

Bellefonte, Pa., Jan 21. 1898.

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THINGS ABOUT TOWN AND COUNTY

Ward Caucus Meetings.

The regular Democratic caucus meetings for the various wards of the borough of day evening, January 22nd, at the following places:

For the North ward, in the law office of Fortney & Walker.

For the South ward, in the recorder's of-

fice in the court house. For the West ward, in the DEMOCRATIC

WATCHMAN office.

-"A Breezy Time," at Garman's tonight. ---Corn and Bruce Garman are to take

for Tyrone. -The recent fire in Milesburg des-

ruary election. -Mrs. R. L. Dartt, formerly of this place, left for Patton, Clearfield county, on Monday, to take charge of her millinery

and fancy goods store, recently purchased from Miss Alice Ashcroft. ----Benner Graham has announced that he will be an aspirant for the Democratic nomination for poor-overseer of Bellefonte. Isaac Miller and Steele Hunter are both

after the Republican nomination. ---Joseph Rightnour, of the South ward, has announced himself as a candidate for the nomination for the office of

cision of the Democratic borough conferees. "A Breezy Time" is brimful of fun from the theatre goers. At Garman's to-night.

---The opera "Martha," by the Andrews' company, at Garman's, last Saturday night, was the musical event of the season. The company was the strongest and best balanced one that has ever sung

-The new steel cells are being put in the county jail this week. The entire second tier of the cells will be fitted up in that way and the building made much more secure than it is now. W. T. Hillibish and Harry Rine are doing the work.

——E. R Chambers Esq., entertained a number of fellow attorneys at dinner on Friday evening. Among his guests were former president judge A. O. Furst, judge John G. Love, C. M. Bower, D. F. Fortney, J. C. Meyer, W. E. Gray, Harry Kel-

-Chief of the fire department Samuel Meyers, John and Tom Meyers, of Lock and passed through here at 1:05. They Skaguay and over the Chilcoot pass.

in Altoona, on Tuesday night. When takwhen he had sobered up he had changed his mind and said he hadn't been robbed at all and was released.

-While Charley Hasel, a son of Jared Hasel, of Bush Addition, was pealing posts on the farm of John Rishel, near Bellefonte, on Tuesday, his drawing knife slipped and cut a terrible gash in one of his above the knee. He is confined to his

—The personal property of the Valentine iron company was sold at sheriff's sale, on Monday morning. C. M. Bower Esq., representing Col. Jas. P. Coburn, for Robert Valentine, bought the whole of it at a price slightly exceeding \$10,000. This proceeding was simply a part of the plan whereby it is hoped that the property can be gotten in such shape that Mr. Valentine can either sell or operate it.

-Maurice N. Trone is seriously ill at the home of F. H. Cota, corner of Spring and Howard streets. He had been threatened with malarial fever and was speedily removed from his rooms in the Y. M. C. A. building. His brother-in-law and sister, Dr. and Mrs. John A. Melsheimer, of Hanover, came up on Tuesday. The former left Wednesday, but Mrs. Melshemier will remain until Maurice has fully recovered. Yesterday his condition was extremely

-The lecture, last Tuesday night, by Rev. Anna Shaw was far ahead of anything that has been heard in the town this winter. In comparison Sam Jones was coarse, illogical and sacrilegious and the other lesser lights as tallow dips to a splendid, clear, noon-day sun. The size of the audience alone gave away "the intelligence and upto-dateness" of the community, about which our people love to brag, and the few men in evidence was proof of the statement that if the newspapers, preachers, poets and talkers do not soon take up the new man he will be so far in the rear attractive wisdom she is a wonderfully here again she will have an audience everyday, practical religion that has been The injured man lives at Paradise, just express between Lock Haven and Belleworthy of her reputation.

SUNDAY NIGHT'S FIRE A GRAND nificent sights than the fire that burned the Atlantic refining company's oil station in this place, on Sunday night.

