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Democratic County Ticket.

For Prothonotary-M. I. GARDNER. For District Attorney-N. B. SPANGLER.

### An Interesting Incident.

While the Governor, with the assistance of the "unspeakable" Speaker and the "unmentionable" Chairman of the House committee on appropriations, was going over the appropriation bills passed by the Legislature the other day, there appeared an item of news in the Pittsburg papers which might interest him, even if it should fail to instruct. It appeared in all the prints of that city, but we quote from the Dispatch, good Republican authority. After being driven all over Pittsburg in search of a hospital in which to take refuge says our esteemed contemporary, "LENA CROCKET, aged 28, of Gold Alley, Homestead, was obliged to return to Homestead, while suffering with an advanced stage of tetanus. Another trial was made by several well-known Homestead residents who interested themselves in her case and she was placed in the Southside hospital."

The Legislature appropriated in the neighborhood of a million dollars to Pittsburg hospitals, every one of which promished to open its doors freely to just such cases, with or without charge. The day the item of news appeared in the papers the Governor and his suitof assistants had just got settled down to the work of examining measures. What was his plain duty under the circumstances? It was to veto every appropriation for a Pittsburg hospital that violated its agreement with the State and its greater obligations to humanity by refusing to admit and, in so far as it was in its power, to relieve LENA CROCKET, of Gold Alley. If she had been a resident of the fashionable East End, or an inhabitant of any of the magnificent residences on the Boulevard, she would probably have been admitted. But the Governor probably knows that hospitals are not maintained at public expense for

LENA CROCKET finally got into the Southside hospital because several well-known Homestead residents interested themselves in her case. But if they had not interposed the poor woman would have been allowed to suffer the terrible pains which attends lock-jaw until death had graciously relieved her in her uncomfortable home in Gold Alley. Yet the Governor has or will sign the bills giving the very hospitals which committed the outrage hundreds of thousands of dollars of the people's money for the reason that in the disbursement or distribution of the money there will be a rake-off that will get votes for the Republican machine. But the people will not forget this cruel and inhuman incident in Pittsburg. When the polls open next fall LENA CROCKET will be an issue in the voting more potential than the boodle taken from the treasuries of the hospital to bribe voters and corrupt elections.

# The Folly of It.

It is a pity so many of our men can not outgrow their mental infancy when it comes to spending money on red lights, cannon crackers and riding in a procession. Now we have no kick coming about the demonstration on Monday night and were thoroughly in sympathy with receiving the soldiers most cordially-for they deserved it, but why a little judgment or common sense is never evident on such occasions is beyond us-unless it is that women are not consulted.

The demonstration lasted about one hour and a half and only seven of the soldiers were here to partake of it, for the others had been side tracked by the western railroads. Now would it not have been better if the committee had acted on the advice of one of our well known citizens and presented each of the volunteers with a watch, appropriately inscribed, which he could have treasured as long as he lives, instead of sending up the money in sky rockets and balloons. Then, too, is not the soldier's monument, which is intended to immortalize all our brave ones, languishing for just such opportunities. Or better still, how much more glory and profit they would have gotten out of an alcove in the new library, established and dedicated in their names and it would have commemorated their home coming for generations.

# County Statistics.

The County Commissioners have completed their return to the Secretary of Internal Affairs. It shows the following: Total number of taxables in the county......14,867
" acres of cleared land............203,287

......140,587 valuation of real estate. " exempt from ...\$1,680,925 ...\$300,400 No. and value of neat cattle over the age of 4 years..... ... Value of above......

.\$2,452,774 Value of stages, omnibuses, hacks, cabs.

.....\$4,233 ....\$41,653.92 

porations ..

