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THINGS ABOUT TOWN AND COUNTY

—Mercantile appraiser Reese is on the road of official duty.

—Mrs. Mary E. Cramer, of Moshannon, has been given a pension of \$8.00 per month.

—Have you secured your seats for "Said Pasha" at Garman's Monday and Tuesday night.

—Co. B will be inspected on next Tuesday night. Maj. Jeffries, of Pittsburg, will conduct the inspection.

—The W. C. T. U. has decided to postpone its big fair and three night show until the second week in April.

—Ezra Smith, of this place, has been granted a pension of \$30 per month. Chas. F. Romick, of Abdera, goes on the list at \$8.

—Mrs. Edward Zimmerman fell on a board-walk in Millheim on Wednesday morning and knocked her left arm out of the socket.

—C. Bruce Garman is improving right along and his physicians consider him out of danger now, unless some new complication develops.

—Mrs. Kate Glenn, widow of the late David M. Glenn, who has been suffering for months with cancer, is now in a most precarious condition.

—Sunday's storm was so severe in the vicinity of Aaronsburg that one of the memorial windows in the Lutheran church was blown in and broken.

—The rummage sale for the benefit of the Reformed church is now in progress. It is being held in the room in Reynolds' bank building formerly occupied by Sim the Clothier.

—Miss Margaret Harris Cook, who is doing graduate work at the University in Philadelphia this winter, has been chosen one of the editors of the *Punch Book*, a students' publication.

—In the Parker concert company that appears at the court house to-night there are five vocalists, a banjoist, guitar and mandolin soloists, piano and violinists. Are you going. It will be good.

—Platt-Barber & Co., the wholesale grocers of Philadelphia, are going to build a branch house at Punxsutawney in order to avoid double shipping and get their goods to customers in that region quicker.

—Missioner Crittenden expects to have his Indian choir, composed of members of the Corn-Planter and Seneca Indian tribes among whom he is working, to give a concert here some time this month. It will be for the benefit of the Keating chapel fund.

—Yesterday morning was the coldest this section has experienced this year. In and about Bellefonte thermometers registered 6° below 0, at Centre Hall it was 4° below, at Pine Grove 6° below, at State College 2° below, at Howard 2° below, at Unionville 4° below.

—The sale of the McFarlane farm at Hunter's park which was advertised to have been made on Tuesday, has been postponed until Saturday, February 15th. Bear in mind that the sale of this fine Beaver township farm will take place at the court house in this place at 10:30 a. m. on the 15th.

—The Thespians, the Pennsylvania State College dramatic organization, are going to present Mrs. Burton Harrison's comedy, "A Russian Honeymoon" this year. They expect to present it at Tyrone on Monday evening, then at Williamsport, Look Haven and Emporium.

—While riding from his home at Pleasant Gap Monday morning Roy Barnes, a young man who teaches school at Coleville, had his hands and ears badly frosted. He was on a bicycle and had only reached Axe Mann when he discovered his predicament. His one ear is quite severely bitten and will give him some trouble.

—James H. Rine, of West High street, met with quite a serious accident while at his work in Crider's planing mill on Monday afternoon. He was repairing some belt when he accidentally became entangled and before he could get loose his right arm was broken near the shoulder. Though suffering great pain he walked to his home, where Dr. Harris reduced the fracture.

—The fine sleighing suggests the prediction that there will be many sledding parties from nearby villages to Bellefonte Monday and Tuesday evenings. What better opportunity for a pleasant outing could be desired than the opera "Said Pasha," to be sung at Garman's those nights, will afford and after the opera an oyster supper could be had at any one of the four good restaurants in town. Parties coming to the opera can reserve seats by telephoning to Parish's drug store.

—The next attraction in the People's course will be the Parker concert company of five ladies who will appear in the court house this Friday evening, Feb. 7th. They are heralded as being among the best of the many good attractions presented in this course and if you would enjoy a really meritorious entertainment you should not miss this one. Admission will be 50cts., including reserved seats, if desired. Those holding course tickets will be expected to pay 15cts. extra for reserved seats.

HON. JAMES MILLIKEN.—The passing of the Hon. James Milliken has removed a man of eminent ability. He died at his home in the Hoffman house, in New York city, on Tuesday morning, and his body was brought here yesterday morning, interment having been made in his lot in the Union cemetery, after services had been held in the Presbyterian church.