The alarm for the West ward was sounded shortly after 8 o'clock when a small blaze had been discovered at the outside of the south-east corner of the Atlantic refining company's oil house, on south Potter street, this place. It was but a short time until the department was on the scene, but the building being of frame and very inflammable the fire had eaten well Bellefonte will be held at 8 o'clock, Satur- up along the end before the engines began working. Then orders were given not to go near the plant, as there were four tanks containing thousands of gallons of oil and a tank of gasoline that were liable to explode with disastrous effect at any moment. The firemen turned their attention to properties along St. Paul and Thomas streets, that were threatened by the shower of sparks that were carried before the high

The oil house, left to the fury of the flames, burned so as to make a magnificent charge of the Garman house after Al leaves spectacle Great columns of fire swirled up in the heavy oil smoke to a height of a hundred feet and the occasional explosion troyed the ballot boxes for that precinct of an oil barrel sent a shower of sparks and new ones will be supplied for the Feb- heavenward that looked like myriad stars, then the great tongues of flame would leap and dance from the tanks as if conscious fitful fury.

Of the four large oil tanks in the buildconstructed for just such an emergency. that are dear at half their cost. All had had weak fastenings for their caps, so that when gas was generated in them the caps, being weakest, were blown off and the pressure relieved. With the gasoline tank, that held 200 gallons that night, it was quite different. The gasoline is so volatile that the tighest kind of over-seer of the poor, subject to the defully forty feet away from the building, a tank is required to hold it and it was mounted again Half-moon hill. When the fire became hottest there was a heavy start to finish. Fitz and Webster have report and explosion and sheets of flame been seen here several times in the farce were shot high into the air. The tank and are general favorites with certain of had broken as square in two as if cut by a machine.

The intense heat of the fire ruined the oil tanks in the building. All but one of them contained oil and about ten thousand gallons were burned. A singular fact was the saving of about 2,400 gallons of oil in the large tank. Though the tank had burned for hours and was so hot as to be warped badly, when the fire had burned up everything about the place but the oil a blanket was thrown over the cap on the The oil that was not burned is a little discolored, but still burns with a fine light.

In addition to the oil station the pump house of the Bellefonte furnace company, adjoining, was burned. As the boilers and estimate of the loss to the company has not The furnace company carried no insurance.

The Atlantic refining company carried Haven, and Robert Meyers, of Flemington, no insurance and place their loss at \$2,500. deft for the Klondike yesterday at noon Mr. Greenwood, of Williamsport, the representative of the company was here yesterwill equip at Seattle then proceed to Dyea, day and was in consultation with Jos. L. Montgomery, the resident manager, -Thomas Fitzsimmons, a Centre regarding the immediate rebuilding. county man, was arrested for drunkenness, It is the intention to build a barreling house of brick, with an iron roof and en to the station house he assserted that a mount the tanks outside the building. bar-keeper had robbed him of \$15, but The old site will be used, if no objection is made, and the work of rebuilding will be

begun at once. There is little doubt that the fire was of

incendiary origin. LOCAL INSTITUTE FOR PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHERS.—The local public school teachers of institute district No. 2, embracing Centre Hall and State College boroughs legs. The knife penetrated clear to the and Potter, Harris, Ferguson and College bone of the fleshy part of the leg, just townships, will meet for their institute sessions, at Boalsburg, on Friday and Saturday, February 4th and 5th.

The institute will open Friday evening at 7 o'clock. Rev. A. A. Black will make the address of welcome and Sup't. C. L. Gramley the response. Dr. Martin G. I. Gilliland, A. Johnston and W. C. Pat-Benedict, of State College, will lecture on the "Formation of Habits."

On Saturday morning Miss Katharyn Kerr and Miss Caroline Hoy will recite, while W. A. Krise, Jacob Rhone, Miss Edna Krumrine, W. H. Roush, L. W. have been prepared.

