

WHAT WAS DONE AT COUNCIL.—At the regular semi-monthly meeting of council, on Monday evening, members Gerberich, Keller, Walkey, Wetzel, Gherrity, Kniseley and Houser were present.

On behalf of the Sportsman's League Hard P. Harris appeared and requested permission to place wire screen dams in the stream that flows away from the big spring. The idea is to protect trout in the enclosure while spawning and also to feed the fry until they are able to take care of themselves. The request was granted.

Borough Engineer J. H. Wetzel spoke on the advisability of making bench marks at every crossing in town, so that grades can be obtained readily and permanently. As there are no regularly established grades and the question is becoming a serious one council decided to have the engineer go ahead and establish such bench marks. Then a bench book is to be kept, from which the grade of any section of street can be taken in an instant.

The Water committee reported the placing of meters on the supply pipes at the Republican and Centre Democrat offices, McCully's livery stable and Garman's hotel. Complaint was made through this committee that cesspools emptying into Spring creek at the rear of the water works are in danger of contaminating the water. Council ordered an investigation.

The following bills were ordered paid and council adjourned.

Water pay roll.....	\$19.88
H. B. Pontius, t.m., as clerk.....	12.50
E. B. Chambers, witness fees, etc.....	20.00
J. H. Wetzel, surveying.....	15.40
W. S. White, use of engine.....	48.30
Police pay roll.....	75.50
John H. Johnson, work.....	7.50
J. S. Katsky, blacksmithing.....	1.80
R. B. Taylor, coal for crusher.....	4.95
Street pay roll.....	94.98
R. J. Shad & Bros. pipes and fittings.....	24.75
E. R. Chambers, try Barnhart case.....	60.00
Josh Folk.....	2.00
	\$104.77

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

John Kioski, of Clarence, and Nora Viehdorfer, of Moshannon.

Joseph H. Barley, of Altoona, and Nora Alvretta Solt, of Bellefonte.

Charles Strouse and Lizzie E. Corl, both of State College.

Samuel W. Harsheberger, of Baileyville, and Carrie Henry, of Pennsylvania Furnace.

W. Alfred Reiber, of Colyer, and Della Anna Bartges, of Centre Hall.

John F. Bartley, of Bellefonte, and Mrs. Annie Grassmire, of Houserville.

John I. Buckwalter, of Lancaster, and Sarah Alice McWilliams, of Fairbrook.

John A. Horn and Bertha Blacker, both of Phillipsburg.

Robert Cunningham and Cora Fleck, both of Phillipsburg.

Eber J. Walizer and Grace B. Butler, both of Howard.

John H. Durst and Eliza C. Stover, both of Centre Hall.

William W. Keller, of Pine Grove Mills, and Charlotte I. Markle, of Tyrone.

"Human Hearts" will be the holiday week attraction at Garman's. The play will be seen there on the evening of Dec. 27th.

Thirty-three people helped to stow away James C. Smith's butchering dinner at Millheim on Saturday.

It is said that R. M. Garth will start a box factory at Mill Hill.

Spring Mills.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Blair, of Altoona; R. S. Baker and G. W. Cameron, of Lancaster, are here visiting relatives and friends in the valley.

Prosperity seems to have struck the Penn Hall carriage works of J. C. Condo, even if it has jumped over other interests in this neighborhood. The works are forced to their utmost capacity to fill orders.

J. I. Condo, carpet manufacturer, on Monday last slaughtered two hogs weighing 347 and 347 respectively—rather close weight that. Somewhat like the two Dromios, we could hardly tell which from which.

Landlord Ruhl moved into his new residence, located a short distance above the village proper, on Friday last, and on Saturday his son Edwin moved into the hotel, and assumed formal possession of the business.

John Snavely, tinsmith, moved into his new residence on Thursday last. Mr. Snavely erected a very cosy dwelling a few steps from his spouting and tinware establishment. It is a decided improvement to the neighborhood.

Miss Theresa Rachau, one of our accomplished young ladies, has been placed in charge of the Logan school, vice Wm. Brown, resigned. Miss Rachau possesses intelligence of a very high order, and is thoroughly qualified for the position. Our school directors were very fortunate, indeed, to secure so able and competent a teacher to fill the vacancy.

