred cows were found to be affected and had to be killed.

Sale Register.

Oct. 28th-At the Jacob Weaver homestead, 1 mile north of Pine Grove Mills, horses, colts, blooded young cattle, implements, etc

Sale at 12:30 p. m. Oct. 23RD-At the residence of the late Wm. M. Adams, in Milesburg, household goods, two horses, vehicles, heifers, hogs, implements etc. Sale at 1 o'clock, p. m. Jos. L. Neff, Auc Nov. 2ND.—The Michael Grove farm in Spring township, situated 1 mile south of Bellefonte, comprising 156 acres fertile land. Good frame buildings, orchard, water, and near to churches and schools. Sale on premises. Sale at 2

Nov. 1sr.—At the Michael Grove farm in College township 1½ miles north east of Lemont, near Dales Summit, the farm comprising 170 acres of fine land will be sold. Good frame buildings, orchard, water and near to rail-road, churches and school-house. Sale at 2 o'clock p. m.

Nov. 13th.—At the residence of George M. Neff, 1 mile north of Mt. Eagle, horses, cattle, pigs, im-plements and grain. Sale at 1 o'clock p. m. Jos. L. Neff, Auc.

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 ed Wheat, old ... Barley, per bushel....... Ground Plaster, per ton. Buckwheat, per bushel... Cloverseed, per bushel...

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Potatoes per bushel. Eggs, per dozen. Sides ..

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