At the afternoon session, on Saturday, Miss Bessie Walker, will be the reciter and G. B. Snyder, J. F. McCormick, F. A. Forman, J. B. Strohm, Miss Alice Dorworth. Miss Hunter, R. B. Harrison, S. E. Goss, D. K. Keller and J. L. Homes will discuss questions of interest both to teacher and

MEETING OF THE PRISONERS OF WAR Association.—The prisoners of war association of Centre county will meet in the rooms of Gregg post, G. A. R., in this January 25th. Business of importance will be transacted at the meeting. The time has been set for 10 o'clock so that out of town members can come in on the he escaped without any broken bones. morning trains and get away during the

afternoon. announced that Rev. Robert E. Wright, was taken from the perilous position. Dr. rector of St. John's Episcopalean church of this place, would probably resign owing to the wounds. He sewed the ear back to its that he will never catch up. Personally the fact that our climate is too severe for place and has hopes that it will grow on Miss Shaw is pleasing, her voice beautiful, him. He has tendered his resignation and again. He dressed it, yesterday afternoon, so that with her rare sense of humor and Rev. Core, of Renovo, is here until a new for the first time since Tuesday and found rector is called. Rev. Core preaches about its condition to be such as to give hope that sends papers the 265 miles from Philagifted woman and we hope if she is ever the soundest and most forcible, plain, that it will grow fast. heard in St. John's in many a year. west of Waddle's station.

-Renovo had only two fires during the Sight.—Bellefonte has had few more mag- year 1897 and neither one of them was disastrous.

> -John Wagner is hopeful of being the Republican nominee for assessor in the North ward.

-Alex L. Whiteman and sons. Will and Frank, formerly of this place, have decided to leave Piedmont, W. Va., and general mercantile business in the South.

---One of the most desirable and conments, good bath room, reception hall and is especially suitable for a small family. Rent reasonable, inquire of Mrs. R. V. Pugh, agent.

---Tom Switzer, whose interesting tales of his trials en route to the Klondyke are published in the Philipsburg Ledger, will be coming home some of these days to push poor old Mrs. Rorer off the lecture platform. He seems more concerned about his bread and cookies than he does over the possibility of finding gold

-Lyon & Co., are not going out of business, nor are they selling goods below cost, but are just now engaged in a legitimate clearance sale that is intended to move their enormous stock of goods in or- and Sidney, of this place. that they were not to be disturbed in their der to make room for spring and summer invoices. They have great bargains for all ing none exploded, because they had been new goods, not shelf worn, faded goods

-Those who have seen "A Breezy Time," which will appear at Garman's, to-night, say that it is the funniest farce added to it. Miss Kathryn Webster, a role, and E. B. Fitz, a comedian who is 1873. She had been a consistent member noted for his comicality as well as for his of the Methodist church, besides being a three hundred pounds avoirdupois, says dutiful and loving wife. that he has the "part of his life" in the Funeral services were held at 10 o'clock way of saying this, and it remains to be in the Zion cemetery. seen whether he is unintentionally exaggerating

-The young people of the United Evangelical church will give an entertain- day. She had suffered with cancer of the ment in the church, on Willowbank stomach and was 37 years old, leaving a street, Thursday evening, February 3rd, husband and two children to mourn her under the auspices of the K. L. C. E. death. Deceased was a daughter of Wm. society, for the purpose of assisting to Johnson, of Rote, and a sister of Ellery large tank and the flames smothered out. liquidate the salary of a faithful and Johnson, the music teacher. Her remains worthy pastor. Admission 15, 10 and 5 were interred at Cedar Hill on Monday. cents. Doors open at 7.

PRESBYTERIAN SOCIAL. — The Y. P. S. C. E. of the Milesburg Presbyterian church is making great preparation for a engines in it have not been examined to enuren is making great preparation for a winter tour of the United States, via the county. He was 95 years old and an adept find out whether they can be fixed up an Funville, Frolictown and Featherbrain

The society will be pleased to number all its friends among the tourists. The train will start from the parsonage, Rev. Wright's, at 8:00 p. m. Friday, Jan. 21st. Tickets for round trip, five and ten cents, meals included. The itinerary includes stops at most of the leading cities and points of interest in the United States. The social committee will be ready by 7:00 p. m. to welcome each and all.

WORKMEN ON THE NEW COLLEGE BARN BANQUETED.-John Carrigan's Union hotel, State College, was the scene of a very pleasant evening, last Thursday, when the twenty-one men who had been employed on the new College barn were banqueted by contractor Samuel Gault. The affair was in celebration of the prompt completion of the building and of the faithful service of the men who had been employed.

