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THINGS ABOUT TOWN AND COUNTY

J. D. Shugert Esq., is improving his home on Linn street.

Simon Harper, of Centre Hall, is reported to be quite sick.

"Little Trixie" comes to Garman's on Thursday night, December 2nd.

The Reliance fire company of Philipsburg realized \$800 from a fair that closed on Saturday night.

McCalmont & Co., of this place, presented each one of their employees with a Thanksgiving turkey.

John Daughenbach, of Port Matilda, is 72 years old, yet he went out to the mountain and shot a ninety pound deer on Tuesday.

Three cells in the Centre county jail are to be lined with steel in order to make them more secure. W. T. Hillibish will do the work.

Former county commissioner James B. Strohm, of Centre Hill, cut the end of one of his fingers off, the other day, while shelling corn of his chickens.

To-night the annual Thanksgiving assembly will be given at the Pennsylvania State College. A special train will be run from this place to carry those who wish to attend.

Philipsburg is worried because the citizens of Osceola are making overtures to the Pennsylvania rail-road company to have their engine house moved from Philipsburg to Osceola.

Associate judge Corliss A. Faulkner is now rendering his last regular service on the bench. His term expires Jan. 1st, 1898, and after that time Centre county will have no associate judge.

Mike Lutsick, a Slav, was struck by a train at the junction, near Osceola, on Saturday night. His skull was fractured and he will hardly recover. He was on his way to church with another Slav.

"Ben" Hunter, the rufus-headed youngster who is the pride of former commissioner's clerk, R. F. Hunter's, home, in this place, tumbled over the banisters, on Saturday, and fractured his elbow.

Saturday the Bald Eagle, Nittany and Brush Valley Turnpike company filed a statement in the prothonotary's office, in Clinton county, in which they appeal from the \$4,500 damages which the viewers assessed in condemning that road.

The Bloomsburg Normal school football eleven "ranging" a cork legged centre rush against the State College team, last Saturday, and big Bill Murray, State's center, was knocked clear out. Bill is a good player but when it comes to pulling wooden legs he would sooner saw wood.

Mrs. Carpenter, who is staying with Mrs. Alexander, corner of Bishop and Spring streets, has some exquisite fancy work in the way of table centres, tea table covers, dollies and cushions which would make most acceptable presents for Christmas.

The Hale estate has brought a suit in ejectment against the Central rail-road of Penna., to recover for a strip of land at the foot of Lamb street. It is about one-fourth of an acre in the vicinity of the station and the tracks and turn-table are claimed to be located on it.

Anna Maria, wife of George Brumgard, died at her home in Miles township, on last Saturday, at the age of 68 years. Deceased was a very estimable woman and had been a life long member of the Lutheran church. She is survived by a husband and nine children. Interment was made at Brumgard's church, on Tuesday.

Former sheriff W. Miles Walker, of this place, fell and injured himself severely at Farrantsville, Clinton county, last Friday night. He was walking across the coal trestles of Fredericks, Monroe & Co., when he missed his footing and fell through, injuring his back. He came home, on Saturday morning.

W. A. Hartsock, of Martha, had seven acres of corn out that yielded 1,000 bushels and one acre produced 160 bushels. The variety is known as "Clark's Mastodon." The cob is red and grain is very long and deep. Some of the ears were as thick as his arm and had thirty-two rows of seed. This corn is not as hard and flinty as other kinds and the stock seems to prefer it.

Sixty years ago there were eighteen distilleries in Penna. valley. This year there is but one. The Centre Hall Reporter says: Going back thirty to fifty years ago every farm house had a barrel of whiskey in the cellar and the bottle was taken to every hay and harvest field. Now you can scarcely find enough of the ardent on any farm to wet your whistle. Yet the world moves, only there is not as much reeling on terra firma.

A Liberty township resident recently presented a certificate to the county commissioner's calling for a bounty on twelve wild cat scalps. It was sworn to before 'squire Schenck, of Howard, but the commissioners were suspicious and would not pay it. Later 'squire Schenck was consulted and it was found that the certificate had evidently been raised from 2 to 12. Had the dishonest scheme carried the county would have been mulcted of \$20, as the bounty is \$2 per scalp.

