

Democratic Watchman.
Belleville, Pa., Nov. 16, 1900.

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THINGS ABOUT TOWN AND COUNTY

The recent snow stopped plowing in all parts of the county.

Mrs. Israel Weaver, of Aaronsburg, is critically ill with cancer.

Supt. Donahy of the match works is confined to his home with quinsy.

A week of prayer is being observed in the Y. M. C. A. rooms.

John Q. Miles, of Huston Twp., has been granted a pension of \$8 per month.

Burgess Edmund Blanchard has been confined to his home for a few days recently with throat trouble.

"The Woman's Exchange," will open to-day in the W. C. T. U. rooms on north Allegheny street.

J. Harris Olevine, John I. Olevine's young hopeful whom everyone admires so much, is in bed with typhoid fever.

Go Won Go Mohawk, the Indian actress comes to Garman's for Wednesday night, Nov. 21st, in "The Flaming Arrow."

The streams and wells in the county are so low now that if it were to freeze up for winter there would be great suffering.

J. W. Kepler, of Pine Grove Mills, was not too depressed by the result of the election to go out on Saturday and shoot a big wild turkey.

E. W. Nearhood, of Centre Hall, has secured a position in Potter & Hoy's hardware in this place and contemplates moving his family here.

Abner Houser, of Bishop street, was out hunting on Saturday and came home that evening with a fine big wild turkey over his shoulder.

M. L. Rishel, of Farmer's Mills, has an apple that was grown in his orchard that weighs 16½ lbs. Probably it was trying to grow as big as the 'Squire' is.

Burglars were frightened away from Jackson Kline's store in Howard, on Wednesday night of last week, after they had broken the glass in the front door with a piece of plank.

On Thursday evening Lewis Drake and Miss Lizzie Myers, both of Coleville, were married at the United Brethren parsonage on South Thomas street. Rev. Perks performed the ceremony.

Lieut. Stanley M. Stewart, Asst. Surg. 11th Cav., U. S. A., who was killed by a fall from his horse at Santa Cruz, Luzon, P. I., on Nov. 6th, was a nephew of Col. Geo. A. Bayard, of this place. He was 29 years old.

On Monday evening the people of Centre Hall and vicinity met to make preliminary arrangements for the farmer's institute that will be held in that place under the direction of the State Department of Agriculture on January 11th and 12th, 1901.

The calithumpians made fine music in front of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Shaffer's home, on east Bishop street, Tuesday evening. They had just returned from their wedding tour and the boys turned out in force to make things seem cheerful up that way.

The Centre Hall Reporter, which has been so greatly improved under its new management, has taken still another step to the fore and now comes padded and trimmed. Its farmer-editor is showing that he knows a thing or two about the newspaper business and is likely to make a success of it.

Thomas Martilage, a 17 year old Anstrim, was riding cars out of the McCalmont quarries, in this place, Tuesday evening, when the car he was on ran into another one breaking and crushing his leg below the knee. He was taken to the Lock Haven hospital on an evening train. Amputation will not be necessary.

A piece of string that hung from Kline Woodring's setter pup's neck got tangled with the feet of Woodring's horse, last Monday morning, and the pup set up a howl, which the horse promptly silenced by kicking the poor pup in the ribs. At first Kline was hopeless of his pet's recovery, but he is mending rapidly now.

The monument which Col. E. J. Pruner has purchased to mark their family burial place in the Union cemetery has arrived and is being put in place. It looks like a monster boulder of gray marble and weighs seven tons. A traction engine had to be called into service to haul it from the railroad cars to the cemetery.

Mrs. W. F. Reeder and Mrs. H. C. Quigley entertained the card club at the former's home Tuesday evening. Miss Alice Wilson and Miss Adelaide Merriman were the winners of the ladies' prizes, and Mr. John I. Potter and Mr. Harry E. Fenlon carried away the gentlemen's honors. The next meeting will be entertained by Mrs. J. Howard Lingle and Mrs. C. F. Montgomery at the home of the former.