Mine host Carrigan and his good wife had prepared a fine menu for the men, and to say that they enjoyed it is but expressing it mildly. As is the case at all well regulated banquets toasts were proposed after the feast and contractor Gault, D. I. Richards, H. Showers, John Carrigan, W. terson made responses. Mr. Patterson had had supervising oversight of the building, for the College and during his remarks he stated that in all his visits to the building, during the progress of the work, he did not hear a profane or harsh word spoken by Musser, R. U. Wasson, J. A. Williams and any of the workmen. Rather a remarka-Walter Kerlin will discuss the topics that ble and certainly a very creditable record. The men presented Mr. Gault with a

which might disfigure him for life.

into the tipple and had one on which the run clear through, he did not notice another car that was following. It caught place, at 10 o'clock on Tuesday morning, him and jammed him between the side of the tipple and the car, into a space scarcely six inches wide. Mr. Leitzell is a large man and was frightfully squeezed, though

The right side of his face was lacerated in a painful manner and his right ear was nothing else. -Several weeks ago the WATCHMAN hanging by a mere shred of skin when he Kunes was speedily summoned and dressed

DEATH OF MRS. CHRISTENA KRUMRINE. -Mrs. Christena Krumrine, relict of the late John C. Krumrine, died at her home, at State College, on last Monday night at 8

o'clock in the 74th year of her life. Her death was not unexpected, as she had been ill for months, suffering with stomach trouble. Her family was at her bedside when she passed peacefully into eternity. Her christian life was made up move to Chicago. They had been in the largely of service for the comfort and happiness of others and her death, like her life, was one of joy and peace. Like a true disciple she worked quietly in the veniently located houses on Curtin street vine-yard of the Master so that few knew is for rent. It has all the modern improve- of her many kindnesses, other than those who had enjoyed them.

Mrs. Krumrine was a Decker before her marriage. She was born in Penn township and is survived by a sister, Mrs. slowly. Geo. Krape, of near Spring Mills, and one brother, Frederick, of Lemont. When quite young she married Mr. Krumrine and soon after they located in the "Barrens," north of State College, where their industrious and frugal habits soon bore fruit in a fine farm and comfortable home. It was there that she spent half a century and reared a family of nine children, all of whom survive but Mrs. M. D. Snyder. They are: Mrs. D. M. Neidigh, Mrs. W. B. Kemerer, Mrs. S. S. Grieb, John N., Adam, Jacob and Christena, all of State College,

Burial was made at Pine Hall vesterday morning. Services were held in the Luthcomers and the bargains are comparatively eran church, of which she had been a lifelong member, at 10 o'clock. Rev. C. T. Aikens and Rev. Black officiated.

SAD DEATH OF A YOUNG WOMAN .-Mrs. Epley Gentzel died at the country comedy by all odds that has been sent out home of Mr. Henry Gentzel, east of Bellethis season. It was funny enough last fonte, on Friday afternoon. Her death was season, but since then it has been revised a particularly distressing one and was and a number of new attractions have been caused by troubles incident to maternity. Mrs. Gentzel was a daughter of Herman charming singer and a graceful actress, is Miller, of east High street, and was born said to be specially well cast in the female in this place on the 28th of December,

present production. Comedians have a Monday morning and interment was made

-After nearly a year's illness Mrs. Thomas Lesh died at Salona, on last Fri-

---George Rogers, who died in the county home, in Clearfield county, last week, was born near Aaronsburg, this at weaving straw baskets and shaving

-Charles J. Wasson, a well-known Clinton county farmer, dropped dead at his home, at Cedar Run, on Saturday. Heart failure is supposed to have been the cause of his death.

HELD FOR COURT. - Ardell Campbell, the Bellwood boy who was brought to this place, last week, on suspicion of having been implicated, with Edward Woodring, in stealing cattle from Jacob Woodring last September, was given a hearing before justice Keichline, on Monday morning, and sufficient evidence was secured to hold

him for court. Campbell stated that Woodring, who is now in the reformatory for his mis-deeds, had hired him to help drive the cattle from Jacob Woodring's fields, near Port Matilda, to dairyman McClain's place, near Bald Eagle, where they were sold. He implieated his brother and another man whom he did not know by saying they had helped. The boy is only 19 years old and rather good-looking. He was sent to jail for