Aguinaldo's Agents Found it Impossible to Corrupt W. J. Bryan

Refused to Consider Campaign Fund Offer—Notified of Their Coming to New York, He Would Not Even Talk With Them

SALEM, Ill., July 9 .- William J. Bryan, who is in this city visiting his sister, confirms the statement that Aguinaldo's agents attempted to corrupt him during the erence to the matter. He nodded affirmatively as his eyes passed over the statement that told of the offer of the leader of the Filipinos. Having finished he laid down the paper and said: Yes, that statement is substantially

correct. Mr. Bryan then explained how the offer was made and refused. Some time before the emissaries of Aguinaldo called at the Hoffman house in New York last fall, Mr. Bryan received a letter telling him that Aguinaldo's representatives would call, \$100,000 to the Democratic campaign fund. In addition they would promise for the Filipino leader that he would surrender if the Nebraskan were elected, and that the surrender would be immediate and unconditional. In return they would exact a promise that a reasonable form of govern-

When the Filipino agents appeared at the Hoffman house, Mr. Bryan refused to see them. They clamored for an audience with Mr. Bryan or some one who represented him.

ment, founded on the principles in force in

To all these appeals the Nebraskan was but he refused to delegate to any one in authority to consider the proposition they might make.

Finally after trying to the utmost to get to Mr. Bryan and put the proposition before him they abandoned the plan and took the advice of some of the attaches of the national headquarters staff, which was to leave New York and report to their principals that the Democrats would have nothing to do with the overtures made.

#### Reduced Rates to Meeting of Baptist Young People's Union of America, Chicago, via Pennsylvania Railroad.

On account of the international convention of the Baptists Young People's Union of America, to be held in Chicago, July 25th to 28th, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will sell excursion tickets from all stations on its lines to Chicago at rate of a single fare for the round trip. These tickets will be sold and good going on July 23rd, 24th and 25th, and will be good to re turn until July 30th, inclusive. Tickets remaining on deposit after July 30th, will be good returning, leaving Chicago until and including August 24th, on payment of N. J., is looking for a location for a fac-50 cents to joint agent.

### Highest in Thirty Years.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., July 10.-At 2 p. m. the mercury here registered 102 above, the highest in thirty years.

## ADDITIONAL LOCALS

-Allen Dubbs, of Cold Stream, and tionally good proposition for any town.

-Mrs. Emma L. Auman tripped on her skirt, while descending the cellar stairs. at her home in Millheim, on Saturday evening, and tumbled to the bottom, where she alighted on a tub, completely demolishing it. Strange to say she was little hurt.

-Yeager and Davis, the enterprising shoe dealers, have a new advertisement in this issue that it will be to your interest to read. They are selling shoes at an amazingly low figure and bargains the like of which this community has never before heard of await the visitor to their store.

-On Sunday the 21st the new Pleasant View chapel, just north of town, is to be dedicated with appropriate ceremonies at 3 o'clock in the afternoon. A good, big crowd should be present, for the little colony down around the red school house are not in affluent circumstances and they have done remarkably well thus far to secure a place of worship. Their Sabbath school with William B. Thomas, superintendent, and Emanuel Noll, general utility man, is really prospering more than any of the larger schools in town and is working wonders in the mission and humane cause down there.

-The WATCHMAN acknowledges the compliment of a delightful serenade by the Mill Hall band on the afternoon of the 4th. The boys had been attending the picnic at the park and came up to give Bellefonte an idea of the kind of music they have down in our neighboring county of Clinton. Most of the members of the band are workmen in the axe factory and their excellent rendition of some of the most difficult and newest music, shows that although usually busy at their work they must find time to practice and study. They are a fine looking body of gentlemen, know their business thoroughly and will be welcomed by our music lovers any time they may come to Bellefonte.

Moshannon Oil and Gas Co. has been formed to prospect for oil and gas in the Philipsburg region. Those interested are: T. C. Heims, Osceola, president; J. B. Irish, Norristown, and George W. McGaffey, Philipsburg, vice presidents; George E. Jones, Osceola, secretary; and P. E. Womelsdorff, Philipsburg, treasurer. J. L. Reeves, of Osceola, was chosen general manager and George W. Zeigler, Philipsburg, solicitor. A board of nine directors was elected as follows: T. C. Heims, A. L. Brown, Charles R. Houtz, Osceola; George R. Mock, George W. McGaffey, ..\$10,548.91 pany is capitalized at \$12,000.