The Belleville Academy foot-ball eleven went to Williamsport, on Saturday, and was defeated by the Dickinson Seminary kickers by the score of 11 to 6. The teams had played each other to a standstill, when they met here several weeks ago and an exciting game was looked for on Saturday. All of the scoring was done in the first half. In the second the Academy boys had the ball within six inches of Dickinson's line, but could not push it over.

TWO BOYS KILLED A WILD CAT.—It will be rather surprising for Bellefonters to learn that wild cats are roaming in the very suburbs of the town. Only a few weeks ago the fertile imagination of a correspondent for one of the city papers started the entire community with a thrilling tale of the killing of a monster black bear within sight of the court house steps. While the "withiu sight" in that case might have meant a mile, or ten of them, according as the individual describing the distance was near or far sighted, here is one that actually occurred almost within the limits of the town.

The cat was a genuine specimen. Very large head, heavy, lithe limbs, stub-tail and gray, with the black barred legs, so unmistakably identifying the *felus catus* of zoology from the ordinary domestic cat. It measured 3 ft 6 inches when stretched out and was about twice the size of a tom-cat.

Arthur Roberts and Pearce Wagner, two Bellefonte lads, probably 12 and 14 years of age, were going out Howard street about 3 o'clock Tuesday afternoon and when in the vicinity of Thomas Barnhart's their dog, a plucky little black cur, discovered the animal sneaking along the brush just inside the fence at the road side.

The dog made for it, whereupon the cat turned and showed fight and as the boys say "It fought like the dickens," but the dog finally shook most of the life out of it, then they turned in and finished the job with stones, but not before their dog had received an ugly wound on the inside of its right hind leg.

They hurried to town with their prey and made affidavit as to its killing before justice Keichline, then they secured the \$2 paid by the county and now are heroes in the eyes of all the youngsters who have heard of their adventure.

Temp Cruse bought the cat and sent it to Williamsport to be mounted.

RETURNED FROM THE KLONDIKE.—Looking a trifle older, but bronzed and healthy as the typical miner, Tom Switzer returned to his home in Phillipsburg, on Monday evening, after an absence of two years and a half in the Alaska gold fields. He did not bring bags of dust back with him, for he was only partially successful in his search for the yellow stuff, but that did not effect the warmth of the reception given him by the people of that town in which he was always so popular and useful.

He left for Alaska in the summer of 1897, with Dr. H. L. Carlisle and Charles B. French, other Phillipsburgers who had the fever. They were unfortunate in engaging transportation from Seattle on one of the many thief boats that started with the great rush for Alaska, and after a very eventful trip were landed at the mouth of the Sticken river, where they built flat boats and started to ascend that river to the lakes at its headwaters.

Tom's many interesting letters, published during the trip, tell of the hardships of the journey. Carlisle turned back after a year on the trail and French reduced his outfit and forged ahead to Dawson. Tom tarried to be in on the boom at Teslin, but when the bottom fell out of that camp he moved on to Dawson. By that time most of the valuable claims had been taken up and he was forced to take the leavings. We trust that some of them will turn out profitable enough to compensate him for the energy and time he spent.

BURGLARY AT PORT MATILDA.—Sometime between 2 and 3 o'clock last Friday morning burglars effected an entrance to the store of A. W. Reese, at Port Matilda, by forcing the front door. After they got inside they broke open the cash drawer, but secured nothing. Then they blew the safe, the explosion tearing the heavy door to pieces. Only a few pennies rewarded their work, but they rifled all the papers and books it contained. About all that is known to have been taken is one pair of No. 9 heavy lumberman's shoes.

Before breaking into Reese's store the burglars had evidently entered W. F. Hoover's hardware store, where they broke open the cash drawer and carried away a hatchet, monkey-wrench and cigars. The wrench was left at Reese's.

Mrs. Reese and several other people heard the report, when the safe was cracked, but thinking it was someone celebrating McKinley's election, paid no attention to it.

THE MARKER UNVEILED.—Last week the WATCHMAN published a full program for the ceremony of the unveiling of the marker on the graves of Thomas Van Doran and Jacob Shadare, in Indian Lane, below Old Fort, on Saturday. The marker was placed largely through the efforts of D. C. Keller, and is a credit to those who undertook it.