Col. Milliken was a man whose early ambition to be rich and influential was more than gratified. From an humble beginning he amassed a fortune variously estimated at from a half to a million dollars and no man of this community has surpassed him in *finesse*. Though disease at the last dulled the lustre of what had been a brilliant mind we cannot but remember him as the well informed, incisive, polished gentleman. Alive to the great questions of government, active in the interest of his friends and benevolent far beyond the knowledge of most men.

James Milliken was the third son of Foster Milliken and was born in Millin county, Pa., July 23, 1826, making his age 75 years, 6 months and 9 days. His father died when James was quite young, leaving the family in limited circumstances, so that at an early period in life he was placed with the Messrs Valentine, of Centre county, as a clerk. He acted as their agent for the sale of their iron in New York State and was for several years located for that purpose in Elmira, N. Y. He later engaged in business with his uncles at Lewistown. In 1850 he entered the grain business in Philadelphia, the firm being Richardson & Milliken, but after a few years he engaged in business more suited to his taste, the manufacture of iron, becoming a member of the Phoenix Iron Company, of Philadelphia.

He became quite prominent in Philadelphia affairs and at the outbreak of the rebellion he was a member of the Board of Trade, director of several railroad companies, and one of the originators of the great Union League that did so much in behalf of the country in suppressing the rebellion. He was a member of the committee, of which the mayor was chairman, which distributed a bounty of several millions to the volunteers.

After the war, owing to a breakdown in his health, he devoted several years to travel, visiting most of the countries of Europe. He crossed the great Arabian desert, scaled Mt. Sinai, visited the Holy Land, Greece, Turkey and Mexico.

His address in the state convention at Harrisburg, May 10th, 1892, in nominating Gen. James A. Beaver for Governor, has been described by the public press of the day as "a model and one of the most eloquent ever delivered in a political body of that character." Mr. Milliken was the author of several books of travel to be found in the public libraries of Philadelphia and New York.

Mr. Milliken returned to Bellefonte in 1871 and resided here up to a few years ago. He took a great interest in the affairs of the town until some action of council offended him so that he moved to Philadelphia, later going to New York and thereafter making his home at the Hoffman house in that city.

A DEPLORABLE DEATH.—Mrs. Annabella Creighton Sommerville, wife of Robert Sommerville, died at her home in Winburn on Tuesday morning at 3 o'clock of diphtheria. Her death was unusually sad for she was so generally beloved and the circumstances attending her burial were most affecting. She was here only a few weeks ago visiting and shortly after returning home she took a severe cold. A serious one came, though, was not appreciated until Thursday. Then she became ill with tonsillitis which soon developed with diphtheria.

Mrs. Sommerville was a native of Scotland and about thirty years of age. Her girlhood was spent in Syracuse, N. Y., where her parents, people of culture and affluence, located when she was a little child. Her marriage to Robert Sommerville, of the well known Sommerville family of this place formerly, but now of Winburn, took place about five years ago. She had traveled extensively and was an intelligent young woman of uncommon character and rare charm. Even the employees of her husband's family at Winburn revered her and 'twas only a few weeks ago in this office that one of them, in mentioning the family, paid tribute to her sterling worth and bright individuality.

She is survived by her husband, her mother, who was visiting at Winburn when her daughter was taken sick, and many relatives and friends. Her father, Mr. Creighton, was killed in an accident about a year ago and she was the only surviving child out of a family of four.

On Wednesday afternoon about 5 o'clock Robert Sommerville and his twin brother, Allen, accompanied by two of their miners and the undertaker arrived here with the body. They had driven the entire distance and the day was intensely cold. Interment was made in the family plot in the Union cemetery with Rev. Dr. Laurie officiating.

Elisha Houck, a very well known farmer, died at his home east of Warriors-mark early Friday morning. Though he had been in poor health for over a year with heart trouble, it was not until the night before his death that he became real bad. He was 69 years, 8 months and 6 days old and was born in Lebanon county. His widow and twelve of their thirteen children survive him. Among the latter are George H. and Wilfred E. Houck, of Philadelphia, and Mrs. Harry Sutton, of Snow Shoe. Interment was made on Monday morning from the Kridler valley Methodist church, of which he was a devout member.