A GLORIOUS DAY FOR MILESBURG METHODISTS.—THEIR FINE NEW CHURCH DEDICATED.—A more ideal fall day, a brighter one more in keeping with the joyous dedicatory services at Milesburg could scarcely be imagined than last Sunday was. Everything seemed propitious for the event that was to mark an epoch in the history of Methodism in that place.

The pretty new church that is the offering of her people to the service of God was dedicated without a single untoward feature to mar the pleasure that all derived from it. It is a building that would be a credit to any town and, as Dr. Gray said, "its greatest beauty lies in the fact that it will always be the welcome retreat of people of every creed, with the Methodists merely the hospitable keepers."

The dedicatory services began at 10 o'clock Sunday morning. The church and Sunday school room had been thrown into one large auditorium and was filled with people when the choir, under the direction of Mr. Lyman T. Eddy, began the opening anthem. Bishop Thomas Bowman, of St. Louis, Mo., senior bishop of the Methodist church; Rev. D. S. Monroe, presiding elder of this district; Rev. Dr. W. A. Stephens, of Bellefonte; Rev. Dr. Edward J. Gray, president of Dickinson seminary at Williamsport; Rev. B. P. King, Williamsport, and Rev. G. W. McInay, of Pleasant Gap, were in the pulpit. Bishop Bowman took his text from Hebrews' 13th and 16th and preached one of those plain, convincing, beautifully simple sermons that have made him famous in many countries of the globe. It was full of reminiscences of his early days in the ministry in Central Pennsylvania and its effect was seen in the eager interest with which all present hung on every word of the speaker.

At the conclusion of the sermon Rev. Dr. Gray undertook to raise enough funds to clear the church indebtedness so that it could be dedicated. About \$1,200 was pledged at the morning service, but that was insufficient and the formal dedication was deferred until the evening.

At the regular hour in the afternoon the Sunday school met in the old church and marched, in a body, to their delightful new quarters. The regular service was held and then Rev. Dr. Monroe addressed the school.

The evening services began with the Epworth League exercises, which concluded in time for the regular church meeting. Rev. Dr. Gray delivered a most eloquent sermon, the result of which was the increasing of the morning's subscriptions to \$2,014. A small deficit remained, but the trustees assumed that and then bishop Bowman formally dedicated the building to the service of God.

THE OLD AND NEW CHURCHES.

The Milesburg church is one of the oldest in the county and dates back to 1818. The first service were held in a blacksmith shop, later in a barn and then the school house, and the first church was erected in 1845, it being the edifice in which the congregation worshipped until the present time. Two years ago a movement was started for the erection of a new church and a committee appointed of which the pastor, Rev. Geo. E. King, was the official head. Rev. King at once went to work and now has completed one of the neatest and most substantial buildings to be found in any of the small towns of the country. It is built of brick, Gothic style of architecture. The main auditorium is 40x50 feet with a chapel 26x38 feet, attached, which can be thrown into the main room by folding doors, the whole capable of seating, comfortably, 900 people. The corner stone of the new church was laid August 2nd of last year. The present membership is about 225, with forty probationers. The Sunday school also numbers more than 250 scholars. The congregation has an unbroken record for paying in full its share for pastoral support and all benevolent objects.

Rev. King, the pastor, is a native of Cameron county, and has been engaged in the ministry seventeen years. This is the third church he has been instrumental in building—one at Benette and the other at Liberty, Tioga county. The first was a \$7,000 structure, the second \$5,000, and the church dedicated Sunday oct 26, 1890.

The building is located within a square of the old church and fronts on the main street of the town. The interior is pleasingly attractive and in its effect is decidedly harmonious. The prevailing colors in the decorations are terra-cotta and old blue and the vaulted ceiling is so ornamented as to make it an object of interest. An immense old brass chandelier is pendant from the central dome and its mellow light illumines every part of the building in a way that carries out a very artistic color effect. The windows are all in colors that blend nicely with the prevailing decorations, and the carpet is in two shades of brown. The wood-work throughout is light oak.