The Belleville Chapter D. A. R. was present in a body and the Tusseyville band furnished the music. Rev. Geo. I. Brown, rector of St. John's Episcopal church in this place, delivered the oration, which is reported to have been a splendid historical eulogium of the brave men who gave up their lives that this country might be given to civilization.

THE FIRST SNOW.—The first snow of the season fell in Centre county on Friday. It was a raw, blustery day and from morning till night snow flakes were dancing in the air.

In some parts of the State enough snow fell to make right good sleighing. We have a young lady's authority for the statement that at Winchester there were eight inches of snow and icicles a foot long hanging from the house roofs.

The Tyrone tannery, that has been idle for several years, has resumed operations.

Only two hundred pupils are said to be enrolled at the Lock Haven Normal school thus far this fall.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Eagles Blackburn are spending their honey-moon at Lakewood, N. J.

Daniel H. Herr, of Salona, is a new pensioner at \$6 per month and Vina Hatch, of Phillipsburg, will get \$8.

The remodeled Methodist church in Phillipsburg is to be rededicated on Dec. 9th. Bishop Fowler will conduct the services.

One of the features of "The Flaming Arrow," which will be seen at Garman's on Wednesday night, Nov. 21st, will be a full brass band of Indians.

Thomas Geraty, the Sugar valley farmer who was struck by a Beech Creek train while crossing the tracks at Mill Hall early Sunday morning, Nov. 4th, has almost recovered from his injuries.

Rev. W. P. Eveland has succeeded to the pastorate of the Chambersburg Methodist church, which was made vacant by the appointment of Rev. J. Ellis Bell as presiding elder of the Altoona district.

To-morrow, Saturday, there will be a house to house visitation in Lock Haven and its suburbs for the purpose of taking a religious census of the community. It will be in charge of the various ministers of the town.

J. Frank Condon, of Johnstown, court reporter for Cambria, Blair and Centre counties, has resigned and William H. Faries, of Sunbury, is an applicant for the position. Mr. Faries has the reputation of being one of the speediest men in the business.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank McCampsey, of Kenova, have announced the approaching wedding of their daughter, Nina Belle, to Mr. Claude W. Collins, which event will be celebrated in that place on Thursday, Nov. 22nd. The McCampseys were formerly residents of this place.

The Presbyterian parsonage at Milesburg has been remodeled for the occupancy of the new pastor, Rev. Carson. It has been repapered and repainted within and the exterior will be brightened up with new paint. Rev. Carson preached to his new charge both morning and evening on Sunday.

A reception and house warming was given to Rev. W. F. Carson by his congregation in Milesburg on Tuesday evening. Rev. Carson has just begun what we hope will be a very successful pastorate of the Presbyterian church in that place and the reception was especially auspicious, since he had a bride to introduce to the people at his new home.

John A. Meyers has given up his work down at the Pennsy's freight station to go onto the Northern Central road at better wages. John is so reliable and steady that he deserves the promotion and others too, but Mr. and Mrs. Meyers and their little daughter Rebecca are so pleasant, that their neighbors on West High street regret that they will be obliged to move to Sunbury.

Go Won Go Mohawk, the Indian actress who has appeared at Garman's several times in the "Indian Mail Carrier," is to be seen here again this season in a different bill. On Wednesday night, Nov. 21st, she will be seen in Lincoln J. Carter's new play "The Flaming Arrow." As all of Carter's plays run riot with thrilling situations those who go to Garman's next Wednesday night are likely to witness plenty of killing.

Some Penns valley farmers have become so humane that they have built sheds for their horses near the churches they attend. The idea is a good one and deserves emulation on all sides. Often times teams are exposed for hours at a time, while their owners are warm and comfortable inside a country church. A little shed would cost only a trifling sum, yet it would afford shelter from storms and the chilling blasts of winter to the faithful beasts that too often are mute sufferers.

W. S. Machen, superintendent of the free post office delivery system, has lately written to Hon. Boies Penrose, stating that "no action will be taken at this time looking to the establishment of free delivery in Phillipsburg." Phillipsburg has been after free delivery for some time and a number of inspectors have visited that place. The report of Supt. Machen is based on the statement that the town has made no move toward improving the sidewalks, numbering the houses or other requirements before free delivery can be installed.