ANTIQUE PUMPKIN PIE AND SWEET CAKE.—We have no particular reason for doubting the veracity of D. S. Erb, the genial store keeper who supplies the wants of people in the vicinity of Struble's Station, west of State College, but we suppose there will be plenty skeptical enough to blame our imagination for part of this

On last Monday Mr. Erb celebrated his 66th birth-day and as side dishes to the His EAR TORN CLEAR OFF.-John fine dinner that was gotten up for the oc-Leitzell met with a terribly painful acci- casion he was served with pumpkin pie, dent, at Scotia ore mines, shortly after made from a two year old pumpkin, and eight o'clock Tuesday morning and one stuffed his "sweet-tooth" with cake that was three score years old. The pumpkin He was engaged in running the ore cars that lent itself to fattening up a good oldfashioned pie was raised in 1896 and laid brake was working poorly. In his efforts in the garret of Mr. Erb's home until last to get the car stopped, so that it would not week, when it was cut up and found to be in perfect condition.

The sweet cake that was only six years younger than Mr. Erb, himself, had been baked by his mother, away back in 1838, and had been stored away in an old chest. Of course it was not as soft and toothsome as it might have been the day it came out of the oven but it was an antique bite, if

THEY WILL ARRIVE EARLIER -OWing to a faster train service to Lock Haven liveryman Baum will be able to get the Sunday papers here at noon, on Sunday, hereafter, instead of four o'clock in the afternoon. It is certainly very fast work delphia, including the 27 miles by pony fonte, in nine hours

-S. M. Buck, whose condition has been so serious for the past few weeks, is reported to be on a fair way to recovery. He is in St. Joseph's hospital, Philadelphia. Last week it was thought that he would not recover.

-Mrs. I. N. Haupt, of Logan street, returned from Philadelphia, on Wednesday morning. She had been in the Hahnne man hospital to undergo an operation and is reported to have been greatly benefited

-J. W. Alexander and J. Thomas Mitchell have been appointed by the court to continue the work on the corporation index that was dropped when former recorder W. Galer Morrison became too ill to attend to it. Mr. Morrison is improving for the prizes, ranging from \$5,000 down,

-Thirty-one members of the Lock Haven lodge of Odd Fellows arrived in town, last evening, to pay the Bellefonte lodge a fraternal visit. They came in over the Central at 6.10 and returned by a special train at 11 o'clock. The visitors were banqueted in Odd Fellows' hall.

-The many friends of John Kline Esq. of this place, who was taken to a Philadel phia hospital last week, to undergo an operation for appendicitis, will be pained to learn that a more careful diagnosis of his case has revealed the fact that he has a cancerous growth in the abdomen that has involved all of his intestines. An operation was impossible and it is reported that he cannot survive long. A telegram, last evening, announced the fact that he is getting along nicely and will be home next Tues-

---Our good friend, the Rev. Hoo-ra Lincoln Jacobs, of Tyrone, has been have ing a great revival in his church lately, but it appears that some of his congregation attended a social function where there was dancing, during the progress of his meetings, and he got after them a few nights ago. He is reported to have announced that he did not want anybody who had been there to take a conspicuous place in his meetings. Instead of banishing them to the back seats he ought to "do them over" and do them well enough that they will have no desire to waltz about on their toes.

News Purely Personal.

-Samuel Brugger, Esq., of Unionville, was in own between trains yesterday afternoon. -The Misses Mary and Annie Jenkins, of Milon, are guests at the home of their uncle, Dr. E. S. Dorworth, on east High street. -Hon. James North and his daughter, Mrs.

Mary Jacobs, of Mifflin, are visiting at the hospitable home of F. W. Crider, on Linn street. -On Friday Minnie E. Hoy and Mrs. Woods

spent the day very pleasantly at the inviting home of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Meyer, in this place -Mrs Fannie Shugert, widow of Hon. S. T. Shugert, has been visiting her friends here and in Philipsburg. She will return soon to Bala, near Philadelphia, where she now makes her home. -P. H. Meyer, Esq., of Boalsburg, was in town, Wednesday, and after the transaction of the ousiness that brought him here had time to get a line on county politics before leaving for home on

an afternoon train -Hon. W. K. Alexander, of Millheim, who had been in town most of the week looking after the interests of the Millheim and Capitol building and loan associations, returned to his home, veserday afternoon, having accomplished consider-

-Miss Lizzie Fry, daughter of W. H. Fry, of Pine Grove Mills, has gone to Philadelphia for an indefinite stay. Lizzie has made her home with Mrs. W. T. Speer, on High street, for the last six years and is so pleasant and good natured that very one liked her and wishes her well.