The seating of the building is arranged in a semi-circle about the pulpit, which is in an alcove in the centre of the west side of the church. The choir box is to the right of the pulpit and ends at the sliding partition that separates the Sunday school room from the main auditorium. The floor, in the church proper is sloping to the altar.

On the whole the interior is about as pleasing in its appointments and effect as it could possibly be and the church is certainly a great credit to the people of Milesburg and vicinity.

SOME FACTS ABOUT THE BUILDING AND ITS BUILDERS.

The ground for the new church was broken on the 2nd of June, 1896, by the pastor, Geo. E. King, and the corner stone

was laid by Rev. D. S. Monroe, D. D., Aug. 2nd, 1896.

The building committee were Messrs W. B. Miles, C. H. Else, J. D. Knarr, F. G. Mattern, L. C. Bullock, Jr., and the pastor. The architect was Rob't. Cole, of Bellefonte. Contractors for the carpenter work were J. D. Knarr and John Confer, of Milesburg, Pa. Mr. Lew Wallace had the brickwork. Mr. Samuel Williams and S. H. Orris the painting. C. D. Rudy, of Harrisburg, the frescoing.

The pulpits were built and donated by Mr. Samuel B. Myers, of Central City. Pulpit chairs were also built by S. B. Myers and donated by L. T. Eddy.

The windows were given by the following persons:

Auditorium. The large one in front to the deceased members of Bald Eagle lodge, I. O. O. F., No 410, by the lodge, the large one in the northern end of auditorium by the family of Rev. Geo. W. Bouse and is to the memory of Geo. W. Bouse and his wife, Virginia. The twin windows above the choir loft were given by Mrs. Jane Kitchen and are to the memory of Joseph Kitchin. The twins to the left of pulpit were given by Clayton Poorman, of Tyrone, Pa., and are to the memory of his father and sister, Robinson Poorman and Myrtle Poorman. The one over the pulpit was given by the ladies of the church and dedicated to Rev. Geo. E. King and his wife. The one to the right in the lower vestibule was given by Mrs. Rachael Liker and is to the memory of Mr. John Like. The one to the left is in memory of Thos. B. Taylor, a member of the building committee of the old church, and was given by his grandsons. The two in the Sunday school vestibule were given by Oscar Miles and dedicated to his father and mother, William B., and Emma Miles.

The windows in the S. S. room are as follows: The large one in front was given by the M. E. S. S. and dedicated to L. T. Eddy, the superintendent. The others as follows: No. 1, presented by the Senior Epworth League; No. 2, presented by the M. E. congregation of Unionville; No. 3, to the memory of T. M. and Uretta Hall, by their children. In the infant room one was presented by Mrs. Mary Snyder and another by the Junior Epworth League.

The members of the choir on sabbath were: L. T. Eddy, leader, Miss Ida Orris, organist, Miss Bell Jones, Florence Orris, Lorena Mattern, Mrs. Frank Eddy Zimmerman, Mrs. G. E. King, Miss Mable Orris, Grace Jones, Blanche Stonerod, Bernard Green, Lane Boggs, James Campbell, Frank Baird, Frank Campbell and Calvin Zimmerman.

Burglars stole over \$800 worth of jewelry from F. B. Painter, of Muncy, on Tuesday night, and to think, he was an editor, too.

May Smith Robbins is an old favorite in this place and will more than likely be greeted by a full house when she comes to Garman's next Thursday night.

John Hines killed two pigs, at Salona, on Tuesday, that weighed 924 lbs. They were only 10 months old, and dressed 502 lbs and 422 lbs respectively.

Clearfield county is going to have a remodeled jail. The interior of the old building will be torn out and new steel cells put in, so arranged that the corridors will be on the outside. The work will be begun about the first of the year and while it is being done the prisoners will be removed to jails in neighboring counties.