A fine hall has been made on the second story of St. John's parish school building on Bishop street so that that church is more independently equipped now than any other denomination in town. With its magnificent church building, parish house, home for the sisters, and well adapted school rooms there was nothing more needed than a hall, in which entertainments, suppers, fairs and such frequent events in church work could be held. This want has been supplied by the fine room that has been made on the second floor of the old church building. It is large, well lighted and will serve many purposes. The ladies of the church opened it on Wednesday evening with a supper.

A NEW PUBLIC SCHOOL BUILDING DEDICATED.—The public school building at Eagleville was dedicated on Thursday evening of last week and a large number of people were present to enjoy the interesting dedicatory exercises.

Henry N. Johnson presided and the choir of the Disciple church furnished the music. Among the speakers were Rev. Clarence Brady, of Williamsport; County Supt. Gramley, of Rebersburg; Rev. M. S. Blair, of Big Run, Pa.; David F. Fortney, Esq., of Belleville, and Charles Frick, son of Rev. M. E. Frick.

The new building was made a necessity by the burning of the old one last March. It occupies a very prominent site on Main street, the one on which the old Koons hall stood, and would be a credit to any place far larger than the village of Eagleville. It is a two and a half story building, 30x50 feet, incased with brick and roofed with slate. Samuel Gault, of Belleville, was the architect and builder, and the contract price was \$4,500. The first floor contains two large rooms of a seating capacity of 50 scholars each. The second floor is arranged for two rooms with folding doors, so that it can be thrown into one large audience room. This floor also has a room for the school directors. The building is finished throughout with yellow pine in the natural finish. The black-boards are of slate and the seats and desks of natural oak. The rooms are well lighted and ventilated and the building is heated with hot air. A 500 pound bell has been placed in the tower. A new flag stone pavement is being laid in front of and around the building. The directors who were identified with the erection of this building are Capt. J. A. Quigley, N. H. Johnson, F. G. Eaton, A. G. Bowes, W. D. Myers and W. R. Schneck.

The teachers of the term which opened Monday are professor Pletcher, of Howard, who will be principal and have charge of the advanced grade; Schuman Williams, who will teach the grammar school; Miss Dora Bechtel, who will instruct the intermediate grade, and Miss Bertha Johnson, who will be in charge of the primary school.

REDEDICATED THEIR CHURCH.—Sunday was an auspicious day in religious circles on Flemington, for the church of Christ at that place, which had recently been remodeled at a cost of \$1,200, was rededicated and every cent of the indebtedness was raised.

Rev. A. R. Miller, of Lock Haven, delivered the dedicatory sermon, taking for his text "I will build my church." Others who spoke at the services during the day were Rev. M. S. Blair, of Big Run; Rev. M. C. Frick, of Blanchard; Rev. Clarence Brady, of Williamsport; and Rev. Souser, of the Methodist church. Charles H. Frick, a student at Bethany college, was ordained by the ministers present.

The work of remodeling was begun last May, under the direction of J. N. Bitner, H. J. Uhler, W. J. Harvey, J. H. Berry and C. C. Helman. The beautiful little church, with its cosy interior, electric light, hot air heating apparatus and other comforts, is a splendid testimonial to their business-like and thoughtful direction of the work, as well as an ornament to the town of Flemington.

GETTING READY FOR INSTITUTE.—Arrangements for the fifty-fourth annual session of the institute of the public school teachers of Centre county have been about completed by Supt. C. L. Gramley and when that body meets here, during the week of Dec. 17th to 21st, an interesting and instructive program will be carried out.

The instructors for the week are Dr. H. R. Pettingill, ex-State Superintendent of Public Instruction of Michigan and now editor of the *Michigan School Moderator* and *Timely Topics*; Prof. C. C. Ellis, Juniata College, Huntingdon; Prof. L. F. Lybarger, Philadelphia; Prof. G. C. Watson, State College; and Supt. D. P. Stapleton, Lewisburg.

Prof. P. H. Meyer will be musical director and Miss Helen Bartholomew, of Centre Hall, pianist.