-St. Paul's Episcopal church of Lock Haven picnicked at Hecla yesterday.

-Andrew Moyer sold his farm near Woodward to J. Frank Torbert, of Jersey Shore, last week for \$2,000. The farm has a peach orchard of five hundred trees.

-A very enjoyable reception was last presidential campaign. Mr. Bryan given Tuesday evening by Mrs. Frank read carefully the article published in prefgiven Tuesday evening by Mrs. Frank Mr. and Mrs. John F. Rummel, who returned from their wedding trip on Monday evening. Mrs. Rummel, who is better known to Bellefonte people as Maud Campbell, looked exceptionally pretty in her wedding gown of white batiste and there were about thirty guests present. Mr. and Mrs. Rummel were married in Philadelphia on June 27th. The wedding took place in the 40th and Spring Garden Reand they would make the proposition to formed church. Rev. Thomas Levan Mr. Bryan that Aguinaldo would give Bickle, formerly of this place and the bride's pastor, performed the ceremony which was witnessed by quite a number of their young friends. A wedding supper was served after the ceremony at one of the fashionable cafes and most of the honeymoon was spent with the groom's relathe United States, be given to the Fili- tives in Gettysburg.

IMPROVED THEIR SERVICE TO PHILA-DELPHIA. -On and after July 15th, 1901, Bald Eagle valley express due at Bellefonte at 1:20 p. m. will make connections at Lock Haven with Buffalo day express No. deaf. He not only refused to see them, 15 and also day express No. 8 which is the east bound vestibule flyer from Buffalo for Harrisburg, Baltimore, Washington and Philadelphia arriving at Philadelphia at 7:32 p. m. This makes a trip of 6 hours from Bellefonte to Philadelphia.

> BAND CONCERTS AT HECLA PARK .-Commencing July 12th there will be afternoon and evening concerts by the Coleville band at Hecla park each Friday between 3:00 and 9:00 p.m. The program will consist not only of dancing but dance music.

> The regular picnic rates will apply from all stations to Hecla park and return on these occasions; viz, 25 and 15 cents, Mill Hall 35 and 20 cents, intermediate points in proportion.

> The concerts are provided by the park management and will be free to the public.

ANOTHER BUSINESS OPPORTUNITY FOR BELLEFONTE.-George Pfan, of Riverside, tory to manufacture enameled kid shoes. He has a preference for Bellefonte, owing to friends now living here, and has written to the effect that he will come here if he can procure a two story building, about 40x80 in size, and \$25,000 in cash. On the latter he guarantees 10 per cent. interest and writes that he has an excep-

Miss Minnie Shultz, of Chester Hill, were Mr. Pfan ought to know the shoe busimarried by the Rev. C. L. Graham, in ness, since he was connected with the old Philipsburg, on Monday evening. The Thatcher Shoe Co., for years and is considyoung couple expect to make their home ered to be one of the best men in his line in the country.

It might be well for the Board of Trade to take this matter up and see what there

REV. HICKS ON THE WEATHER .- Rev. I. R. Hicks says the central storm period for the month falls from the 14th to the 18th. The crisis of this period will fall from Sunday the 14th to Thursday the 18th. If sufficient humidity should not be present during the regular storm days in this period, there is great probability of extreme heat and hot, withering winds, especially in the open, grain regions of the west and northwest. Thunder gusts are probable about July 19th. Reactionary disturbances are due about the 21st and 22nd. More or less rain, with probable cloud bursts, hail and dangerous winds need not surprise anyone during the severe storm period, which is central on the 26th. One of the warmest terms of the summer may be expected in connection with this thunder gusts will be natural about Thursday, the 25th, to Sunday, the 28th. Destructive hail storms are more than probable at this period. The great heat probable at this time will break up at the conclusion of the storms, and very cool nights the country, especially in the northwest.