E. W. Bigony, the Lock Haven man who killed himself by shooting last week, an account of which was published in the WATCHMAN of the 19th, was the first proprietor of the Bush house in this place. He opened that hotel and after running it for awhile entered the coal business here with W. B. Rankin. He lived here until 1877.

The foot ball game between the Pennsylvania State College eleven and the Bloomsburg Normal school team, on Beaver field, at State College, on Saturday afternoon, fulfilled expectations in being exciting. The visitors proved themselves just about as much as the blue and white could handle and only after the most desperate playing were the Collegians able to win out by the score of 10 to 0.

The farmers' institutes for Blair county are to be held next week at Tyrone and Roaring Springs. At Tyrone the institute will be held in the armory of Sheridan troop, on Monday and Tuesday, November 29th and 30th, and at Roaring Springs, in the Lutheran church, on Wednesday and Thursday, Dec. 1st and 2nd. For the Tyrone meeting H. L. Harvey, formerly of this county, T. M. Fleck, A. G. Morris, H. A. Gripp and T. L. Coleman are the members of the committee. In addition to the local talent Dr. William Frear, of State College; George Nox McCain, of Philadelphia; Col. John A. Woodward and Hon. G. W. Owens will be there as instructors.

Mrs. Susan Gossler Pague has instituted divorce proceedings in the Lancaster courts against lieutenant Samuel S. Pague. The trouble began out at Fort Sheridan, near Chicago, several years ago, when the lieutenant shot at the colonel of his regiment. He was court martialed and dismissed from the army and since then has been leading a dissolute life. Mrs. Pague charges him with non-support, intoxication, carelessness of the payment of his debts, threatening to break her wrists and other misdoings. The whole affair is most unfortunate for when the lieutenant was stationed at State College, '86-'90, they, seemingly, were most congenial and certainly had a pleasant home.

BELLEFONTE RUNAWAYS.—Runaways from Bellefonte are not unusual. Scarcely a month passes that some youngster doesn't get it into his misguided head that he is not treading as rosy a path as he thinks he was born to and determines to leave home and friends to seek fame and fortune in distant parts. Some of them start West in a high fever of excitement over indians, gold digging and ranch-life; others strike for the alluring cities; none go for the country, but all soon find themselves leading the knocked-about, cold potato dieted life of a tramp and are glad enough to get back to the homes they left behind them.

Bellefonte has had many such cases, but her most exceptional one has turned up in "Benny" Schrock, the fourteen year old son of Christopher Schrock, of east High street. Some time ago he left a good home and started off to tramp. After getting as far away as Pittsburg he regretted his course and the following account of the story he told there was published in a Pittsburg paper of last week.

Ben Schrock, aged 14 years, who says he lives at Bellefonte, was a nonchalant yesterday on examiner George Hoffman, of the department of charities, Pittsburg. He had been advised to see Mr. Hoffman by some charitably disposed ladies in the East End. Young Schrock was a forlorn-looking little fellow and was the picture of distress as he sat in the office and answered the questions of the examiner, and pleaded for transportation to his home in the eastern part of the State. According to the boy's story, and it was believed he told the truth, he was induced to run away from home weeks ago by a friend named Barthurst. He said they would go to Pittsburg, where they had strikes, and men were afraid to take the strikers' places for fear of being killed.

Young Barthurst told him they could make name for themselves by "jumping in" and going to work. The picture was painted in such alluring colors that Schrock consented, and the boys left home together. The first night away from home was spent with a number of tramps in a box car, about twelve miles from Hollidaysburg. The men, three in number, kept the boys for two weeks and compelled them to beg for them as they tramped over the country. When the boys did not bring back good, wholesome food the men would beat them, and they threatened to kill them if they dared to tell anyone of whom they asked assistance the story of how the men kept their prisoners and compelled them to beg. Finally, one night when the weather was warm, the boys planned to run away and while their captors slept in a stable, Schrock and Barthurst made good their escape. They mounted a freight train and made their way to East Liberty, arriving at the stock yards some days ago.