The evening entertainments will be as follows: Tuesday evening, Dec. 18th, lecture, "Nancy Hanks and the Nineteenth Century," Dr. H. R. Pettingill, Lansing, Mich.; Wednesday evening, lecture, "Picturesque Public Men," Hon. Champ Clark, member of Congress from Missouri; Thursday evening, concert by the Mozart Symphony club of New York.

The enrollment of teachers this year will aggregate about 294, the largest number yet recorded in the county.

WESLEY RIDEER BURNED.—Wesley Rideer, a son of George Rider, narrowly escaped a horrible death at the Belleville Furnace Tuesday evening. He was working on the cinder dump, when he tripped and fell on his back. At the same time a lot of hot cinder that was being unloaded from a car poured over him, covering every portion of his body except his head.

His agonizing cries attracted other workmen to his rescue and he was quickly dug out, but not before he was horribly burned all over his body.

Last evening it was stated that he would survive.

A REAL COLORED CAKE WALK.—One of the features for the Undine's Thanksgiving ball, that will be given in the Armory on Wednesday evening, Nov. 29th, will be a genuine colored cake walk. It will take the place of the usual grand march and will begin at 9 o'clock.

The ball committee is made up of Henry Brown, Joseph Massey, John Morgan, Ferd Beezer and Harry Walker, everyone of whom is exerting every effort to make it a great success.

'Squire O. H. Nason, of Martha Furnace, was in town yesterday and his many friends scarcely recognized him; owing to the beginning of a full beard.

J. W. Stamm, who has been a resident of the West ward since the first of August, when he retired from farming and moved into Jared Harper's house on the corner of High and Thomas streets in hope that the rest and change would restore Mrs. Stamm's health, has purchased a house at Pleasant Gap and will make that his home.

If all of our subscribers were as thoughtful as Mr. W. O. Breen, of Tusseyville, there would be happy days around the WATCHMAN office and the world would have a few thousand prompt men in it at least. Yesterday was November 15th, his subscription expired and not being able to get here himself he sent his dollar along with another gentleman, got the advantage of our lowest rate and took rank among the leaders on our list. Mr. Breen is a young man and we are glad that he is starting off with a full appreciation of the value of punctuality.

Here's to that great, big, Democratic rooster in the Osbourne county, (Kan.), *News* which heralded the election of Edwin P. Sample, county attorney of Osbourne county, a Republican strong-hold. The sight of one of our good, stalwart crows this fall revives hope and when he is on duty for the success of a former Centre countain we have reason to rejoice. Ed is a son of J. C. Sample who went to Osbourne from Pine Grove Mills and is not only a popular winner but a splendid fellow and a chip off the old block.

Miss Linnie Van Gorden, a daughter of Charles Van Gorden, died at her home at Mt. Eagle on Thursday morning. Quick consumption was the cause of her death. She was 20 years old. Interment was made in the cemetery at Curtin on Saturday morning.

Daniel J. Smith, of Greenburg, Clinton county, retired in his usual good health on Monday evening and his wife noticed him turn in bed when she arose Tuesday morning, but when she went to the room later, to waken him for breakfast, he was dead. Smith was 41 years old and leaves a little child besides his wife. He had suffered a stroke of paralysis about six weeks ago.

Mrs. Patience Stere, wife of James H. Stere, died at her home in Phillipsburg, on Monday morning, after an illness of three years with cancer. She was born on Hollidaysburg, Dec. 1st, 1861, her maiden name having been Fleck. Surviving her are her husband, two sons and five daughters, besides the following brothers and sisters: Absalom Fleck, now a soldier in China; Stewart, Belleville; Mrs. Wm. Ammerman, Curwensville; Mrs. J. F. Hoy, near Belleville; Mrs. John Maffet, Osceola, and Miss Belle at home, near Julian Furnace. Funeral services were held at her late home Tuesday evening and the body was taken to the family burying ground, near Julian, on Wednesday morning, for interment.

Col. and Mrs. W. Fred Reynolds left for Lancaster on Tuesday morning, and Mrs. W. T. Whittier Wolf, of Centre Hall, was in town on Tuesday on his way East on a business trip.

Edgar T. Burnside, of the Standard scale works, went to Pittsburg on business Monday morning.