A. J. Gradou has resumed his trade of shoe-making and occupies the upper room over O. T. Corman's store. Mr. Gradou is a very superior surgeon to old shoes—when they are in great danger he recovers them, and when he states they will be ready for delivery on Tuesday next, he does not mean the following Tuesday a week. Mr. Gradou makes very stylish and well fitting foot wear.

The foot bridge over Penns creek, below the post office, is in a bad condition. It should be attended to and repaired at once. The flooring is broken, and in many places the crevices are sufficiently large enough to admit a foot, and in walking over the bridge considerable caution must be exercised to avoid a mishap. To sum the bridge up in brief, in its present deplorable condition, it is simply a trap.

S. E. Goble, one of our energetic young men, is agent for the Rochester heater, which is certainly an improvement on anything of the kind I have ever seen. It is simply a heater without fuel or ashes.

Last week for near two days we had remarkably high winds down our valley, almost cyclonic in character. No special damage, however, has been reported, save the destruction of a few homes for owls and bats by the winds demolishing one or two dilapidated sheds.

The ladies connected with the M. E. church of our village are making extensive preparations for a grand entertainment to be held in the church building on Christmas eve. Quite a lengthy program has been prepared consisting of music, singing, recitations, dialogues, etc. B. F. Kennedy has charge of the musical department, and Miss Ida Condo is organist. With two such accomplished artists in the lead, a royal feast of music may be expected. The committee of arrangement promises an entertainment of musical excellence.

Phillipsburg.

Mr. and Mrs. John Fryberger returned from a short trip to Philadelphia Friday. Tuesday was pay day on the N. Y. C. The special pay car arrived here about 12 p. m.

James Barnes, post master at Barnesboro, circulated among friends in town last week. Alonzo Platt now occupies the Mill property at the corner of Second and Beaver Sts.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Todd returned, Thursday morning, from a short visit to Philadelphia.

The teachers of the public schools left Monday for Bellefonte to attend the county institute at that place.

There was no service in the Presbyterian church last Sunday, owing to the absence of the pastor, Rev. Means.

Mr. D. W. Dinan, the newly appointed train master of the Penna. Div. of the N. Y. C. was a business visitor in town last Saturday.

The musicale given in the public school building on Friday was an extraordinary exhibition of the juvenile ability in that capacity.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Brown, of Third street, attended the wedding of the former's sister, Miss Annie Brown, of Jersey Shore, to Mr. H. B. Straw, of Patton, last Wednesday.

A certain business man in this town is so annoyed by horse salesmen and applicants for positions that he has served notice through the columns of the local papers that he wants neither horses nor men.

Rev. T. S. Wilcox, of Altoona, former pastor of the M. E. church at this place, preached in the improved church last Thursday night. Rev. Wilcox's ministry in this place was crowned with unparalleled success.

It seems the "full dinner pail" mythological argument, is beginning to open the eyes of the miners in this locality who were deluded into voting and shouting for its continuation. At this time, with only four days work a month, with which to fill that self same dinner pail, the absurdness of the advocacy of such rubbish has become apparent to those who shouted themselves hoarse over it last fall. Now the reality—the empty pocket, the empty coal bin, the empty dinner pail, with cold, unrelenting winter staring them in the face, and no prospects of better work, they are wondering what has become of the "full dinner pail" and well they may.

Pine Grove Mention.

A Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year to you all.

Mrs. Mary Rensley's condition is not at all encouraging.

William H. Roush, of Altoona, is spending a week with his family.

Mrs. Mary B. Gates is home from a visit with relatives in York State.

Will Woods, of Pittsburg, and his sister Rose, spent Sunday with Dr. G. H. Woods.

Our hustling hardware man S. M. Bell, is on the fly furnishing new stoves and repairing old ones.

William Musser is confined to his room with a malady which is causing his friends some uneasiness.

Captain Aaron Burchfield, of McAlevy's Fort, is the guest of his old friend J. B. Ard, on Main street.

Invitations are out for the wedding of Samuel Harsheberger and Miss Jane Henry, at Home-rest next Monday.

The personal property of the late Prof. John A. Weaver will be sold at public sale on Dec. 27th at 1 o'clock.

Jacob M. Kepler started on his annual winter pilgrimage to the Hot Springs in Arkansas yesterday. He will be gone all winter.

Cyrus E. Snook, proprietor of the Junction house, has a good excuse for staying indoors now, for he has a new daughter to nurse and a badly cut hand.

