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ROBERT E. PATTISON, of Philadelphia.

For Lieutenant Governor:
GEORGE W. GUTHRIE, of Allegheny.

Secretary of Internal Affairs:
JAMES NOLAN, of Berks.

The County Ticket.

For Assembly:
J. W. KEPLER, of Ferguson Twp.
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For Third Time Pattison was Named for Governor.

George W. Guthrie, of Pittsburg, was Selected for the Lieutenant Governorship and James Nolan, of Reading, was Nominated for Secretary of Internal Affairs. Pattison Made a Speech of Acceptance.

ERIC, June 25.—For the third time in twenty years ex-Governor R. E. Pattison, of Philadelphia, was nominated for Governor of Pennsylvania to-day by the Democratic state convention. George W. Guthrie, of Pittsburg, was the unanimous choice of the convention for Lieutenant Governor, James Nolan, of Reading, was nominated by acclamation for Secretary of Internal Affairs. The platform makes no reference to national questions, but indicates that the campaign will be made strictly on state issues. Pattison was first nominated at Harrisburg in 1882, he was nominated at Scranton in 1890. Both times he was elected. His most formidable rival in today's convention was ex-Congressman James Kerr, of Clearfield, who was chairman of the Democratic state committee in Pattison's second campaign. Pattison appeared before the convention and made a brief speech of acceptance.

The real contest in the convention was on the question of the representation from Philadelphia. Sixty delegates were elected, but State Chairman William T. Creasy ruled that that county was entitled to only twenty-nine. The chairman's ruling was sustained by the credentials committee and also by the convention. During the debate on this question the spectators in the galleries interrupted John M. Garman, of Luzerne, with hisses and jeers.

CALLING IN OF POLICE.
The police were called in by the sergeant-at-arms to restore order. With the exception of three, all the Philadelphia delegates voted for Kerr and left the hall after Pattison's nomination. The convention was held in the opera house. It was called to order at 12:40 by State Chairman Creasy. A. B. Osborne, of Erie, was elected temporary chairman.

William J. Breen, of Venango, moved that all resolutions be referred to committee without debate, except resolutions concerning the Hason committee appointed by the Democratic convention in Philadelphia, and resolutions concerning the party in Philadelphia. Ex-Judge James Gray Gordon, of Philadelphia, moved to amend so as to include Venango and every other county in the state. The amendment was accepted, and the original motion adopted. While the standing committee was in session a recess of two hours was taken, the convention reassembled at 4 o'clock and was in session until 7:30.

The committee on permanent organization suggested Robert E. Wright, of Allentown, for permanent chairman. He was elected by acclamation.

REPORT OF CREDENTIALS COMMITTEE.
John B. Keenan, of Westmoreland, presented the report of the credentials committee, which decided the contests in the Fifth and Sixth Luzerne districts, the First Schuylkill district and the Twentieth Philadelphia district in favor of sitting delegates. The contest from the Twenty-sixth Philadelphia district was decided in favor of the contestant, Eugene G. Bonniwell. Mr. Keenan also reported that a motion brought before the committee to grant a representation of sixty delegates to Philadelphia was decided in the negative.

A minority report was presented by ex-Judge James Gray Gordon, of Philadelphia, in the form of a resolution that Philadelphia be accorded a representation of sixty delegates. Mr. Gordon said that at the last election in Philadelphia county, acting under the leadership of National Committeemen Caffery, State Chairman Creasy and ex-Governor Pattison, former chairman of the Philadelphia city committee, 102,000 votes were cast for the Democratic state candidates, Coray and Yerkes. This was the largest Democratic vote ever cast in Philadelphia for any Democratic candidate in existence.

Ex-Judge Edwin M. Harvey, of Lehigh, reported from the resolutions committee, the platform, which was adopted.

The roll was then called for nomination of candidates for Governor. Col. Frank J. Fitzsimmons, of Lackawanna, presented Pattison's name.

The nomination was seconded by Isaac Heister, of Berks, David F. Fortney, of Centre, Charles A. Fagan, of Geauga, W. Guthrie.

Kerr's name was presented by ex-Judge Gordon, who said that the nominee of the convention should be one whose public or private record needs no defense.

The nomination was seconded by ex-Judge David L. Krebs, of Clearfield.

The nomination closed.

PATTISON NOMINATED.
Mr. Pattison was nominated on the first ballot.