MRS. MARGARET G. McKEE.—The death of Mrs. Margaret Gardner McKee, wife of the late James Y. McKee, vice president of the Pennsylvania State College for many years, removes from State College life one of its most prominent women and breaks up one of the pleasantest and oldest homes there.

Thirty-five years ago Prof. and Mrs. McKee came from Pittsburg to State College in what might be called its dark era and for twenty-five years worked for its advancement in every way. For years their home was a favorite gathering place for the students and many of the pleasantest entertainments of college life were due to their generous hospitality. Prof. McKee died about ten years ago but Mrs. McKee still remained at the College, where she built for herself a very attractive home and kept up her interest in the students. To her many of them were indebted for help and sympathy. She was an active member of the Presbyterian church; an enthusiastic worker in the Aid society of which she had been president since it was organized, was for many years president of the W. C. T. U., a member of the Woman's club and gave a helping hand wherever it was needed.

On Saturday evening Jan. 25th, while attending a church social at University Inn, she was stricken with apoplexy and died the following Thursday without regaining consciousness. She was sixty-four years of age and is survived by her four children George and Willis, of Youngstown, O.; Arthur, of Pittsburg, and Mary, of State College. Interment was made in the Branch burying ground on Saturday afternoon.

FOUND DEAD IN BED.—Yesterday morning Mrs. Susan Rote, relict of the late Simon Rote, was found dead in bed at her home in Aaronsburg yesterday morning. Though quite well when she had retired the night before the slender cord that held her life snapped asunder and she passed gently on into the unknown spirit realm without the least note of warning. She had reached her 88th year and throughout all of her life had been a most earnest christian woman, so that she was ready for the call however unexpectedly it came.

Mr. Luther Bower and his family occupied the same home with Mrs. Rote and when she did not respond as usual to the breakfast call yesterday morning, Mrs. Bower went to her room, only to find her cold in death.

Mrs. Rote was a consistent member of the Reformed church and was the mother of John Rote, of Axe Mann. Arrangements had not been made for her funeral up to the time of our going to press.

JOHN M. FUREY.—About noon yesterday the venerable John M. Furey, the last of the older branch of that well known Centre county family, passed away at the home of his daughter, Mrs. W. H. Flory, at Pleasant Gap. He had been in failing health for a long time so that his death was not unexpected.

John Furey was a remarkable man in many particulars. He was probably the oldest continuous resident of Spring township. He was born there in October, 1816, and spent his entire life as a farmer within the township. So staunch was he in his belief in Democracy that he never missed an election during the long term of years in which he was qualified to vote. He was a man of strong convictions and determined will, though so just and considerate as to offend or injure no one. As a consequence he was regarded as one of the best men of the community. He had long been connected with the Lutheran church and interment will be made in the Lutheran cemetery at the Gap at 10 a. m. Saturday morning.

Decensed was married three times and surviving these unions are his five children: Morris Furey, of this place; J. Milton, of Williamsport; Mrs. W. H. Flory, Pleasant Gap; John, of Minneapolis, Minn.; and Mrs. Charles Triplett, of this place.

NOAH LEITZEL.—After an illness with heart trouble that had lasted nearly all winter Noah Leitzel, the well known old mason of Aaronsburg, died at his home in that place at 11:45 Wednesday evening. He was a man generally esteemed in that community and had been for most of the sixty-four years of his life, a zealous member of the Lutheran church.

Surviving him are his widow and the following children: Mrs. Forest Stover and Forest Leitzel, Aaronsburg; Clayton in Union county; Mrs. Franklin Tomlinson, Mrs. Edward Bressler, Mrs. Love and Mrs. William Summers, all of Clearfield.

Interment will be made in Aaronsburg on Tuesday.

Joseph Fusser, a son of Lawrence Fusser, formerly a well-known resident of this place, died at his home at Kane on Sunday morning, after a short illness. Decensed was 23 years old and is survived by his young wife, his father and mother, two brothers and four sisters. Interment was made at Kane on Tuesday morning.

William Wait, who had reached his 67th year, passed away at his home at Beech Creek on Wednesday morning. Decensed was a veteran of the civil war and is survived by his widow and eight children. Interment will be made from the Methodist church Saturday morning.

—Mrs. Geo. W. Herr died at her home at Salona on Tuesday night, after an illness of eight days with apoplexy and pneumonia. She is 54 years old and is survived by her husband and two children.