John Snyder has wrenched the laurels from Shoemaker, as he has hung up an eighteen month old grunter which tipped the beam at 540 lbs.

A. M. Brown returned from West Virginia last week with a fine lot of Poland cattle he is going to put in training for the county fairs.

George and Mary Johnson are mourning the death of their baby daughter aged four months. She died Saturday morning and interment was made Sunday afternoon in the Penna. Furnace church yard with Rev. Aikens officiating.

Arthur Fortney and neighbor Martz's dog had an encounter the other day which left Arthur the worse for the meeting. He had thought that he and the dog were on the best of terms, but the dog evidently thought otherwise, for he left his teeth marks good and deep in Arthur's hand and leg.

J. B. Heberling, who was crossing Tussey mountain Monday with a load of furniture had quite an experience which neither Mrs. Heberling nor he care to repeat. The road was as smooth as a glacier with ice and his horses not rouged. The way was too narrow to turn and go back so he was obliged to unhitch his horses and lead them through the brush to a point below. After locking the wheels he took the tongue of the wagon and guided it down the mountain although at break neck speed. His wife was sure she would be another Mollie Stark.

Margaret, wife of William Goodwin died Thursday the 13th, at her home near Pennsylvania Furnace, after a long illness with lung trouble. She was 60 years old and is survived by two daughters, and two sons at home and Mrs. Emanuel Weaver, of Baileyville. Her pastor Rev. C. H. Love of the Presbyterian church, of which she was a member, conducted the funeral services Saturday afternoon. Interment was made in the Penna. Furnace church yard.

The home of John Halderman near Fairbrook was deprived of its bread winner Wednesday. On account of some domestic trouble Mrs. Halderman had a warrant issued and placed in Sheriff Decker's hands, who brought his prisoner to town and purchased a new suit of clothes for him before conducting him to Fort Brungart in Bellefonte. Halderman is not vicious, although he has been demented for years and years and the trouble should be adjusted without unnecessary expense to the township.

MARKLE-KELLER.—Ante-Christmas weddings are quite the rage here. Yesterday William Keller son of Squire Keller and Miss Charlotte Markle, of Grazierville, were united in marriage by the Rev. C. T. Aikens. The wedding took place at Benore, at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. Joseph Johnson. Following the ceremony, which was solemnized at 1 o'clock the usual wedding breakfast was served although there were no guests outside of the family. Mrs. Keller is bright and attractive and her husband is one of our popular school teachers.

A PINK HALL WEDDING.—A quiet family wedding was celebrated yesterday at the home of Peter Corl, when his daughter, Elizabeth, was united in marriage to Charles Strouse, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Strouse. There were only a few guests outside the immediate relatives present but lots of good cheer and gaiety. Rev. A. A. Black performed the ceremony at 12 o'clock. The bride and groom were attended by Miss Cora Corl and Luther Strouse as maid of honor and best man. The wedding breakfast was fairly sumptuous in its elegance and after it was enjoyed the time was pleasantly spent in inspecting the many presents. The groom is one of our most energetic and promising young farmers with lots of push and determination. His bride is an accomplished musician and an attractive girl, so there is every prospect of them being congenial and happy.

A BEAUTIFUL WEDDING.—In the presence of a large and happy assemblage the marriage of Miss Alice McWilliams, second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George W. McWilliams, and John Thomas Buckwalter, of Lancaster, was celebrated Wednesday, at noon, at the home of the bride's parents near Fairbrook. The parlor was decorated with palms, ground pine, evergreens and cut flowers and there the ceremony was performed promptly at 12 o'clock by the Rev. A. A. Black. The bride party consisted of the bride and groom, the maid of honor, Miss Jean Buckwalter, a sister of the groom, and the best man Mr. John McWilliams, the bride's brother. After the ceremony and congratulations an elaborate wedding breakfast was served at which all went merrily as the proverbial wedding feast. Later in the afternoon the bride and groom were driven to Pennsylvania Furnace, from whence they started on a wedding journey to eastern cities.

The bride is a most excellent young woman amiable, pleasant and practical. The groom a former student of State College, is an agent for the National Cream Separator with headquarters at Lancaster. In his visits through this section he has made many friends by his genial ways and straightforward manner and he has the congratulations of a wide circle of acquaintances who wish for him and his bride only happiness and success. They will make their home in Lancaster.