The vote by counties, follows:
Pattison: Adams, 3; Armstrong, 1; Beaver, 1; Bedford, 3; Berks, 12; Bradford, 2; Bucks, 7; Butler, 3; Cambria, 8; Carbon, 3; Chester, 3; Clarion, 4; Cameron, 1;

Clinton, 2; Columbia, 3; Crawford, 3; Cumberland, 5; Dauphin, 2; Delaware, 3; Elk, 4; Erie, 3; Fayette, 7; Forest, 1; Franklin, 2; Fulton, 1; Green, 2; Huntingdon, 2; Jefferson, 2; Juniata, 1; Lackawanna, 14; Lancaster, 4; Lawrence, 1; Lebanon, 2; Lehigh, 8; Luzerne, 12; Lycoming, 8; McKean, 2; Mercer, 3; Mifflin, 2; Monroe, 1; Montgomery, 11; Montour, 2; Northumberland, 8; Perry, 2; Philadelphia, 3; Pike, 1; Schuylkill, 7; Snyder, 1; Somerset, 2; Sullivan, 1; Susquehanna, 2; Tioga, 1; Union, 1; Venango, 2; Warren, 1; Washington, 3; Wayne, 2; Westmoreland, 10; York, 10. Total, 2233.

King Edward III:
Condition of the British Monarch is Very Serious and Worst is Feared. The Coronation Postponed. He is Suffering from Perityphilitis, a Disease Closely Allied to Appendicitis.

LONDON, June 24.—The condition of King Edward is serious and the coronation ceremonies have been indefinitely postponed.

Sir Francis Knollys, the king's private secretary, has issued an official medical announcement as follows: "The king is suffering from perityphilitis, a disease closely allied to appendicitis. His condition on Saturday was so satisfactory that it was hoped that with care his majesty would be able to go through the ceremony. On Monday evening a relapse occurred, rendering a surgical operation necessary to-day."

The operation on the king was successfully performed at 2 o'clock and the king fell asleep.

At 2:45 p. m., the following bulletin was posted at Buckingham Palace:
"The operation has been successfully performed. A large abscess has been evacuated. The king has borne the operation well and is in a satisfactory condition."

The first news of the House of Commons, where various court officials gave an intimation that the arrangements for Thursday would better be suspended forthwith, as the coronation would be postponed indefinitely on account of the indisposition of his majesty.

The sudden announcement of the postponement of the coronation, just on the eve of the ceremony, caused the most consternation everywhere. The news spread like wildfire. The tens of thousands of occupants of the streets suddenly stood still from the shock and gazed at one another in silent dread of what might come next.

On Saturday and Sunday society was discussing the reports of the king's illness, though the circumstances, details and sources from which they came precluded entire disbelief, there was a disposition to doubt the stories, and when the positive, categorical denial was officially issued they were dismissed as being unfounded.

Hemorrhoids, apoplexy and lumbago were a few of the king's maladies discussed in the clubs and drawing rooms, and those discussing them recalled the stories how the king, even quite recently, reiterated his belief that he would never live to be crowned.

On the stock exchange the effect of the startling news was immediate. Prices fell, led by consols with a fall of half a point.

His majesty, under ordinary conditions was not looked upon as a good subject for operations, and though the king passed successfully through the ordeal, it is believed that four or five weeks must elapse before he will be able to undergo the arduous labors of the coronation ceremonies. Therefore no date can yet be indicated for carrying out the coronation.

Official announcements of the king's serious illness were made to public bodies as speedily as possible. Word was sent to the House of Commons and the acting lord chamberlain—Lord Churchill—personally delivered to the Mansion House, the official residence of the lord mayor, a message regarding the king's illness, and at this morning's rehearsal of the coronation ceremony in Westminster abbey the bishop of London—the Rt. Rev. Arthur P. Ingham—at the request of Lord Esher, the deputy governor, made a statement, as follows:
"I have to make a very sad announcement. The king is suffering from an illness which makes an operation necessary to-day. The coronation is, therefore postponed."

The bishop requested the congregation to join in the litany out of the coronation service and pray for the recovery of the king. During the afternoon the earl marshal, the Duke of Norfolk, issued the following notice:
"The king's majesty has received the king's command to express his majesty's deep sorrow that, owing to his serious illness, the celebrations in London will in consequence be likewise postponed, but it is the king's earnest hope that the celebrations in the country shall be held as already arranged."