DIED SUDDENLY IN LEBANON.—The Lebanon News of January 31st publishes the following account of the sudden death of Mrs. Phoebe Gerberich in that place the evening before. The particulars are of interest because of her many connections in this county. She was a daughter of the late Andrew Musser and was born near Zion, besides having been married to a brother of C. T. Gerberich, the well known miller of this place.

Mrs. Phoebe, wife of alderman Laudis A. Gerberich, of the First ward, died suddenly at 8:30 o'clock on Thursday evening, having been stricken with heart disease. She had been in the enjoyment of her usual good health up to the time of the fatal seizure and her death was a great shock to her family and friends of whom there are a host.

Accompanied by her daughter, Miss Lydia Gerberich, she was on her way to the Sons of America hall to participate in the entertainment and banquet in honor of the 30th anniversary of Lebanon castle No. 6, A. O. K. of M. C., both being members of the ladies' auxiliary. When she complained of feeling ill her daughter guided her outside the moving columns and upon expressing a desire to rest she was escorted to the Ross drug store, opposite the court house, by her daughter and several friends.

Summons were sent for her husband and Dr. P. P. Gerberich, and she, at Mrs. Ross's direction, was removed to a room in the Ross residence, where Dr. Gerberich tried without success to revive her and when alderman Gerberich reached her side she was unconscious, death occurring soon afterward.

Mrs. Gerberich was 55 years old and a daughter of Andrew Musser, late of Zion, Centre county. There 34 years ago she became the wife of the now bereaved husband. Two children survive her, Ira A. Gerberich, manager of Rebstock's transfer line, and Miss Lydia Gerberich, a Banks' store clerk.

She was a faithful member of Zion Lutheran church and stood high in the councils of Laurel assembly, Degree of Naomi and Good Shepherd Home, Communion, of which societies she was an honored member. Besides her husband and children she is survived by these brothers and sisters: Samuel Musser, Kansas City; John Musser, James Musser, Mrs. Maria Reeser, Miss Rosetta Musser, Snow Shoe; and Mrs. Ellen Manspeaker, Saxton, Bedford county.

Joseph Candor, the well known hardware merchant of Look Haven, died at his home in that place very suddenly Tuesday evening. He was just about to retire when he complained of feeling unwell and asked for some medicine. Ten minutes later he had expired. Mr. Candor was born in Northumberland, in 1834, and before engaging in the hardware business was quite prominent as a contractor. His widow, who was a Miss Curtin, of Roland, survives with seven children. Burial will be made this afternoon.

Guy, the two year old son of Andrew Zettle, of Penn Hill, died last Thursday, from the effects of catarrh with which he had been ill about one week.

COUNCIL'S MEETING.—President Gerberich and members Destine, Gherrity, Whitaker, Potter and Reynolds were present at the meeting of council Monday evening.

Very little business of importance was taken up. Supt. Rine of the water works presented the boiler inspectors report of the boilers at the works which was to the effect that No. 1 will work safely under a pressure of 100 lbs. while No. 2 can be run up only to 65 lbs. Supt. Rine presented figures to show the saving that would be effected by installing an efficient water pump at the works to do the night pumping.

W. E. Gray, attorney for Col. George Bayard, presented the balance of the latter's claim for street paving and crossings. The original bill was for \$447.29, on which \$100 was paid, leaving a balance of \$347.29 for which he agreed to take \$317.00. Council took no action on the bill.

The report of the treasurer showed a balance of \$1,827.76 in his hands on February 1st.

Bills for the following were approved and ordered paid and council adjourned.

Street pay roll.....	\$29.50
E. E. III. Co. light for streets.....	370.60
Police pay roll.....	50.00
Bellefonte Gas Co. heating buildings.....	37.00
E. E. III. lighting public buildings.....	12.80
E. E. III. Co. light for W. W.....	1.70
Water pay roll.....	75.25
R. B. Taylor, coal for W. W.....	157.68
Ira From, hauling for W. W.....	1.20
From and Stone, burying horse.....	5.00
	\$743.62

A BADLY FRIGHTENED CROWD.—A large number of people had gathered in the High school room at Hubblesburg, last Friday evening, to enjoy the exercises of the local literary society, when suddenly there was a creaking noise and the floor seemed to be giving way under the weight. It actually did sink several inches and there was danger of a panic for a moment or so, but cool heads prevailed and the danger to life and limb that might have followed such an accident was averted.