ONE KILLED, THE OTHER MANGLED .-George Viehdorfer, of Snow Shoe, and Henry Gunsallus, of Beech Creek, cousins, met with a frightful accident at Lock Haven, early last Wednesday morning, that cost good position. the former his life and the latter a broken leg and numerous bruises.

Youngwoman's creek. The two men arthe Custer house, Viehdorfer being acquainted with the new landlord of that out on the town. They fell in with two -An organization known as the orthree other men, and after being at an treated him properly and the patient is uptown hotel, started down the tracks for able to be around again. Beck's hotel. When near Miller's coal yard they stepped from the east bound track to escape a freight train onto the other track and in front of a west bound freight. Both were struck, Viehdorfer being instantly killed. His one leg was ground off knee, his neck and nose broken and a hole knocked in his head.

> Viehdorfer's remains were picked up and taken to an undertaking establishment where they were prepared for shipment to Snow Shoe that afternoon. He was 30 years old and is survived by his mother. four sisters and five brothers.

> Gunsallus was taken to the Lock Haven hospital.

MRS. MARTHA J. RICH.-Mrs. Martha J. Rich, widow of the late Benjamin Rich,

general collapse. age; having been a sister of T. B. Griest, abiding faith in Christ inspired by a life long devotion to the Society of Friends.

Tuesday afternoon.

MISS LAVINA GATES. - At the old Gates where she passed away.

she had been a consistent member of the burg on Monday was according to its rites.

Tuesday afternoon.

stricken within the past week. They were a profound secret, but somehow, like all residents of Bellefonte until a short good things, it leaked out and now the time ago, when the family moved to four beauties are very shy and chary when Philadelphia, where Mr. Grenninger any mention is made of gathering flowers secured more lucrative employment by the wayside or on the banks of a ripat his trade of carpentering. His pling stream. widow and five children survive him as follows: Thomas, Bessie, Minnie and Lottie, of Philadelphia, and Samuel, of How-

Haines Twp., this county, died at her home in Wellington, Kansas, on the 23rd regular employment to work in the fields. ult. She was 65 years, 4 months and 27 The time was when every one was willing days old and had been failing in health and expected to take a hand at harvesting. since last September, when cancer of the Merchants with their clerks and mechanics liver developed. Her maiden name was with their apprentices worked in the hay Sara Guisewite and she moved west with and grain fields, during the harvest rush, her husband and four boys in 1884.

late home in Philadelphia on Friday

-Rev. Dr. William Laurie married Miss Mary E. Haldaman, of Fairbrook, to Mr. Elias O. Franell, of Benore, on Friday, June 28th. The ceremony took place at the Presbyterian parsonage in this

---On Wednesday, July 3rd, Miss Rebecca J. Davis and Harry Williams were united in marriage by the Rev. T. W. Perks, of the U. B. church. The marriage took place at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Ellen Davis, on east High street, and was witnessed by a number of guests. -Miss Ethelyn Audine, only daughter

of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry E. Ryan, was married at her home in Buffalo, on the 5th ult., to Mr. Alden W. Ayers, of Elmira, N. Y. The Ryans are very well known in Centre county, having recently been resiperiod, and many storm clouds with severe dents of Curtin township, where Mrs. Ayers was recognized as a leader among the young set.