The king also expressed to the lord mayor his desire to express his appreciation of the movements of foreign guests. It is understood, however, that special ambassadors and royal guests will return to their respective countries as soon as more definite news is received of the result of the operation.

Outside of Buckingham palace enormous throngs of people congregated since early morning for the purpose of witnessing the arrival of the special ambassadors who were to be received by the king and queen to-day. Large numbers of the foreign representatives actually arrived, but the shortness of their stay was noticed. Inquiries were made and soon the news of his majesty's serious state of health was circulated among the waiting thousands. At the various palaces and at the Grosvenor, Buckingham, Carlton, Cecil and other hotels where the foreign representatives are staying, the news created the greatest dismay.

In the House of Commons the government leader, A. J. Balfour, announced that an operation has been performed on the king, and that his majesty was progressing as well as possible. Mr. Balfour added that while the king's condition was undoubtedly serious, he did not intend to increase the public alarm by adjourning the house.

Royal carriages were already drawn up in readiness to take the guests to the reception at the palace, but the moment the "tickers" announced his majesty's illness all the preparations for the day ceased. In the streets the change which came over the crowds was most pronounced. Traffic seemed momentarily paralyzed, and it was long before the full effect of the startling intelligence was felt.

Large crowds quickly gathered around the Mansion House, where the official notice was put up. The streets as the day wore on became more and more congested, and the holiday crowd concentrated into groups reading and rereading the "extras." Most of the people seemingly felt dazed and scarcely appreciated the full import of what they read. Work on the stands erected on all sides to enable people to view the coronation procession was gradually discontinued.

At 4:45 p. m. Lord Salisbury, in the house of lords, said the surgeons entertained a most satisfactory view in regard to the progress of the king. More definite language than that was impossible.

Sir Francis Knollys informed a representative of the Associated Press at 4:30 p. m., that there had been practically no change since the operation. "His majesty," he said, "continues to sleep well and is progressing satisfactorily. There is no question, however, that the king's condition is critical."

The cabinet council which lasted an hour was held this evening at Mr. Balfour's

room, in the house of commons. It is understood that it was arranged to carry on as far as possible public business requiring the king's approval and signature without reference to his majesty, in order to insure absolute mental and physical rest and quietude throughout what the ministers hope will be the period of convalescence.

In spite of the intensity of the tragic interruption to the coronation, the lower elements of London are "maddening" through the flag-decked streets and a portion of society in coronation gowns and jewels having gathered at what is called a gala coronation dinner—one of the fashionable hotels. Even at the gates of Buckingham Palace, within which the ablest surgeons and physicians constantly remain in the hope of saving the sovereign's life, the tooling of horns and the sound of other revelries can be plainly heard. Wagon loads of boisterous rowdies are on the streets; they are driving all sorts of vehicles and waving flags and hugging demijohns of liquor. They make their noisy way from the West End to Whitechapel. They represent that portion of the British public which no tragedy can sober into decency. They have tasted license unrestrained by law in the celebrations in connection with the war, and king or no king, they will celebrate the coronation.

It must be admitted that the revelers have been misled by the technical language of the bulletins; they seem to have no conception of the gravity of King Edward's condition. The thinking portion of the nation, however, have gone home numbed by the events which to-day has brought forth. Indescribable consternation pervails throughout the country, and this consternation is reflected in the cablegrams received from all centres of the universe.

If to-night's progress maintained King Edward will probably tide over the effects of his severe operation which has successfully removed the local trouble. But should any complication occur, such as septic peritonitis or blood poisoning, it is feared his majesty's present physical and nervous condition would prove unequal to the strain involved.

The following bulletin was issued at 11:10 p. m.:
"The king's condition is as good as could be expected after so serious an operation. His strength is maintained, there is no pain and his majesty has taken a little nourishment."

"It will be some days before it will be possible to say that King Edward is out of danger."

Bryan Refuses to Run for Governor.
Forbids the Use of His Name as a Candidate in Nebraska Convention.

GRAND ISLAND, Neb., June 24.—Before the State conventions of the Democratic and Populist parties met this afternoon, William J. Bryan had a conference with leaders of each party, and urged them not to permit the use of his name as a candidate for Governor in this convention.

Ex-Senator Allen likewise refused to accept a nomination.

This afternoon the Democratic convention nominated Constantine J. Smyth for Governor.

The Populists were taken by surprise, the nomination having been made without conference. They charge that they have been treated discourteously, and fusion now seems farther away than ever.

