Ledger in Philipsburg exploded about 6:30 going to school this summer. o'clock Monday morning, which blew out the dining room. Nobody was seriously injured, but the girl employed by them had her face slightly cut by parts of the pieces flying around. It is said that the cause of the explosion was due to water freezing in the hot water boiler. It was bad enough, but might have been much worse.

-A party of young folks chaperoned by Misses Henrietta Butts and Mildred Smith had a sleighing party to the Old Fort Saturday night. George Furey took his four-in-hand and big sled and handled the team like a professional whip. In the party were Misses Ann Harris, Eleanor Ardell, Jennie Harper, Mary Thomas, Helen White, Kate Brisbin, Messrs. Elliott Vandevender, Hasel Montgomery, Malcolm Mitchell, Louis Dagget and Fred Lane. They had a fine time and came home thoroughly delighted with the trip.

-We would like to call your attention to the advertisement for the sale of a section of the Hamilton farm at Pleasaut Gap, which appears in another column of this issue Here is an opportunity for some one to buy a small farm near the Pleasant Gap station. It is in a high state of cultivation and is reputed as being one of the best farms in the county.

-Mrs. W. A. Simpson, of Lock Haven, is so seriously ill that Dr. Roland Curtin, of Philadelphia, was called there in consultation on Friday.

#### Snow Shoe.

The literary recital given in the M. E. church on Wednesday evening by Miss Ida Helen Rodkey, of Mahaffe, Pa., was a fine treat to all who attended. Miss Rodkey is a fine impersonator and very skillful in the art of speaking.

The tail end of a western blizzard struck this place on last Sunday and as a result we have been living in zero weather ever since. Wednesday morning registered 4 below, which is the coldest it has been here this winter.

Mr. ground hog was out on his annual trip on Sunday, and although the sun shone enough for him to see his shadow, the snow had drifted his hole shut before he could return and as a result he is shivering around in the snow and we may expect summer in a

Professor McNeal, of Lock Haven, has been secured as one of the instructors for the institute on the evening of Feb. 28th and March 1st. A strong corps of teachers is expected to be in attendance. Prof. Robb, who has the managing in charge, will leave no

stone unturned to make it a success. We are pleased to learn that Mr. Chas. Shope, our esteemed insurance agent, who moved from this place some few weeks ago to Peale City, has been promoted to assistant superintendent of the company and henceforth will make his home in Altoona. Mr. J. D. Brown will fill his place as agent in our

### Pine Grove Mention.

Ex-judge Riley is laid up with appendicitis. The ice harvest is on and there is plenty to be gotten that is 10 inches through. Mercury has been hovering about zero

since ground hog day. Mrs. H. A. Hartswick is laid up with a

colony of Job's comforters.

H. W. Frantz and family spent Sunday at the McClellan home uear Tusseyville.

Major W. H. Miller now past 87 has recovusual.

Mrs. Sallie Moon is quite ill at her home suffering from a break down incident to old age. She is 86

Rev. Aikens will be absent on Sunday, having gone to Middleburg to install Rev. Diehl in the pastorate there.

James Snyder, son of John Snyder is seri-

hopes to pull him through. C. B. McCormick, who has been housed up

but his voice is still a little husky. Orie Krebs has gone to Tyrone to go into

of becoming a master mechanic. William K. Goss flitted to Bailevville, on Tuesday, where with his family he is snugly fixed in the A. G. Ewing's house.

L. S. Musser, of Hublersburg, was circulating about here last week looking after his chances of the county superintendency.

The venerable Daniel Keller celebrated his 84th birthday last Saturday. There was quite a home gathering of that numerous family.

William H Smith one of Gregg township's straight laced Democrats, spent yesterday in town closing up the sale of his mother's down

Linn Bottorf, the obliging station master over at Julian, and his interesting little family spent Saturday and Sunday at Cornelius

Dale's near Lemont. A regular blizzard swept over this section last Sunday and in consequence the cross roads were drifted full of snow by night.

Traveling is all done by the fields now. The stork is kept busy these cold, stormy nights. Sunday evening a young son arrived at Henry Bloom's home. Tuesday night a little daughter arrived at mine host J. A.

Decker's. Sunday was the stormiest day of the winter but yet that weather wise little animal managed to see his shadow. He is likely back in his winter quarters by this time and we are

in for six weeks more of winter. Mrs. Samuel Bailey is laid up with several broken ribs. While going to the cistern with a bucket on her arm she slipped on the ice and fell, striking the edge of the bucket with

Farmer Adam Felty is down at Harrisburg for a 10 days' visit. Some of his granger friends think he would be a good man to succeed Hon. Wm. Allison whose place will be soaps and perfumes, spent a few days of last filled with a Democrat.