-Miss Myrtle Gray, a daughter of Mrs. Emma T. Gray and whose service the school board of Philipsburg were most unfor the season will follow in most parts of willing to dispense with when she resigned her position there as a teacher several years years ago, was married to George Watson Herriott on Tuesday of last week. The marriage took place at Newark, N. J., and the young people will make their home at Wilmerding, Pa., where the groom has a

-Last Saturday morning David Wil The men were employed by Brooks & liams, of Nittany, went into the garden to Ewens, jobbers for F. A. Blackwell, on pick currants. It was very warm and early in the morning so he went barefooted; rived in Lock Haven on Tuesday evening while busy at his work a copperhead snake on the 6 o'clock train. They ate supper at struck through the fence and scored him lightly on the two smaller toes, not enough to securely fasten its fangs, but deep enough hostelry. After supper the men started to make Mr. Williams sick. He was taken to Dr. Huston, at Clintondale, who

-The largest mortgage that has been put on the records in Centre county for a number of years was entered by Recorder Robb on Wednesday. It was a deed in trust executed by the United Telephone at the hip, the other one cut off at the and Telegraph Co., for \$2,000,000 in favor of the Equitable Trust Co., of Philadelphia. The instrument carries \$999,50 in revenue stamps and had it been executed a few days later this latter expense would have been unnecessary.

> According to the latest from Harrisburg Governor STONE intends to make, a heavy reduction in the appropriation to The Pennsylvania State College. What for, pray?

GIRLS DUMPED IN A STREAM BY A HORSE.-A mile or two above Spring Mills | Loganton with her parents Mr. and Mrs. associate judge of Centre county, died at along the romantic and concave shores of Dowe. her home in Unionville, on Tuesday even- Sinking creek abounds, in a bewildering ing, July 2nd. She had been in poor health | profusion, beautiful flowers of almost every for some time and her death was due to a hue and extends for a distance of possibly half a mile up the creek. Huge old trees Mrs. Rich was a Griest before her marri- that have defied the blasts of fifty winters, stand here and there along the banks like the well known Unionville merchant. She so many sentinels, to guard its precincts was 69 years old and died with the simple, and prevent trespass and intrusion. Last week three of the village beauties were anxious to obtain some of the flowers for time with her sister Mittie. Minnie has Surviving are her son John L., and a private decoration on the Fourth of July. daughters Mary, Annie and Lillie. Her So procuring a light road wagon, one of brothers T. B., Joseph and Owen are also the damsels acted as driver while the remaining two occupied the ground floor be-Interment was made at Unionville on hind, seated over the low railing of the wagon, certainly a very uncomfortable position, especially when the avoirdupois of one being so much greater than the other home near Tadpole, in Ferguson township, two, that it threw the wagon "off" and the death of Miss Lavina Gates occurred on made it decidedly lopsided. Nothing Sunday, June 30th; consumption having daunted, however, the trio boldly drove been the cause. She was 70 years and 1 along the road and stopped for a fourth, month old and was the daughter of Fred- this accession about equalized the weight erick Gates. All the years of her long and and the four fair ones drove up the creek useful life were spent on the homestead and secured an ample supply of flowersdaisies and fern. But now comes the Mrs. Mary Bollinger, of Millheim, and story. Previous to securing the flowers Mrs. Matilda Rumberger, of Pine Grove and when jocularity, mirth and merriment Mills, are her surviving sisters. For years reigned supreme, the horse, rather a lively and knowing animal, and possibly wink-Lutheran church and her burial at Gates- ing one eye, suddenly started for the creek and went in, pell mell, despite all efforts to check him, and almost before the DROPPED DEAD .- After a day in the young ladies were aware of it, they were mountains in search of berries Mrs. John floundering in about three feet of water Thompson returned so her home in Port like mermaids. Here was a plight to be Matilda, on Saturday evening, and sudden- in most truly, and an act not set down on ly expired. It is believed that over exer- the program. But the afternoon being tion caused heart failure and her collapse. young, heat excessive and the locality very She is survived by her husband and sev- secluded and retired, they simply disrobed eral children. Interment was made on and hung their dripping garments on the bushes, and then played sprites and water nymphs 'til their robes were in a -Ammon Miller Grenninger, formerly suitable condition to don again and joura resident of this place, died at his home in ney home. The horse, after unloading his Philadelphia, on July 2nd, from the effects | precious freight so unceremoniously, quietof typhoid fever. The case was a particu- ly walked out of the creek and grazed upon larly distressing one, since Mrs. Grenninger | the banks, no doubt amused at the trick and two of the daughters are also ill with he had played so successfully. Of course the same trouble and Thomas has been this little episode was intended to be kept