-Mrs. W. W. Woods, of Mammoth Springs. rkansas, who had been visiting, Mr. and Mrs. H. K. Hoy, and near relatives for the past three weeks, departed, on the 1:05 train, Saturday, for Pittsburg, where she will spend a short time visiting her cousin, Mrs. G. S. Peifer. From there she will leave for her southern home. Mrs. Woods is the youngest daughter of the late Henry Hoy, only brother of H. K. Hov.

-Mr. Samuel B. Leathers, of Mt. Eagle, spent part of last Friday in town and dropped in for a noment's chat. He was on his way to McCalmon & Co's., where he bought a wheel-barrow and a sieve. The barrow was redder than a Bald Eagle sunset and will cut a pretty gay figure on Mt. Eagle streets. We didn't ask Mr. Leathers whether he was getting ready to make garden, out it looked a little as if he were.

-Benj. Kauffman, of Zion, is almost as familiar a figure on the streets of Bellefonte as if he wer a resident of the town, vet don't let yourself think that he isn't much of a farmer because he is here so often. He is one of the most progressive and hard working husbandmen of Nittany valley and the substantial manner in which he lives and conducts his business is evidence that he has made farming pay.

-'Squire O. H. Nason, of Martha Furnace, the youngest 'squire in the county, was in town on Wednesday on his way to the county grange meeting at Hublersburg, but as the trains didn't run to suit him he didn't get any further than this place. He seemed very much interested in the painting of the street mail boxes that was going on while he was here and approved of the department's having selected a color that looks so mu ike "free silver."

-Mr. J. A. Strunk drove up from his home near Spring Mills, on Tuesday, and spent the day in the pursuit of several business matters that needed his attention. He is a saddler by trade but just now is engaged in making the farm of postnaster J. D. Long, of Spring Mills, yield its best; devoting his spare moments to sitting astride his saddler's horse and earning extras during weather that he could not do anything on his fields. Mr. Strunk is reported to be one of the prosper ous men of that vicinity.

-R. H. Kreamer, of Nittany, spent a few hours in town, Tuesday evening, between trains. He is section foreman on the Central and rarely gets up here because of the constant care that his posiion involves. We suppose that all the track-men on the Central have been congratulating themselves that the winter has been an open one, fo without so much snow they can keep their road turn out most any time to help shovel one of tho big engines out of a cut that has drifted full.

-Mr. Henry Sampsell, of Pleasant Gap, was one he did not come freighted with news, as was th case the day he came in to tell us how mysterious-ly his straw stack had toppled over on his sleepng cattle, he was very welcome, nevertheless Mr. Sampsell is one of those men who has a grea bunch of interesting reminiscences at hand and apropos of the spring election, next month, his ludicrons side of being a poor over-seer is well All letters should be addressed to P. GRAY MEEK, Proprietor apropos of the spring election, next month, his

QUITE AN OLD PAPER.-Hamill Boal dropped into this office, Monday morning, with a copy of the Aurora-General Advertiser, a quaint looking, five column, four page paper published by William Duane, in Franklin court, Market street, Philadelphia, on September 18th, 1807. It is a daily edition and the subscription price

is announced as having been \$9 per annum. Among the advertisements that are to be found in the paper are notices of rewards to be paid for the apprehension of runaway slaves and bound boys, several cargoes of ships just in from France and the West Indies and a number of lottery drawings. The most surprising are these latter, for one was conducted by the Fourth Presbyterian church of Philadelphia and the drawing was advertised to be held in the State House. Another was called the "Lehigh Navigation" lottery and a third "the Holy Trinity church lottery."

To the person acquainted with the Philadelphia of to-day it appears quite a joke to read that a "lady at 50 north Front street offers two modern rooms, in an airy and central part of the city, to let."