Mrs. Gilbert A. Beaver, of Curtin street, is in Harrisburg, visiting her parents, Judge and Mrs. J. W. Simonton.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Murray Andrews, of north Allegheny street, spent Sunday with the Malls, in Phillipsburg.

W. W. Curtin, only son of the late Andrew G. Curtin, was an arrival from Philadelphia yesterday morning.

Mrs. D. H. Hastings has returned from Harrisburg where she made a short visit to her daughter, Mrs. Ross A. Hickok.

Mrs. L. H. Musser, of Fillmore, went to Philadelphia, on Tuesday morning, there to enter a hospital for a month's treatment.

Editor S. W. Smith, of the *Reporter*, and Witter Wolf, the retired merchant, of Centre Hall, were in town on Monday.

The Misses Mary Grist, of Unionville, are in Tyrone, where they are guests of the Misses McCann, of Lincoln Ave.

Col. and Mrs. J. L. Spangler and Miss Emma Holiday were guests at the Reilly-Kaul wedding at St. Mary's Wednesday. Col. Spangler was the groom's best man.

Mrs. S. B. Miller and Miss Louise Armor, of east Lin street, left for Holyoke, Mass., on Monday, to visit Edward and Fred Butts, who are in business in that city.

Sim Baum, trading as Sim the Clothier, spent several days in New York this week. He tells you about what he went for in a splendid half page advertisement in this issue.

Edmund Bright, of Potteville, has been a guest of Fred Blanchard for a few days this week. J. Harris Hoy entertained a "stag party" in his honor at Rock-veiw Wednesday evening.

Frank E. Frain, who has been down at his home at Aldera for the last month recovering from a sickness, is back at his desk at McCalmont and Co's., looking as bright and fresh as though his digestive organs had never rebelled.

Jacob Meyer, of Linden Hall, was in town on Saturday, and was feeling about as bad as the rest of us. Mr. Meyer visited until he thought the troubles all forgotten before coming to town, but we fear he found many blue Democrats here, even so long after that eventful Tuesday.

Ed Wagoner, of Buffalo-riv, the farmer who said the woods were so full of hunters up there on the first day of the season that everyone had to climb a tree when one wanted to shoot, was in town on Tuesday and proved that he has been doing a little shooting himself. While out in his back fields plowing he takes his gun with him and as game presents itself Ed pulls up his deadly weapon and down comes the game. In the bag, this fall, has fallen a wild turkey, six pheasants, six grey squirrels, three red squirrels and a black.

THE THANKSGIVING ASSEMBLY.—The class of 1901 of The Pennsylvania State College have sent out invitations for the annual Thanksgiving hop, which is to be given in the armory at that place on Friday evening, November 23rd.

For the past few years the fall dances at the College have not been as successful as formerly and the boys are making an unusual effort to make this one the equal if not more attractive than any. Already many acceptances have been received. A special train will leave here for the College at 7 o'clock Friday evening.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.—Following is the list of marriage licenses granted by orphan's court clerk, A. G. Archey, during the past week:

George Gardner and Emma Kunes both of Blanchard.

Louis Drake and Lizzie Myers, both of Belleville.

Henry A. Meyer, of Rebersburg, and Cora M. Bood, of Woodward.

Thomas Dorman and Florence D. Bell, both of Morris Twp., Clearfield county.

Ambrose Davis and Bessie Little, both of Snow Shoe.

I. L. Ray, of Penn Run, and Viola Gray, of State College.

PROMPT PAYMENT.—The Union Central Life Insurance company of Cincinnati, O., has done itself great credit by the prompt manner in which it paid the policy carried in that company by the late Rev. M. L. Smuser. Mr. Smuser died on October 29th—on the 11th inst. or within two weeks, the full amount of the policy was paid over as evinced by the following:

To the Hon. John M. Patton, Pres., Union Central Life Ins. Co., Cincinnati, O.

DEAR SIR.—I take great pleasure in acknowledging the receipt of your company's draft for three thousand dollars in full of policy No. 91,276 on the life of my husband, Martin L. Smuser, Dec'd.