The audience carefully retired to the primary room where the exercises were carried to a successful conclusion.

MAD DOG AT SALONA.—A dog that is supposed to have been mad ran amuck among the residents of Salona Monday morning, snapped at a half dozen or more of them and then made tracks for Mill Hill, where Charles Miller heard of its coming and ended its career with a well aimed shot from his gun.

The dog entered Salona from the direction of Flat Rock and attacked Mrs. W. J. Eddy, John Thompson, Charles Walizer, Michael Lapane and a little girl, all of whom were heavily dressed that its teeth did not penetrate to the flesh.

—Mrs. Sara Frankenberger, who lives near Millheim and is in her 82nd year, fell and broke her left arm on Monday.

News Purely Personal.

—Former sheriff W. M. Cronister, of Martha Furnace, was in town on Monday.

—Sam Foster left for Pittsburg on Monday, there to accept a position in the Westinghouse works.

—John Curtin, one of the tellers in the Centre county bank, spent Sunday with friends in Williamsport.

—Mrs. Jas. H. Holmes Jr., of State College, is the guest of Mrs. C. W. Tripple on north Thomas street.

—Miss Elizabeth Hamilton, of Willowbank street, graced the WATERMAN banquet by a call Monday morning.

—Messrs. Joe McMahon and his sister Miss Marge, Edward Gross and Chas. Hazel attended a dance in Look Haven Monday night.

—Miss Blanche Strunk has returned to her home in this place, after spending several months visiting relatives in Clearfield and Philadelphia.

—Geo. H. Small, who represents the Mutual Life Ins. Co., of New York, has been in town during the week looking after the interests of his company.

—Edward Tomlinson, a cutter in the Tyrone shoe factory, spent Sunday with his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Lew Gettig, of north Thomas street, in this place.

—One friend R. B. Lucas, of Milesburg, was evidently in town on Monday, but we saw no more of him than a dollar William that was dropped into the post office here.

—Frank Irwin, the prominent young Phillipsburg insurance man and conveyancer, was in town for a few hours on Monday, having been called here on a little business at court.

—Edward J. Lucas, formerly connected with the Lewis store in this place, concluded his visit to Centre county relatives Sunday and returned to his place in Berg Bros. store in Philadelphia.

—C. Mc Sellers, the hustling Patton township farmer, was in town on Saturday looking for and well enough to be an advertisement for a far more salubrious climate than they have up about Fillmore.

—Ad. Fauble, of the firm of M. Fauble & Son, left for New York Saturday night where he will spend several weeks looking over the lines of spring clothing shown by the best manufacturers of that city.

—Edward Cowdrick, inspector of tunnel work on the new West Branch railroad, who had been at home for a week suffering with the grip, returned to the line of the road on Wednesday afternoon.

—Mrs. Frank Warfield, her little daughter Mary and Miss Caroline Orris went to Clifton Springs Tuesday morning for an extended stay at the sanitarium there. Mr. Warfield accompanied them as far as Williamsport.

—William Rice, one of the employees of the office went to Philadelphia yesterday for treatment at the Orthopedic hospital for curvature of the spine. There he will be under the care of Dr. William J. Taylor, the eminent authority on spine diseases.

—Jacob Meyer, of Kylertown, was in Bellefonte last Saturday and after concluding the business that brought him here spent several hours calling on friends. Later he departed for Milesburg from which place he continued his journey homeward, via Snow Shoe.

—I. E. Alden, a prominent business man of Akron, Ohio, was in town on Saturday, having some business with the First National bank here. Mr. Alden is head of the Alden Rubber Co. and at one time was prominently connected with the Diamond Match Co.

—Mr. J. A. Ebberts, of Martha Furnace, was a Bellefonte visitor on Tuesday; having run down from train, just because he had intended spending the day in Tyrone until something turned up to prevent his going there and he decided to more than make up for that disappointment by coming to Bellefonte.

—Mr. James Lingie, the veteran dairyman, was a pleasant caller Saturday morning and we were going to remark that his snow white hair and beard were quite appropos to the business he is in but that wouldn't be right at all, for Mr. Lingie's cream and milk is the rich yellow article, that few dairymen supply.