A boy who worked about the yards took them to his home, on River avenue, where they had been Tuesday night, when the parents of Barthurst sent him money to go home. Then Schrock wanted to go back also, but had no money. After telling his story to some kindly disposed ladies, he was advised to call on the poor authorities. Examiner Hoffman telegraphed to the boy's father, at Bellefonte, and asked him to pay for a ticket to send the boy back home. Young Schrock was probably sent on his way rejoicing on one of the evening trains yesterday.

Ben arrived home, on Friday night, and appeared to be thoroughly delighted at being back with his brothers and sisters again, but the young rascal had scarcely gotten himself cleaned up until he was off again.

On Saturday morning he piloted little Jim Weaver, a son of George Weaver, and Jim Mayhew, a little colored boy, out of the town and the trio started on the road together. They went to Snow Shoe Intersection where they boarded a freight train for Lock Haven. Upon reaching that place they put up beside the warming fires of the brick works and staid about there until Monday, when it got too cold for them and they struck for Mill Hall. There conductor Hogue, of the Central freight, packed them into his caboose and they got back here Monday afternoon; Weaver and Mayhew sadder, but wiser lads, and Schrock still retaining that mysterious, non-committal air that grieves his parents so much and keeps them in a constant worryment as to his next escapade.

George Weaver started after his son, as soon as he discovered that he had run away, traced them to the Intersection, but went on to Tyrone and Altoona, thinking they had gone west. All of the boys have good homes.

THE STRAW STACK COLLAPSED AND BURIED SEVEN CATTLE.—The large straw stack in the barn yard on Mr. Henry Sampsell's farm, near Pleasant Gap, fell over some time Sunday night and seven head of young cattle were buried under it.

Mr. Sampsell had been out to his barn at nine o'clock, on Sunday evening, and everything was all right then, but when Charley, his son, went to do the feeding at 5 o'clock Monday morning he discovered that the great stack had toppled over and, worse still, that only two of the nine cattle that he had left in the yard the night before were in sight.

Hurrying back to the house he aroused his father and with the aid of a team of horses and a hay fork they started to drag the straw off the cattle. It was some time before the first one was reached and when it was found to be still alive they worked with a renewed energy to uncover the others before they had smothered. Six of them were taken out alive, but the seventh one, a fine young heifer, was dead.

All that had been lying close about the bottom of the stack were living, but the one that was dead had evidently started to run away when the avalanche of straw began, but was not quick enough to escape it. They were wet as if just pulled from a stream.

Mr. Sampsell does not know what caused the stack to collapse. It was not a windy night and the stack had been built very broad. Charley was the builder, so he will have a problem to figure on before next season's threshing begins.

FOUR BIG PIGS.—John S. Holmes, of Jacksonville, butchered four large porkers one day last week. They weighed 483 lbs, 462 lbs, 437 lbs and 402 lbs, respectively.

FELL FROM A TREE AND BROKE HIS NECK.—The long chain of frightful fatalities seems as if it would never break and this community is growing so accustomed to their painful regularity that aside from the sadness always occasioned by death only a momentary interest is aroused, when the details of some terrible accident in our midst are made known.

Lawrence Shivery, the eldest son of Harry Shivery, who lives about two and one-half miles west of Bellefonte, on the Buffalo Run road, fell thirty feet from an old tree, on Tuesday morning, and broke his neck. The lad had been in bright spirits all morning and was getting ready for school when his little brother Andrew told him that he had seen two gray squirrels run into an old tree in a little strip of woods, just west of the farm barn. Together the boys went out to try and catch the squirrels. Lawrence started to climb the tree, which was an old one without any limbs near the ground, and had reached a height of about thirty feet, where he placed his one foot on a knot. It broke off and he fell to the ground, alighting on his head.

Little Andrew, who is only seven years old, ran to his brother and tried to raise him to a sitting posture, while anxiously asking him where he was hurt. No response came to the child's frightened questioning and leaving his brother lying in the snow he ran to the house to get help. Mr. Shivery hurried to the place and picked up his boy, but he must have been dead even then, for he was carried to the house without showing a sign of life other than several gasps. Dr. Seibert was summoned from this place. When he arrived he found that his neck had been broken and his skull fractured by the fall.