H. D. Travis, temporary chairman of the Democratic Convention, in a speech, characterized the Populist party by being governed wholly by commercialism, since 1896, he said, the necessities of life have advanced 100 per cent. while wages have advanced only ten per cent.

Sell Philippines to Japan Says Burt.
Retired General's Plan for the Solution of a Difficult Problem.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 23.—General A. S. Burt, retired, who has recently arrived from the Philippines, has a plan for the solution of the Philippine problem. He believes he has arrived at a conclusion that will ultimately be accepted by the Administration and the country at large as the only solution.

"Turn them over to the Japanese," said the General. "Let them have them on the installment plan for the consideration, say, of \$150,000,000. Our government does not need the money in a lump sum, and by making a proposition of that kind we can dictate as to coaling stations, and make such reserves as are thought to be best for trade interests."

"An arrangement of that kind can be effected that will give the United States a broad road into the markets of the Orient as if we retained the islands; beside we will be making strong allies of two nations that will represent our interest on that side of the globe without the necessity of the purchase of a large army at an enormous cost."

Father Paid Ten Cents to See "The Only Wild Woman in Captivity."

READING, Pa., June 23.—Contractor Jacob Kramer to-day solved the mystery as to the whereabouts of his wayward daughter Elizabeth, 17 years old. He appeared before Magistrate Kirschman and swore out warrants charging her with incorrigibility, and Richard Webinger with abduction. Webinger ran a show at the Elks' Club here and exhibited "Sapho, captured in Cayton; the only wild woman in captivity." The woman was kept in a box pit. It was the Kramer girl. She was smeared over with red paint, a wig put on her to resemble a wild growth of hair, and chains fastened to her hands and feet. Hundreds gazed into the pit and believed that they knew neither language nor civilization. The father, paying a dime to see her, was shocked to recognize his own daughter in the pit. For posing as a "wild woman" the girl received \$15 a week.

ADDITIONAL LOCALS

—Seven of the nine applicants for teacher's certificates, who were examined at Aaronsburg on Monday, were successful.

—A large double wedding ceremony occurred at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph K. Moyer, at Centre Mills, on Wednesday. It was the occasion of the marriage of their daughters Sara and Mary Elizabeth to W. R. Bray and Henry R. Kreider. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Geo. E. Limbert, of Danville, with Revs. Houtz, of Orangeville, Ill., and Wetzel, of Rebersburg, assisting. It was a lawn wedding and the large party of guests formed an effective background for the beautiful double wedding party. Misses Eva and Rebecca Moyer, sisters of the brides, were their maids and master Paul Limbert and Emma Moyer, nephew and niece, were the ribbon bearers.

CALLAWAY-THOMPSON.—In keeping with the prominence and standing of the two families the wedding, at noon on Wednesday, of Miss Magdalene E. Callaway, youngest daughter of Mrs. Elizabeth Bush Callaway, and George Boal Thompson, of Lemont, was a fashionable and pleasing social event.

The marriage took place at the Bush home on south Spring street and there were many guests present. Laid and carried were the flowers used at the wedding. The decorations and the glory of an ideal wedding day gave brilliancy to the whole. The ceremony was solemnized by the Rev. George Israel Brown, of the Episcopal church, and the bridal party was composed of the maid of honor Miss Louise Bush Callaway, the bride's sister, the best man, Mr. John Snyder of Philadelphia, and the bride and groom. As they entered and proceeded through the drawing room to the screen of flowers in front of which the ceremony took place Klendell's wedding song was sung by the maid of honor. The bride was accompanied and given away by her uncle, Mr. George T. Bush.

The bride who is a charming young girl, tall and stylish, wore a handsome gown of real brages lace over white chiffon and that in turn over heavy white satin. She carried white sweet peas. The maid of honor was dressed in Paris muslin over white tulle and with tiny tuks and many fine nainsook medallions. Her bouquet was an immense bunch of American beauty roses. The groom and his best man wore frock coats, grey trousers, white vests and light ascot ties. At the conclusion of the ceremony an elaborate breakfast was served and Mr. and Mrs. Thompson departed on the 2:15 train for an extended stay in New York and Philadelphia.

They will make their home at University Inn at State College near where the groom is superintending the lumbering operations on the Thompson estate. He is the eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. John I. Thompson, of Lemont, and is a most affable young man.