—Squire Sol. Peck, of Nittany, was in town on Wednesday and said that he has little else to do these days than read the papers, but the 'Squire has been such a busy man all his life that he imagines he is doing nothing now, even though it is a good deal more than some fellows have ever done.

—J. Weber, the Hubblesburg painter and one of the representative members of that well known family, was in town on Tuesday on some business and incidentally was making inquiry about a little daughter of his who is badly crippled with curvature of the spine. The result of his investigation will probably be her entering a Philadelphia hospital for treatment.

—E. C. Cook, of Jeanette, was called here Saturday on account of the illness of his little daughter Jeanette, who has been visiting her grandmas Mrs. Snyder, since Christmas. She was suffering with a swelling in the head, but is so much better now that no further danger is feared, though Mrs. Snyder, herself, took pneumonia Sunday morning and is quite ill.

—J. W. Conley, the well known Potter township farmer, was in town on Friday looking none the worse for his thrilling experience at the Centre Hill mill a few days ago. His team frightened at the cars and started to run, at the same time the grab hook on the mill elevator rope became fastened on his sled box, flung it up and throwing Mr. Conley out. He held onto the lines and was dragged some distance before the team was caught. His clothing was torn to shreds by the sharp ice on the road.

—A letter from Miss Alpha Corman, who will be well remembered by many residents of this community bears the welcome intelligence that she and her mother are again located at their old home in Seattle, after a temporary residence in Portland, Oregon. They are both in excellent health and long to be with their old Centre county friends again were it not for the severity of our climate. She does admit that they have snow in Seattle now and plumbers are in demand at prices that are higher than their mountains, though when the snow fell only a few days ago it was to cover up blooming roses in their gardens. Snow in Seattle is unusual, though on any clear day, summer or winter, the ice crested top of Mt. Rainier can be seen from that city.

—Talk about the pestilence that walketh by darkness, we'd be very willing to put up with lots of the kind that came walking into our office Tuesday evening while the lights were out, and hunted us clear to the innermost corner of the press room. First came jury commissioner John Beck who had a "plunker" for us, and by the way, his son-in-law W. E. Brant, who has been so seriously ill with typhoid fever at Youngstown, O., has so far recovered that Miss Grace Beck, who went out to nurse him, has been able to rest in her duties in the Williamsport hospital. Then Steve Finnegan walked in and remarked that he had found a ring carrying round trust money that belonged to us. Of course we took it for fear Steve might have gotten mad and burned it up in one of the lime kilns he has charge of for the first and when it comes to "burning the coin" we like to do that in other ways. He had scarcely gone out when Henry Walker found his way to the working end of the establishment. It was not so much of a surprise to find him walking around in the darkness, because he goes to work by candle light and quits by it. But enough of this. We don't care when they come, how they come or who comes as long as they are pleasant as were our three callers of Tuesday evening.

—Mr. and Mrs. James Clark spent Sunday at the former's old home at Beech Creek.

—Former Governor Hastings and assistant cashier Mitchell went to Bakerton Tuesday, on a little private jaunt.

—Miss Helen Fuller, of Pittsburg, who has been in Tyrone for the past ten days will spend next week here visiting friends.

—Miss Annie Brown, of south Allegheny street, is in Philadelphia at St. Luke's hospital, where she had an operation performed on Wednesday.

—Bond Somerville, of Sewickley, his sister, Miss Mary, and his brothers John and Alonzo, all of Winburn, were in town Wednesday attending the funeral of their sister-in-law, Mrs. Robert Somerville.

—Edward Harpster, who makes his home with John Reed, at Graysville, was in town on Saturday on business. Mr. Harpster is known as the boss thresher of the Spruce Creek valley, where he does a great business in season.

—George M. McKee, of Youngstown, O., was in town yesterday for a few hours on his way home from State College. He was accompanied by his sister Miss Mary, who will make an extended visit in Youngstown before determining where she will make her home.

—Thomas Longee, one of Howard's old and well known residents, has been in town all week doing duty as a juror, though he has been rather lucky in the matter of getting on juries. His challenges were such that he was enabled to be merely a spectator most of the time.