J. Lawrence Shivery was born August 30th, 1884, and was the eldest of the two children of the family. He was a bright, pleasant lad and his sad death is a grievous sorrow to his parents. Funeral services were held yesterday afternoon at the Shivery home, Rev. D. L. Jones, of the Presbyterian church, and Dr. Stephens, Methodist, conducting. Interment was made in Myer's cemetery.

A MODERN FOUNTAIN OF YOUTH.—Were the shade of Ponce de Leon to steal a pair of Cap't. Paul Boynton's water walking shoes orskirmish up the faith that held Peter up on the surface of Galilee, and scoot off across the Styx for another exploration in America he would not need to struggle through the rank grass and sulphur swamps of Florida in the vain search for the fountain of youth. He could come right up to Centre county, take an L. and T. train to Oak Hall and then a two mile ride in a bus would land him at Boalsburg, the metropolis of Harris township. Somewhere in that locality the spring must be located.

The good people of Boalsburg are living on in the even tenor of their way, apparently unconscious that they must have some life giving font somewhere in their midst. It is certainly there. Either in the water, the air, or the shadow of the majestic Tussey. There the scriptural length of life cuts no figure, for many of the good old residents have passed the three score and ten period, ten or fifteen years ago, and from present indications have no notion of shuffling off this mortal coil and we can say, very truthfully, we would be very sorry if they had. The aggregate age of a dozen of the residents of Boalsburg is one thousand and nine years, or an average of over 84. Jonathan Tressler, is 97 years; David Stewart, is 85; Major W. H. Miller, 85; James Price, 84; Mrs. Price, 82; Miss Rebecca Sparr, 85; Daniel Bohn, 82; David Keller, 82; Mrs. J. Weber, 81; Mrs. John Carper, 81; Mrs. Catherine Woods, 82; and Mrs. Jessie Moore, 81. They are all hale and hearty and bid fair to reach the century mark.

Rev. Samuel Creighton, of Mackeyville, is threatened with typhoid fever.

Lively dances, catchy songs and exciting stage fun at "Little Trixie" at Garman's, Thursday night, December 2nd.

News Purely Personal.

—Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Krebs, of Pine Grove Mills, spent Saturday in town, taking an anteholiday look at the stores.

—Hon. Willis R. Biery, who is now with Reich & Co., law book publishers in Philadelphia, was in town, on Tuesday night.

—Mrs. Elmer Campbell, of Linden Hall, and her little daughter Mary, were in town, Saturday, the guests of Miss McQuestion. They were bound for Tyrone, where they will visit for a week or ten days.

—Miss Elizabeth Blanchard is home from Bryn Mawr to spend a short holiday season of rest from her duties as an instructor in the Bryn Mawr college for women. Edmund came home with her. He is a student at the University of Pennsylvania.

—One of our pleasant callers, on Saturday, was Mr. C. W. Smith, of Howard. He gets to this place very rarely, but is one of those gentlemen who is not much given to running around, unless he has business to take him away from home.

—Toner Hugg, of Milesburg, spent part of last Friday in this place. He is a son of merchant E. Hugg of that place, and besides taking a little hand in the sale of goods, is quite a fast bicycle rider, a member of the Consolidated band and is just now changing off a fine gramophone.

—Mr. Washington Garbrick, of Fairbrook, was in town last Friday to see his friends hereabouts and look after some business that needed his attention. Since he has moved so far away his Bellefonte friends don't see him nearly as often as they did when he managed the Reynolds' farm, a short distance west of this place.

—Mr. Geo. W. Ishler, of Boalsburg, eldest son of the late Samuel F. Ishler, was in town, on Friday, settling up some of his father's business. He is a genial young man and from his frank, open manner he must certainly make an admirable head for the family since the father is gone. He has started off to do things right and in his case we trust that the old saying that a "good beginning is a battle half won" will prove true.

AN AFFLICTED FAMILY.—Last week we published an account of the shocking death of the late Joseph Fox, who had been killed by the cars on Race street, in this place, on Saturday morning, November 13th. It was truly an irreparable loss to his family, but proved the beginning of a series of unfortunate occurrences.