KEEP A LIST OF HARVEST LOAFERS .-Farmers of this county have experienced ard. Funeral services were held at his great trouble in securing help sufficient to house their hay crop, which has been an exceedingly large one. They anticipate the same difficulty with their grain har--Mrs. T. G. Erhard, formerly of vest. It is not because of the scarcity of men but of a disinclination of those out of and crops equal to those of the present were housed without machinery and with- few days the beginning of the week. out trouble, because all were willing to

No merchant, mechanic or any one with any other business thinks of helping to get in the crops. Even the fellow who is on the borough poor list during the winter months and others whose families have to he aided by church charities refuse to work | home for a few days. in the harvest field

This is a condition of affairs that should not exist, but how to remedy it, is the question. It might help matters in the future, if the fellow who won't work now when work is plentiful and wages fair, was allowed to go with a bare back and an empty stomach, when winter comes. There are plenty of this class right round this place, and we suggest to the poor overseer's and the church people that a list of those able to work and who loaf through the harvest season, be kept and assistance refused them when they come begging for help next winter. The unfortunate fellow who is willing to do what he can, deserves aid when in need, but the chronic loafer who will do nothing but squirt tobacco juice over the pavement and serve as a flyroost about town, when there is a call for help in the harvest field, should be allowed to go without the grain that he is unwilling to help gather.

-During the hot weather last week one of Samuel McCaleb's horses at Nittany was in a pasture field, that contained no drinking water and when permitted to reach a stream it drank water until it fell dead. We note this as a warning to others to look after the needs of dumb animals, as it makes it expensive to be neglectful.

# Nittany Items.

Mrs. Newton Dorman, of Jersey Shore, visiting her old acquaintances. The saw mill owned by Orwig & Co., ha

been moved to Beech Creek. John W. Tolbert, who has been employed

at Winburne is visiting his parents. Mrs. Tom Shope and family, of Milesburg. spent a week with her mother Mrs. Tate. Miss Estey Smith, of Millheim, has been visiting her aunt Mrs. Will Mauk.

Charles Mauk, like all patriotic boys, was celebrating the glorious old 4th and was burned by being hit in the breast with a ball from a Roman candle.

Miss Sudie Rossman and brother Clarence, of Clintondale, accompanied their aunt Mrs. Geo. Tolbert to Christian Endeavor last Sunday evening.

Miss Emma Bennison, to enjoy the picnic at Hecla, came a day ahead and rested with Alma Pletcher, so on the 4th she did not need to drive a long distance to catch the train.

Joe Emrick and wife spent Sunday at

Frank and Boyd Emrick have gone to the lumber jobs up the river. They belonged to the mill gang here, and as the mill did not run steadily went for higher wages and constant employment.

Miss Grace Beck, who is employed at the Williamsport hospital as a trained nurse. is spending her vacation at home. Miss Minnie Winkleman, a graduate of the Lock Haven hospital, is also spending some leisure been seriously ill, being under the care of Dr. Ball, chief physician of the hospital. Fearing Miss Winkleman's case, which was lingering in its form, might baffle their skill the doctor and head nurse accompanied her to Dr. Kelley's sanitarium at Baltimore, who agreed in consultation. Her acquaintances are glad to hear of her improving.