The settlement of this claim is very prompt and satisfactory. My husband died Oct. 29th, 1900. On our return from York, Pa., where interment was made Nov. 2nd, your special agent Jesse K. Akers, of Huntingdon, Pa., was ready to assist in making out proofs of death and on Nov. 7th, your draft was issued. I certainly appreciate the kind attentions and prompt payment and can heartily commend the company and its representatives.

Very truly yours,
LYDIA A. SMUSER,
Administrix.

There will be a literary entertainment, with an oyster supper and fancy work bazar, at the Kennedy school house, in Curtin township, for the benefit of the Methodist church at that place, on Thanksgiving eve. All who attend will be made welcome.

Several inches of snow fell in this part of the county yesterday.

PUBLIC SALE.—On Tuesday, Nov. 27th, at ten o'clock, at the residence of Mrs. Margaret Alexander, on South Thomas street, there will be for sale a lot of household furniture, including one walnut bedroom suit, one oak set, dining table, coal stoves, saddle, brick, etc.

Notice to Farmers.—You should bring your wheat to the Phoenix Milling Co. because we pay the market price for it.

You should exchange your wheat at the Phoenix Mills because you get the best grade of flour in return for it.

A 3lb. sample of our flour will be given free to every farmer who comes to the mill and asks for it.

THE PHOENIX MILLING CO.
Belleville, Pa.

Philadelphia Markets.—The following are the closing prices of the Philadelphia markets on Wednesday evening.

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| Wheat—Red | 75 1/2 @ 74 |
| "No. 2 | 70 3/4 @ 72 3/4 |
| Corn—Yellow | 44 |
| "Mixed | 38 @ 43 1/2 |
| Oats—New | 28 @ 29 1/2 |
| Flour—Winter, Pat. M. | 2.25 @ 2.50 |
| "Pat. M. Roller | 3.10 @ 3.20 |
| "Favorite Brands | 4.25 @ 4.40 |
| Rye Flour—Per Bushel | 5.10 |
| Baled Hay—Choice Timothy No. 1 | 14.50 @ 17.50 |
| "Mixed " 1 | 14.50 @ 15.50 |
| Straw | 8.00 @ 8.50 |

Corrected weekly by the PHOENIX MILLING CO.

The following are the quotations up to six o'clock, Thursday evening, when our paper goes press:

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| Red wheat, old | 75 |
| "new | 75 |
| Rye, per bushel | 5 1/2 |
| Corn, shelled, per bushel | 40 |
| Corn, ears, per bushel | 40 |
| Oats, per bushel, new | 40 |
| Barley, per bushel | 40 |
| Ground Flaxseed, per ton | 8 50 to 9 50 |
| Buckwheat, per bushel | 25 |
| Cloverseed, per bushel | \$6.00 to \$8.40 |
| Timothy seed per bushel | \$2.00 to \$2.50 |

Corrected weekly by Secler & Co.

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| Potatoes per bushel | 50 |
| Onions | 75 |
| Eggs, per dozen | 29 |
| Lard, per pound | 9 |
| Country Shoulders | 3 1/2 |
| Sides | 3 |
| Butter, per pound | 25 |

The Democratic Watchman.—Published every Friday morning, in Belleville, 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 arrears are 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:

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| Space occupied | 3m | 6m | 1y |
| One inch (12 lines this type) | \$5.00 | \$8.00 | \$10.00 |
| Two inches | 7.00 | 10.00 | 12.00 |
| Three inches | 10.00 | 15.00 | 18.00 |
| Quarter Column (6 inches) | 12.00 | 20.00 | 28.00 |
| Half Column (10 inches) | 20.00 | 35.00 | 50.00 |
| One Column (18 inches) | 35.00 | 60.00 | 85.00 |

Advertisements in special column 25 per cent. additional.

Transient advs. per line, 3 insertions..... 20 cts. Each additional insertion, per line..... 5 cts. Local notices, per line..... 25 cts. Business notices, per line..... 10 cts. Job printing of every kind done with neatness and dispatch. The WATCHMAN office has been refitted with Fast Presses and New Type, and everything in the printing line can be executed in the most artistic manner and at the lowest rates. Terms—Cash.

All letters should be addressed to P. GRAY MEER, Proprietor