The guests from out of town were Miss Amanda Tomb and Miss Florence Hayes, of Philadelphia; Miss Valeria Shisler, of Detroit, Mich.; Mr. and Mrs. M. Hepburn, Miss Sarah Sides, Miss Jennie Sides, Mrs. John L. Tomb, and Mr. and Mrs. George Tomb, of Jersey Shore; Mrs. Jos. Borches, Tenn.; Mr. and Mrs. John I. Thompson, the Misses Thompson, Lemont; Mr. and Mrs. James Thompson, Dr. Christ and two daughters, State College, and Charles Thompson, of Loganport, Ind.

AN OLD CENTRE COUNTY JUSTICE IN TROUBLE IN PITTSBURG.—To-morrow Daniel H. Beam, who was born in Half-moon valley and was well-known as a justice of the peace in Taylor township a few years ago, will probably receive the maximum sentence for an attempt to defraud the Pittsburg Railway Co.

On July 1st, 1899, Beam was on a car in that city and his spectacles were accidentally broken by the conductor. He made a great ado about it and pretended that some of the glass had penetrated his eye, causing the loss of sight. In the lower court Beam was awarded a verdict of \$1,000 against the company, but upon an appeal it was discovered that he had lost his eye in a lumber camp in this county some years previous so he was, forthwith, convicted of perjury and will be sentenced to-morrow.

WORKING IN THE CHAUTAUGUA FIELD.—Belleville friends will be interested to know that Paul Cessna Gerhart, son of Dr. R. L. Gerhart, formerly pastor of the Belleville Reformed church, is meeting with continued success in his work as a Chautauqua instructor. Though he has been engaged in Texas for several years the Chautauqua Journal, of Denver, Col., notes his engagement for the great summer gathering at Boulder, Col., in the following complimentary way:
"General manager Homer T. Wilson, of San Antonio, Texas, will be upon the grounds a week or ten days in advance of the opening of Chautauqua, and will extend any assistance possible to early arrivals. Dr. Wilson is fortunate in securing as his assistant Paul C. Gerhart, also of Texas, who is one of the most popular young men the Chautauqua has known. Professor Gerhart will act as assistant manager and superintendent under Dr. Wilson. His experience at Chautauqua in past years will be most gratifying to those with whom he will come into contact, as it has made him thoroughly qualified in the difficult art of management of a large summer assembly. His duties at the central office of Chautauqua will not interfere with the instructions which he is prepared to give pupils upon the mandolin and guitar. Dr. Wilson could not have made a better selection of assistant manager."

—Newton B. Storer, aged 25 years, died at his home at Aaronsburg last Thursday evening after an illness of six weeks with pneumonia. He was a son of George M. and Phoebe Storer who survive him with his widow and three children and three brothers and one sister. Rev. F. W. Brown officiated at his interment at Aaronsburg on Sunday.

—William Kline, aged about 70, died at the home of his son-in-law Edward Irvin, near McCoy's works, on last Thursday morning. For forty years he had been employed at the iron works there and was regarded as a faithful, honest man. A widow and several children survive him. Interment was made in the Advent cemetery on Sunday.

—Mrs. Martha Haverack, formerly of Milesburg, but who had been making her home for several years with her daughter, Mrs. Renben Crust, at Fillmore, died at that place on Tuesday the 17th. She was seventy years of age and a highly respected christian woman. She is survived by two daughters and three sons. Mrs. Crust, of Fillmore; Mrs. John T. Laurie, of Tyrone; and T. B. Tipton, of Ridgway. Funeral on Friday afternoon and interment was made in Meyers burying ground.

THE SPRING MILLS ACADEMY REUNION.—The reunion of the scholars of the old Spring Mills Academy and all of the students who have been under the tutelage of the Rev. Dr. D. M. Wolf, during his many years as an educator, should prove a very interesting event. It will take place at Spring Mills on August 7th and will have the additional interest of being the fiftieth anniversary of Dr. Wolf's service in the schools. The committees in charge of the reunion have been appointed as follows:
Arrangements—Robert Smith, Hon. Wm. Allison, Frank Fisher, J. L. Condo, C. P. Long.
Program—Prof. D. M. Wolf, Rev. Frank Wetzel, Prof. Henry Bitner, Ph. D.
Music—J. S. Meyer, Mrs. P. W. Leitze, Prof. W. A. Brown, Luther Musser, Mrs. J. F. Reaick.
Transportation—J. C. Meyer, Esq., James P. Coburn, Esq., C. M. Bower, Esq.
Reception and Entertainment—T. M. Gramley, Joseph Bitner, A. J. Shook, J. W. Evans, A. Duck, Wm. Goodhart, Sr., Mrs. C. A. Krapp, Mrs. Robert Smith, J. A. Grenoble.
History and Invitation—Prof. W. P. Hosterman, Rev. Kershner, Mrs. Henry Kreamer, Miss Mary Guise, Dr. P. W. Leitze.
Finance—Hon. Wm. Allison, W. M. Grove, A. C. Ripka, Rev. A. E. Gobbie, D. D., H. B. Herrington.