James W. Gunsallus and wife were surrounded by sons, daughters, grand-children, and great-grand-children, on the Fourth and all were royally entertained by the host and hostess. As Jim is a jolly good fellow and would hit an editor with a choice slice of venison at the proper season we note the location of his flesh and blood. Luther Stover and wife (nee Nettie Gunsallus) also two children and Guy, Croyland, Elk county: Wm. Gunsallus and family, of Romola; Jennie Cassidy and two sons, of Lock Haven: Henry McCloskey and family, of Cedar Springs; Charles Gunsallus and family, of Nittany; George and wife of the same place; Miss Mary, Oda and Thomas, at home, who have not forsaken the law of their mother. There were 15 grand-children and 2 greatgrand-children present. During this hilarious time one would infer school was out or mirth and happiness reigned supreme. We hope they may all be spared to have a repetition of the same by another year.

#### ROMOLA.

The farmers of this section are busy harvesting.

The saw mill at this place has been repaired, and all hands will resume work again.

Toner Robb made a flying visit to Bellefonte last Monday, to attend the reception of the Philippine veterans.

Mrs. Lydia Jones and her daughter-in-law Mrs. Bert Mann, both of Beech Creek, spent Sunday at the home of H. S. DeLong.

Mrs. Hull Carrier, who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Hannah Brickley, of this place, has returned to her home in Summerville. H. P. Robb was home for a short

the Westinghouse Electrical building at East Pittsburg. The Christian church at Romola will hold an ice cream festival July 20th, on the

visit last week. Mr. Robb has a position in

grounds in front of the church. All are cordially invited to attend. The school directors of Curtin township, met last Saturday to elect teachers. Mr. D. E. Robb was elected to teach Quay's grammar, and Miss Blanche Wensel the primary. No teachers for the other schools have been

### secured yet. Pine Grove Mention.

Paul Fortney is making hay as well as muscle at his uncle James Fortney's.

Andy J. Tate was home with his family a

Paul and Foster Musser are quarantined help in a pinch. It is very different to- at their Branch house because of scarlet rash. Charles Smith has gone so Mifflinburg to

put the finishing touches on a lot of carriages and buggies. Daniel J. Koch, the obliging clerk in his

uncle J. P. Condo's store at Millheim, is Milton Keller, wife and little Jacob are

here from Pittsburg at Squire Keller's home on Main street. P. H. Meyers and wife passed through

town Saturday on their way to visit Mrs. G. W. Keichline, whose condition is not encouraging. Hav making is about over and this week the bulk of the golden grain will'be in shock

which do not dot the fields as thickly as was expected. Mrs. Gertrude Weiland with her little daughter and nephew. Frank Keller, of Lin-

den Hall, spent several days at squire Mil-

ler's home this week. Robert Foreman, of Centre Hall, was husting around this section last week in the interests of the Champion Binder. Robert understands his business thoroughly.

We are sorry to note the severe illness of Mrs. Albert Myerly who is suffering with catarrh of the stomach. Her condition became so serious Tuesday that her relatives were notified. J. C. Bradford, genial and happy as ever,

was circulating among our merchants last week. When Mr. Bradford cannot make a sale there is not much use in any one else Mr. and Mrs. Charles Chadman, of Conne-

aut. O., are visiting at the home of his uncle J. M. Kepler. They were but recently married and are enjoying their honeymoon to Last Saturday while John Isenberg was

driving W. S. Ward's delivery wagon near Baileyville he was suddenly stricken with paralysis and fell headlong to the ground. His recovery seems doubtful.

Krebs Bros., and Prof. Heberling spent a night on the banks of Whipple's dam recently and came home the next morning with a catch of 50 eels varying from a whip cracker to one weighing 31 pounds.

T. Jefferson Devine laid by his hatchet and saw in the Iron city this week and hied himself home to spend a few days with his family here. He says the WATCHMAN is a most welcome visitor in Pittsburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Mitchell and Miss Eliza Thomas spent the 4th with Mr, and Mrs. John Porter Lyon at Heartsease at Pennsylvania Furnace. They remained over Sabbath and attended church here.

Mrs. Alice Buchwalter, of Lancaster, is here for a month's visit at the McWilliams home at Fairbrook. Mrs. Buchwalter is always a welcome visitor at her parents and especially so just now, the busy time of the