On Friday morning Mrs. Rose Fox, his mother, who lives at the son's home, tripped on the bottom of the basement stairs and fell violently to the floor. She injured her knee very severely and as she is over 80 years old her condition was quite serious for awhile, but at this writing she is very much improved and will recover.

Helen, one of the little daughters of the family, was stricken with diphtheria, shortly after her father's death, and the house is now quarantined by the board of health. This was a particularly untimely misfortune as it necessitated a separation of the family and deprived the sorrowing ones at home of any communication with friends in the town. She is much better now though Dr. Harris reports the case as having been a "very marked" one.

Mrs. Fox has decided to enter suit against the P. R. R. for \$50,000 damages.

THE SKEWER FACTORY A SUCCESS.—

The plant for the manufacture of skewers that has been in operation at Crider's lumber yards for some time promises to be a great success. The machinery was designed by Ira Robbins and built at the Jenkins & Lingle machine works in this place. The machines turn out skewers at the rate of many thousands an hour and have been working so satisfactorily as to justify Mr. F. W. Crider's statement that it will be one of the most successful enterprises he ever went into.

F. W. Crider and Ira Robbins are the owners of the plant and it is reported that they have just landed an enormous order from Swift & Co., of Chicago.

Skewers are the small wooden pins used in fastening meat roasts together.

THE LADIES' SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA AT STATE COLLEGE.—

The ladies' symphony orchestra from Boston that will appear at Garman's to-night, as the third attraction in the People's popular course, has been booked for a performance at State College to-morrow night.

The concert will be given in the college chapel and the entire company of twenty-five people will be there, so that the people of that community will have a rare opportunity to hear a fine orchestra, with high class vocalists and Marshall K. White, the humorist. Admission 35cts. and 50cts.

CHANGE OF TIME TABLE.—The Pennsylvania rail-road company announces slight changes in the time table taking effect November 28th.

Train 4, from the West, will leave Montandon for the East and South at 1.22 a. m., instead of 1.30 a. m.

Train 2, leaving Bellefonte at 2.15 p. m. and Monday 5.07 will reach Philadelphia 25 minutes earlier, 10.20 p. m. This will add greatly to the popularity of this train for Philadelphia travel.

Notice.

On and after Nov. 15th, 1897, the Phoenix Flouring Mill of this place, previously operated by George W. Jackson & Co., will be operated by the Phoenix Milling Co., composed of W. Fred Reynolds, J. L. Montgomery and Curtis J. Wagner.

Mr. Wagner, who for several years has conducted Rock Mills, has charge of the manufacturing and a high class of flour and feed is assured.

The new company solicits a continuance of the patronage which the mill enjoyed, under its former management, and will endeavor to give entire satisfaction to the trade. 42-44-ft PHOENIX MILLING CO.

Sale Register.

Dec. 1st.—At the residence of Shredack Parson, two miles north of Unionville, Horses, Cows, Cattle, Implements, Grain and Hay. Sale at 1 o'clock p. m.

Bellefonte Grain Market.

Corrected weekly by the PHOENIX MILLING CO. The following are the quotations up to six o'clock, Thursday evening, when our paper goes press: Red Wheat, old..... 85 Red Wheat, new..... 85 Rye, per bushel..... 35 Corn, shelled, per bushel..... 35 Corn, ears, per bushel..... 35 Oats, per bushel, old..... 20 Oats, per bushel, new..... 20 Barley, per bushel..... 20 Ground Plaster, per ton..... 8 00 Buckwheat, per bushel..... 25 Cloverseed, per bushel..... 35 00 to 37 00

Bellefonte Produce Markets.

Corrected weekly by Seehler & Co. Potatoes per bushel..... 60 Onions..... 75 Eggs, per dozen..... 20 Lard, per pound..... 6 Country Shoulders..... 6 Sides..... 6 Hams..... 10 Tallow, per pound..... 3 Butter, per pound..... 18

The Democratic Watchman.

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

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