A PLEASANT AND BIG SURPRISE.—On Monday evening the old Homan mansion, near State College, was the scene of a pleasant and happy social event, which was gotten up in honor of the 57th birthday of George Washington Homan. The affair was thought of and planned by his brothers at Oak Hill, who brought with them all the requisites for a first class banquet. J. J. Tressler and W. H. Close were good allies and executed the plans which made the party so successful.

Rev. Aikens visited Mr. Homan during the day and great was his astonishment upon his return home in the evening, to find his home full of guests bent on having a good time. Even that tall old Democrat, Austin Brungart, of Zion, was present to see that the occasion was fittingly observed. Miss Mary Dale was organist and quite a good glee club was formed by the singers present. The evening was one of pleasure and delight and it was some past midnight when the guests began to depart.

Twenty years ago last June, Mr. Homan was married to Miss Mary Harpster. Six bright children, three daughters and three sons, now grace their home and it is noted for its harmony and comfort and hospitality. May its present good luck and prosperity continue to abide with it.

Among the guests present were: Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Hess, Mr. and Mrs. C. Musser, H. A. Brungart and wife, John N. Homan, W. H. Bloom and wife, G. F. Miller and wife, J. O. Stover and wife, Homer Barr and wife, Elmer and Wm. Yarnell, J. J. Tressler and wife, Wm. Tressler, Ray Etters, Bessie Weber, Mary B. Homan, B. F. Homan and wife, Claud Weiland, Izora Rupp, Henry E. Homan and wife, J. D. and Cora Homan, Mrs. Henry Dale, Miss Anna Dale, Vera and Lula Homan, Mary and Ella Dale, Will H. Fry Jr., Warren Homan, Mrs. Green Irvin, Mervin Kuhn and wife, O. E. Heckman and wife, Mary Heckman, Wm. Rishel and wife, Charles Homan, Arthur and Annie Kline, Etta and Mary Felty, Mrs. W. K. Corl, Foster Musser, Waldo Corl, Miss Jennie Kline, Miss Lizzie Harsheberger, W. H. Close and wife, J. C. Corman and wife, D. I. Johnson and wife, Miss Alma Homan, Miss Chris Wibly, Samuel and John Hess, Naomi Stover, Hazel Rishel and Maggie Bloom.

New Advertisements

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.—Letters testamentary on the estate of John A. Weaver, of Ferguson Twp., Dec'd., having been granted to the undersigned, all persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present same, properly authenticated, for payment and those knowing themselves indebted thereto to make immediate settlement.

D. G. MEEK, Adm., Fairbrook, Pa.

Lyon & Co.

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The Cut-price Sale still goes on at our store. If you want Christmas Goods at half price, give us a call.

Hankerbuffers for Men, Ladies and Children—the finest linen, embroidered edge, silk hemstitched, from the cheapest up to 75cts. a piece.

Ladies, Men and Children's Kid Gloves, fur top, from 50cts. up.

Hosiery—plain, polka dot and plaids, from 15 cts.

Neckties—butter fly, tuck and pulley ties, for Men and Ladies, 25 and 50 cts.

Fascinators—all colors, all kinds, from 25 cts. up.

Sterling Silver Bracelets—for Ladies and Children, worth \$1 and \$1.25, our price 50 and 75 cts.

Sterling Silver Belt and Neck Pins, worth 50 cts., our price 35 cts.

Ladies and Children's Gold Rings—Hoops, Cluster Stones and Solitaires, worth 75 cts. and \$1, our price 25 and 50 cts.

Pocket Books—in all the new styles, from the cheapest up to \$1.

Far Collarettes at half price.

Gold and Silver Chattelaines, Chain Purses, something new, only 50 cts.

Gift Table Linens, Napkins and Towels at half price.

Petticoats in flannels and the best mercerized from 75 cts. up.

Men's, Ladies and Children's Slippers at all prices.

If you want to buy your father, brother or son a Suit or Overcoat or Storm coat, come in and see our goods and price. A full line of everything in useful and stylish gifts at half price.

SPECIAL—Silk waists in black and colors, the \$8.00 kind reduced to \$5.50 \$5.00 kind reduced to \$3.50.

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Bellefonte, Pa.