Yarnell.
Merrell Butler Sundayed with his teacher, Edgar Stover, at Rebersburg.
Miss Viola Kline, who has been employed at the Academy, has returned home.
Florence Butler visited her cousins Miss Trilzie and Amber Conter, last week.
Misses Frances and Gertrude Conter spent Sunday with their brother Edward, of Holts Hollow.
Mrs. Mary Shank left for Altoona, Saturday, where she will visit her sister, Mrs. Verna Phillips.
Harry Miller, of Maryland, visited at Benj. Kline's Sunday. He came to attend the funeral of his grandfather Kline, which took place Sunday.
While lifting a heavy stone at the Beech Creek bridge Edward Burd tore some of the ligaments in his back, and along with other injuries, he will undoubtedly be kept from work for some time.

Howard.
Mrs. William Weber departed on Monday for Millersburg.
Mrs. H. C. Holter and son, Walter, returned home from Pittsburg on Sunday.
Miss Edna Reber returned home from school at Williamsport on Saturday.
Mr. and Mrs. Lathshaw and son, Blair, from Port Matilda, are visiting among friends here.
Miss Anna Weber departed on Friday for Philadelphia, where she will make a short visit.
Mrs. Spangler and daughter and Alice Wister arrived here from Chicago on Saturday.
Irvin Miller, from Renovo, was seen shaking hands with his many friends here on Sunday.
Mr. Steele and his workmen of Belleville arrived here on Monday to move the large dwelling house of Abe Weber.
Shuman Williams returned home from Bethany college on Sunday and will spend his vacation with his parents in this city.
The entertainment held by the United Evangelical church was a grand success, taking in \$7.54. Everybody was well pleased.
Chas. Woodward returned home from Dickinson Seminary, Williamsport, on Wednesday, and will spend his summer vacation on his father's farm.
Do you like ice cream? If so why not buy the best, the place to get it is at B. W. Thomas'. Also headquarters for fine and fresh confectionery and peanuts roasted every day. Give him a call and be convinced.
There was great cheering heard at the Hoyard P. R. depot on Monday evening, when the 8:46 train arrived which carried a special car for Hon. John A. Woodward, our gubernatorial aspirant. Abe Weber, H. A. Moore, and C. M. Muffy accompanied him on his journey to the convention at Erie.

Lemont.
Monday and Tuesday mornings brought us frost again.
W. H. Fry, of Pine Grove Mills, was seen in our town on Saturday evening.
Mrs. Samuel Lucas has been spending a pleasant week at the home of John Lucas.
This week there was born to Mr. and Mrs. E. K. Smith a son, and to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wasson a daughter.
Benj. Brishin, of this place; John Schreffler, of Peru, and Mrs. Klapp, of Oak Hall, are all laying at the point of death.
Mrs. Love, of Tusseyville, and Mrs. Jackson, of this place, are both quite ill, and have been for the last two or three months.
The social held at the home of Robert Brennan, on Friday evening, was well attended and everyone had a tip-top time.
Willard Dale will get two hundred and twenty-eight dollars for the seven head of cattle that the train killed a few weeks ago.
Louis Hill and Samuel Bryant, of Belleville, were to this place on Saturday evening to help the band boys along with their festival.
Prof. Cleaver, principal of Lock Haven High school, was a pleasant caller at the directors meeting in the interest of Ginn & Co.
George Williams and his sons James and William started, on Monday, on a plastering tour. They went to Bellefonte, from there to Oak Grove, thence to Jersey Shore.
The directors of College township met on Saturday evening, the 21st inst., and elected the following teachers for the next term: Lemont primary, Andrew Gregg; E. K. Smith; Centre Furnace, Miss Sophia Thompson; Branch, D. K. Mothensbaugh; Oak Hall grammar, Edward Williams; Oak Hall primary, G. W. R. Williams; but could not elect all, as there were no applicants for either Dale's or Pleasant View.

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