It appears that in the theatrical line they had "a laughable scene of the comic horse and the clown," the gigantic ox" and the "matchless dancing filley" at the Ampitheatre on Centre square.

As a whole the paper is in a remarkably good state of preservation. The print is distinct and both press work and composition seems to have been good at the Advertiser office ninety years ago.

KOITSCH NOT GUILTY .- Paul Koitsch Jr., the Williamsport man, who was on trial for his life in Lock Haven, last week, has been acquitted of the charge of assaulting and murdering six year old Edna Krider. The crime was a particularly henious one and from the first excited considerable at-

The evidence against Koitsch was purely circumstantial, but it looked very dubious as to his being acquitted. He was sanguine from the time of his arrest, however, and when seen in jail, last Friday morning, after the verdict of not guilty had been returned, he simply stated that he had expected nothing else and reiterated his claim of innocence.

With his sister and lawver he went home on Friday. He had been in jail six months and four days.

---Jersey Shore has an electric light company capitalized at \$30,000 to which a charter was granted on Friday.

Extremely Low Fees.

Book-keeping, including books, only \$15.00. Short-hand daily, lessons for three months, \$15,00. Penmanship, drawing and painting correspondingly low at Nichol's school in Crider's Exchange.

Sale Register.

The experience of those who have used the ATCHMAN Sale Bills and "Register" in the nes has been so gratifying that we have no hesitancy in proclaiming them the best advertising mediums in Centre county for Public Sales the last few years a record has been kept of the eash receipts and gross amounts of the sales for which the advertisements have been left with this office and in every case better results have been reported than from corresponding sales advertised by other places. This spring the WATCH-MAN bills will be better and cheaper than ever. Don't think you can get them cheaper elsewhere, for you can't. You can get your bills done here just as cheap as anywhere, you can get better satisfaction, have your sale advertised better and be fitted out with the necessary sale supplies When your bills are printed at this office, you get everything else for nothing: notes, sale supplies and a notice in this column

MARCH 3RD.—At Daniel Heckman's, two miles west of Bellefonte, on the Brockerhoff farm, horses, cattle, farm implements and household goods, sale at 12, noon, sharp.

MARCH 87H.—At the residence of C. J. Stam, on the Dr. Hale farm, at Oak Hall, horses, cows, young cattle, hogs and sheep and a great variety of farming implements as good as new. Sale at 10 o'clock, a. m. Wm. Goheen, auctioneer. MARCH 197H.—At the residence of J. F. Garner, ½ mile north of State College, horses, cows, young cattle, implements, household goods. Sale at 10 o'clock a. m., Wm. Goheen, auctioneer. Marcii 21st—At the residence of John H. Strouse, on the John T. Fowler farm, in Taylor township, 13 horses, cows, young cattle, sheep, hogs and farming implements. Sale at 10 o'clock, a. m. Wm. Goheen auctioneer.

Bellefonte Grain Market.

Corrected weekly by the Phenix Milling Co. The following are the quotations up to six 'clock, Thursday evening, when our paper goes

Corn, shelled, per bushel Corn, ears, per bushel Oats, per bushel, old Oats, per bushel, new Barley, per bushel Ground Plaster, per ton Buckwheat, per bushel Cloverseed, per bushel\$6 00 to		35 30 20 20 30 00 25 00
Bellefonte Produce Markets		
Corrected weekly by Sechler & Co.	,	
Potatoes per bushel		60

The Democratic Watchman.

Published every Friday morning, in Bellefonte, Pa., at \$1.50 per annum (if paid strictly in advance) \$2.00, when not paid in advance, and \$2.50 if not paid before the expiration of the year; and no paper will be discontinued until all arrearage is paid, except at the option of the publisher.

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

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

One inch (12 lines this type	\$ 5		
Two inches		10	15
Three inches	10	15	20
Quarter Column (5 inches)	12	20	30
Half Column (10 inches)	90	35	
One Column (20 inches)	20		
One Column (20 menes)	1 30	55	100
Each additional insertion, per line Local notices, per line Business notices, per line Job Printing of every kind done v	rith	20 10 neat	cts.
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