Fine Groceries

SECHLER & CO.

GROCERS

We are now receiving daily invoices of New Products in our line. And are well prepared to serve all demands for the Holiday Trade.

CHEESE—New York, Full Cream, Wisconsin Dairy, Pine Apple, Sage, Imported Edam, Sapsago, Royal Luncheon and Club House Cheese in porcelain jars.

Sweet New Hams and Breakfast Bacon. The New pack of Canned Goods are now in store.

PRUNES are fine this season. We have some good fruit at 50c. per lb., and finest goods at 10c. 12c. and 15c.

New Crop Florida Oranges 40c. and 50c. per dozen.

White Almeria Grapes, finest pink tinted stock.

Domestic Grapes in baskets.

Finest Cranberries.

Celery.

Sweet Potatoes.

Lemons.

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Bush House, BELLEFONTE, PA.

New Advertisement

FOR SALE.—Fine all purpose horse, about six years old. Inquire of DR. BILGER, Bellefonte, Pa.

FRESH COW.—A good cow fresh two weeks can be bought cheap by applying at this office.

HORSES FOR SALE.—Fine large horse for draft or driving purposes, about 7 years old. Also smaller horse for driving, 7 years old. Inquire of Dr. Bilger, near Parrish's drug store, Bellefonte, Pa.

FOUND.—A comparatively new horse blanket was found near the C. R. R. of Pa. station about two weeks ago. Owner can have same by proving property and paying for this notice.

SEND seven 2c. stamps and we will mail you a package of Quickmaid Bannet Tablets, for making ten quart of delicious desserts, a receipt book and a present valued at \$2.00 all FREE. FRANKLIN CO., Filbert St., Phila.

ADMINISTRATRIX NOTICE.—Letters of administration on the estate of James W. Alexander, late of Bellefonte borough, deceased, having been granted to the undersigned. All persons knowing themselves to be indebted to said estate are hereby notified to make immediate payment thereof and those having claims to present same, properly authenticated, for payment, either to Keeler & Quigley, Attys., Bellefonte, Pa., or

MRS. ROBERTA A. YARBINGTON, 1304 Floyd Ave., Richmond, Va.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.—In the orphan's court of Centre county in the matter of the estate of J. Steele Parsons, late of Bellefonte Boro. Dec'd. the undersigned having been appointed an auditor to make distribution of the funds in the hands of J. Wesley Parsons and Samuel Walkey, executors of the last will and testament of said decedent, will meet those interested at the office of Keeler & Quigley on January 19th, 1901, at 10 o'clock, a. m. when and where all parties interested are notified to be present or forever be debarred from coming in on said fund. J. A. R. MILLER, Auditor.

New Advertisement

REMOVAL SALE.

Intending to discontinue the clothing business we offer our ENTIRE STOCK OF CLOTHING AND MENS FURNISHINGS AT AND BELOW COST.

Mens \$8.00 Worsted Suits at \$4.75.

Mens Fine \$15.00 Cheviot Suits at \$9.00.

Mens Cheviot Overcoats black and grey \$1.98.

Mens \$11.50 Oxford Overcoats, (latest style) with or without cuffs all wool \$8.00.

Mens \$7.50 Oxford Overcoats \$4.75.

Boys Brown Cheviot Suits, sizes 14 to 19, at \$1.98.

Boys \$5.75 Covert Overcoats \$3.87.

Boys Blue Chinchilla Overcoats, velvet collars, \$2.25.

Childrens \$2.50 Vestee Suits \$1.00.

Childrens \$5.00 Suits with double-breasted open front vest, all wool, imported goods \$3.75.

Childrens Blue Chinchilla Breeches \$1.50.

Childrens Fine Covert Top Coats \$2.00.

Childrens Heavy Cassimere Kneepants 19c.

Childrens Corduroy Kneepants 38c.

Mens \$1.50 Worsted Pants 95c.

\$3.00 Fine Worsted Pants \$2.25.

Mens & Boys 25c Caps 19c.

Mens Fine Landered \$1.00 shirts 38c., and everything else in the same proportion call early for first choice.

LIEBERMAN'S CASH CLOTHING HOUSE,

Bush Arcade, High St. BELLEFONTE, PA.

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FLOUR AND FEED.

SUPERLATIVE FLOUR (SPRING WHEAT.)

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