-The cook stove in the home of Miss George C. Meyers returned home last week Annie Williams, editor of the Philipsburg from northern Illinois with the intention of for the last three weeks, having a bealing in

Last week James Wertz added another farm every window in the kitchen, and some in to his possessions. He bought from Elmer McClellan the Detwiler farm which almost adjoins his own. The price paid was \$6,000 | ice man? certainly a low down figure for a number one Pennsvalley farm.

> mer, has resigned his position in the H. M. themselves highly. Krebs carriage works to accept a like position with his friend and former employee W. J. Meyers, over at Alexandria. Wm. H. Roush has taken his place in the Krebs shop here.

Mrs. James I. Thompson, who was operated apon in the Presbyterian hospital in Philadelphia last week, is improving so rapidly that she expects to be home shortly. Her sufferings were caused by three large gall stones which the doctors were able to remove.

Last evening a very pleasant social was held at the home of Mrs. J. B. Mitchell, on Main street. Mrs. Mitchell whom every one knows is endowed with a most mild and even disposition, was ably assisted by her sister, Miss Elizabeth Gibson, in making the guests welcome and they had good things enough prepared to have fed twice the number

Will Swab is the proud possessor of a number of valuable relics. He prizes very highly a sailor's dirk knife that belonged to one of Commodore Perry's men and which was found in the bottom of the vessel when it was raised in 1876. He has also a Remington five shot revolver which was carried through the Mexican war by Mr. James Detzel. It was was found among his personal effects after his death. Mr. Swab has had both replated so the weapons look like new.

#### Spring Mills.

Evangelist Laumaster closed a series of highly interesting meetings on Monday evening last. All the meetings were very largely attended

Last week Mrs. W. F. Steely, of Sunbury, made a flying trip of a day or two to her father, Mr. Charles Miller, one of our highly esteemed citizens

Calvin Zerbe feels very largely the grave responsibilities of being a "pap" to a new daughter, which the stork left at his home on Wednesday evening last.

S. A. Krape, of our village, will dispose of all his household effects on the 5th proximo, and will move to Altoona. We are very sorry to lose Mr. Krape. He is a good citizen and a very skillful mechanic.

The recent nominations here seem to give general satisfaction to both parties, and there appears to be no disappointments. Of course party lines will be pretty sharply drawn but this being a Demecratic stronghold the result of the election is a foregone conclusion.

The measles here seem epidemic, but in a mild form, old as well as young are afflicted. The notion of having had the measles once, a person is not liable to a second attack appears to be exploded, for here children who had them during their infancy are again ill with the malady.

The remarkably high winds down this valley on Sunday and Monday last, were about as near a genuine hurricane as we have any desire for. Of course the snow was hurled hither and thither in blinding clouds, and no doubt some of the roads are closed. No special damage however is reported in this immediate neighborhood, save the blowing down of fences and the destruction of several old sheds, used mainly as a home by owls and bats.

The absence of the old foot log bridge over Penns Creek, which was swept away by the ice and high water a week or ten days since is certainly a great inconvenience. It was a short walk to the R. R. station and also to the Methodist and Reformed churches, and was used by every man, woman and child in Bowes, Aug. 19th, 1901, two lots in Howered from a recent illness and is about as the village as a long circuitous road was ard Boro. Consideration \$1700. avoided. it has been a crossing almost from the foundation of the village. Of course the Long, Nov. 12th. 1901, Lot in Philipsburg. bridge will be rebuilt just as soon as the Consideration \$800. weather permits.

The importance of accidental insurance was fully exemplified in the case of Daniel Schle- of land in Potter Twp. Consideration \$1. gel one of our active young men who some time since met with a very severe accident to one of his hands incapacitating him from ously ill with pneumonia. Dr. Glenn, though, following his usual vocation. Mr. S. had a policy in the Etna Accidental of Hartford, Conn., he simply notified them of the accifor ten days with the grip, is able to be about dent. At the expiration of five weeks he again notified the Company that he was able to resume work, when they immediately the machine shops there, with the intention mailed him a check for fifty dollars to cover the entire time of his disability. There was no delay nor quibbling, but the amount promptly paid.

# Nittany Items.

James G. Hayes, lost a very valuable cow last week, by hanging itself.

Elmer Snaveley has been using the snow to good advantage by chasing foxes. Last Saturday he killed two. He bagged three coons the same week.

Rev. Foss is being assisted by Rev. Garret, of Bellwood, in holding a series of revival meetings at this place. Quite a number from various points attend.

Miss Grace Beck, who has been employed as nurse waiting upon Mr. Brant, of Youngstown, Ohio, stopped on her return at her father's J. H. Beck Esq., leaving here last

Monday for the Williamsport hospital. The proprietor of the post office has been shivering and thinking cuss words about the old stove in the office, so last Tuesday he hied himself to Bellefonte and invested in a new one which makes the office a pleasant place.