—Ferd J. Beezer, who with Will and Fred, are the three representatives of the Little Spruce Creek colony of Beezers, who have gotten away from the family characteristics of butchering or dealing in horses, was in on Saturday for a few moments' chat. He is employed at the glass works with the other two and we must confess that it did strike us as being just a little out of keeping with their family tradition to see three boys working with blood-splined instead of with knife and cleaver or speeding a good horse.

—Among the strangers in town yesterday in attendance at the funeral of Col. James Milliken were Miss De Valasco, Edward F. Milliken, Foster Milliken and J. J. Higgins, of New York City; Mrs. Samuel Milliken and Mr. and Mrs. James De Graf, of Plainfield, N. J.; Mr. and Mrs. Conrad D. Evans and daughter, of Baltimore, Md.; Mrs. Dewees and Mrs. Perry, Hollidaysburg, Mr. and Mrs. Thompson, Miss Jane Thompson, Albert Reed and George Thompson, of Millroy; Mrs. James Thompson, Stormstown; Mrs. Jennie Henry and Budd Thompson, of Martha; Mrs. William Dale, and Mr. and Mrs. William Thompson, of Lemont.

—While at the court house Monday afternoon waiting to have some business attended to we ran into a party of congenial gentlemen among whom Henry Rothrock, of Spring township, and Joseph A. Peters Jr., of Philadelphia seemed to be the leading spirits. The former was killing time until a case in which he was interested at court would be called, while Joe had a little business in town and had just dropped in to see his friend P. H. Meyer, because they are both singers from "sway back." There is no doubt but that Mr. Rothrock would have been in a very different mood had he known then what he knows now, for he lost the case which everyone who knew anything about the facts thought he was entitled to win.

Received Payment in Full.

Bellefonte, Pa., Jan. 30, 1902.
MR. GEO. H. SMULL, Special Agt. Mutual Life Insurance Co. of New York, Smulltown, Pa.

My Dear Sir:—I beg to acknowledge receipt of check in full payment of policy No. 431,216 upon the life of my late husband, John Walsh.

I also desire to thank the Company through you for the promptness in paying this claim. Yours respectfully,
JULIA A. WALSH.

Sale Register.

MARCH 12th.—At the residence of J. Morris Furey, on the Burnside farm 2 miles east of Bellefonte, on the Jacksonville road, horses, cattle, implements, harness, etc., some household goods. Sale at 10 a. m. Wm. Goheen, Atc.

MARCH 13th.—At the residence of I. N. Harvey, 2 1/2 miles north east of Milesburg, horses, cattle, hogs, farm implements, etc. Jos. L. Neff, Atc.

MARCH 14th.—At the residence of William Decker, at Hubblesburg, farm stock, implements and household goods. Sale at 10 a. m. Jos. L. Neff, Atc.

MARCH 15th.—At the residence of Henry White-leather, east of Jacksonville, in Marion township. Horses, cattle, sheep, hogs and farm implements of all kinds. Some of the best breeds and implements in the finest order. It will be one of the largest sales of the season and begin promptly at 9 a. m. A. C. McCintock, Atc.

Philadelphia Markets.

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

Wheat—Red.....	87.00
" No. 2.....	76.50
Corn.....	62.00
" Mixed.....	60.65
Oats.....	61.00
Flour—Winter.....	2.65
" Penna. Roller.....	3.26
" Favorite Brand.....	4.06
Rye Flour Per Bu.....	3.00
Baled Hay—Choice Timothy No. 1.....	10.50
" Mixed " No. 1.....	11.00
Straw.....	7.00

Bellefonte Grain Market.

Corrected weekly by C. Y. WAGNER.
The following are the quotations up to six o'clock, Thursday evening, when our paper goes press:

Red wheat.....	80
Rye, per bushel.....	60
Corn, shelled, per bushel.....	60
Corn, ears, per bushel.....	60
Oats, per bushel.....	50
Barkley, per bushel.....	50
Ground Plaster, per ton.....	50
Buckwheat, per bushel.....	50
Cloverseed, per bushel.....	50
Timothy seed per bushel.....	22.00

Bellefonte Produce Markets.

Corrected weekly by Seehler & Co.
Potatoes per bushel..... 75
Onions..... 75
Eggs, per dozen..... 12
Lard, per pound..... 11
Country Shoulders..... 10
Country Bacon..... 12
Hams..... 12
Butter, per pound..... 2

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