Mrs. Charles Yearick accompanied her husband to this side of the ridge last week for a sleigh ride, also making five minute calls among old acquaintances. Mrs. Ed. Peck also ordered up a horse and sleigh and drove to the homestead, at Jacksonville.

# Centre Hall.

Zero weather!

Vance McCormick, of Montandon, is visiting his father-in-law, J. A. Reesman, at this

Sturger Shultz, who has been suffering with pneumonia for the past three weeks, is improving.

Ed. Robinson, a traveling agent, selling week with his family at this place.

Mrs. Samuel Gross has been confined to bed her face and head

The business men of the town are busy at the present time putting away ice for next summer's use. How would you like to be the

A party of young folks from Bellefonte were entertained at the home of Mrs. Simon J. B. Piper, the well known carriage trim- Harper last Friday evening. All enjoyed

Prof Ed Crawford has a singing class of ome sixty students, which he started to drill | Mingoville. on Tuesday evening and will drill them for thirteen consecutive nights, at the end of which he will hold a concert.

#### Hablersburg.

Mr. John Vonada has been on the sick list

J. H. Sharp has returned home after being absent for two months. Mr. and Mrs. David Hubler spent Monday

visiting friends at the hotel. The ground hog saw his shadow, which

means six weeks cold Mr. and Mrs. George Beck, of Pittsburg, spent Sunday at the McKibben home.

The school house has been repaired and Prof. Musser has again resumed his work. Rev. Crow has a new Commercial telephone added to the conveniences in his home.

David Yocum was stricken with paralysis one day last week and is confined to his bed. Ollie M. Deibler, of Clintondale, was a pleasant caller in town Wednesday evening. Talitha Hoy has returned home, after spending some time with friends in Belle-

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Chambers, Miss Lydia Bell and Calvin Troup, of Bellefonte, spent Sunday at the home of T. L. Kessinger.

Mr. Orwig, of Hartleton, has been shipping quite a large amount of lumber from our

Mrs. E. A. McKibben, with her uncle and aunt Mr. and Mrs. Beck from Pittsburg, is spending a few days at Jersey Shore.

Quite a large sled load of jolly young people from Jacksonville spent the evening very pleas intly at S. C. Hoy's last Tuesday.

A large surprise and birthday party was given in honor of Rev. Crow by the members of the Jacksonville and Hublersburg congregations. A sumptuous repast was served in the Grange hall where guests numbering almost a hundred were treated to a feast. The Hubbersburg congregation presented them with silver knives and forks and the Jackson ville | cople with a rocker and foot rest. After a very enjoyable day all returned home well pleased with the day's entertainment.

### Real Estate Transfers.

The following real estate transfers have been recorded during the past week by the recorder N. E. Robb.

W. Fred Reynolds et ux to Harry C. Rothrock, July 5th, 1901, 107 acres 143 perches in Potter Twp. Consideration

Z. S. Welch et ux to Hannah A. Kesigle, Jan. 28th, 1902, lot in Howard Boro. Consideration. \$300.

William Garland and John W. Pennington, May 24th, 1901, 2 lots in Rush Twp. Consideration \$150. Wm. Garland to John W. Pennington, Jan. 8th. 1902, tract of land in Rush Twp.

Consideration \$500. Gilbert Etter et ux to Ebenezer R. Williams, Jan. 21st, 1902, 270 acres in Patton Twp. Consideration \$300.

Joseph F. Mattern et ux to James A. Reese, Dec. 28th, 1901, two tracts in Blair and Centre counties. Consideration \$825. Frances T. McEntire et baron to Chas.

Mrs. E. E. S. Mulson's heirs to C. E.

J. Clarke Mattern et ux to J. Linu Mattern, Jan. 28th, 1902, interest in six tracts L. F. Wetzler et ux to John F. Bayletts, Jan. 18th, 1902, land in Boggs Twp. Consideration \$1078.

Catherine Stroups heirs to L. F. Wetzler, Oct. 20th, 1900, 100 acres 43 perches in Boggs Twp. Consideration \$1000. Matilda Mowerys Exr. to G. W. Gates,

July 30th, 1901, 3 acres in Walker Twp. Consideration \$161. T. B. Budinger et ux to Joseph Kobol-

archik, April 20th, 1901, lot in Snow Shoe Twp. Consideration \$150.

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

Harvey K. Lingle and Annie M. Bechdel, both of Blanchard.

John Fenton Jr., and Nellie Simpson, both of Philipsburg. J. P. Gates and M. B. Cowher, both of

Port Matilda Herbert Dean and Clara Fulton, both of

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