THINGS ABOUT TOWN AND COUNTY

- -Next week the Granger picnic. -Millheim's share of the state school
- appropriation is \$698.82. On Tuesday the temperature dropped 20° in less than thirty minutes.
- -A heavy white frost was visible in Philipsburg early last Friday morning.
- -The Central Supply Co. of this place will very probably purchase John Baisor's store at Scotia
- -The great Centre county fair will open on September 30th and continue during Oct. 1st, 2nd and 3rd.
- -Mrs. Sara Teats, of east Bishop street. is offering at private sale a number of desirable household articles.
- -Thirteen hundred gallons of cider were made at the Richard & Ertle press in Madisonburg one day last week. ----Considerable damage was done to
- the property of W. H. Musser, near Millheim, by the storm on Tuesday. -The contract for the erection of the new Centre street bridge in Philipsburg
- has been granted to John Hirst. - Some one broke into E. K. Rhoads grain elev ator on Tuesday night and stole
- an ax, saw, bammer and other tools. -The interior of the Reformed church in this place is being remodeled. A York firm is doing the frescoing and decorating and new carpets are to be laid.
- -The business of the late L. G. Kessler in Philipsburg has been incorporated under the name of the L. G. Kes sler Co., with a capital of \$20,000.
- "A Hot Scotch Major," that comes to Garman's next Thursday evening will be first class attraction. It is a clever, musical comedy staged and acted by people high in theatrical business.
- George Gabel, who had a bar of red hot iron run through his leg in the Jenkins iron and tool works at Howard recently, was discharged from the Lock Haven hospital on Friday. His leg was amputated.
- -The Centre county fair grounds look like a picture now. Nearly everything is in readiness for the third annual exhibition and if you want to meet your friends you will find them all there during the week.
- ---Joe Spadic, an employee of the American Lime and Stone Co's Buffalo-Run quar-IV. is in the Bellefonte hospital with his left leg fractured and punctured below the knee. A large stone rolled down on him causing the injury.
- -Prof. John A. Hunter, an instructor in mechanical engineering at The Pennsylvania State College, has been raised to a full professorship at that institution. He is a son of Capt. J. A. Hunter, of Stormstown, and was graduated from State with the class of 1890
- -The farm house occupied by Orvis Fetzer, on the Rhoads farm in Boggs township, was destroyed by fire Friday night as the result of a lamp explosion. The house was a total loss though the out-buildings were saved. Mr. Fetzer carried \$750 insurance on his property.
- -The Bellefonte Y. M. C. A. will be a very popular place during the fall and winter months. Sec. Gamel has several new entertainment features in contemplation and weekly socials, at which lectures and light shows will be given, are part of the plan to make the Association rooms more attractive.
- -The WATCHMAN heartily concurs in the News' assertion that the reservoir is in a disgraceful condition. The bottom of it is littered with brick, mortar, sticks, iron, moss and fungus of various kinds. Now is the season for typhoid fever and early attention to the reservoir might prevent a possible out-break in Bellefonte.
- -The entertainment given by children in Salvation Army hall, on the third floor of the Centre county bank building, a few weeks ago, will be repeated on Thursday night, September 18th. An admission of 10 cents will be charged, the proceeds to be donated to the annual harvest festival. An account of which appears in another column of this paper.
- -Lloyd Aurand, of Milroy, a nephew of Ralph Spigelmyer, of this place, was operated on for appendicitis in the Beliefonte hospital, on Thursday, and is getting along a bout as well as could be expected. His case was an extremely critical one and while he is by no means out of danger, there is strong hope of his recovery if no other complications develop.
- -The dwelling of John Sliker, in Boggs township, was totally destroyed by fire last Thursday morning. Mr. Sliker had made a fire in the cook stove, then gone to the barn to do his morning work. When Mrs. Sliker got down stairs the house was all ablaze and she merely had time to rescue her sleeping child, which was still in bed up stairs.
- ----While riding in Water street on a George Pat Garis, the beautiful child who attracts so much attention in the square in front of the Bush house where he plays in the dirt all day long, fell between the wheels and was run over. The wagon passed over the child's face, bruising and cutting it badly, but how he escaped being killed is a marvel.

THE SCALE WORKS WILL LEAVE BELLEFONTE.-The announcement has been made, and upon authority that is indisputable, that the works of the Standard Scale and Supply Co., located in this place, will be removed to a point near Pittsburg. The exact date of removal has not been fixed but, if possible, it will be made within four months. At least notice to that effect has been given to the men by Supt. Eugene Mochtman.

There is no doubt of the intention of the Standard corporation to leave Bellefonte, consequently there is little use of urging our citizens to be up and doing in an effort to retain the industry. The time for that was in May, 1900, when the matter was first agitated and the WATCHMAN plead in vain to those who profit most from such enterprises to bestir themselves lest they lose one of their most prolific sources of income.

The exact reasons for taking the plant away from Bellefonte are known only to the majority of the board of directors of the corporation, whose votes brought about the decision. It is needless to say that the Bellefonte interests represented on the board were not favorable to the change and advanced their opposition to it even to the retirement of Mr. William Burnside as chairman of the company.

When in 1892 the Standard works were located in Bellefonte Mr. Burnside was the one practical scale man back of it. It was his child and it has been to his indefatigable work, more than to that of any other for the ensuing term: C. P., W. P. Kuhn; person, that the plant that was hauled here in one dray has grown to an enormous industry with an annual pay-roll of more than \$50,000.

That it should be moved away from Bellefonte just when it has become such a valuable property is to be deplored, but whether the move will prove a profitable one remains for the future to develop. The Standard lived and thrived through the trying business depression of '94 to '98 and it is not unreasonable to say that it could not have done more in any other location. As to its growth since that time the works speak for themselves and looking at them now with a prospective of them ten years ago in the mind's eye, the wise man will certainly wonder wherein a location e ould have been any more propitious than the one here.

Be llefonte will feel the loss of the scale works, but there is hope in the knowledge that we are not to lose the gentlemen who made the business what it is, for what they have accomplished in the past they may be able to do again in the future.

THE BELLEFONTE HOSPITAL OPENED-Though it was not the intention to open the new hospital that now offers comfort to the injured and diseased of this community until everything would be perfectly appointed in that institution two emergencies arose and it was opened to public service on the 6th. The hospital is in an unprepared condition to receive before death had resulted and by most patients, but the best that can possibly be done under the circumstances is being done. Meanwhile the various committees are bending every effort to get the place thoroughly equipped as speedily as it can be accomplished

Two patients are now in the institution. One, an appendicitis victim who was operated on and will very probably survive, thus making the first operation in the new hospital a successful one. His was a very bad case, too, for the appendix had sloughed entirely away. The other case is a fractured leg. Both are doing well and seem more than satisfied with the treatment they are receiving.

Miss Eppley, a trained nurse from Williamsport, took charge of the hospital until Wednesday, when Miss Brooks, who is to be the regular superintendent, arrived and assumed the responsibility. Dr. Geo. F. Harris is on service as physician and surgeon and will remain for a period of seventythree days when he will be relieved by Dr. J. L. Seibert, who will serve for a similar period, and after him Drs. Hayes, Sebring and Klump, in order. Dr. Edith Schad has been invited to assist in the medical work and Dr. J. Y. Dale, of Lemont: Dr. C. S. Musser, of Aaronsburg; and Drs. Jas. Dobbins and George Fairlamb, of Bellefonte, have been appointed consultants to the medical and surgical staffs.

There are many things that the hospital needs, most of all it needs money and furniture. It will cost several thousand dollars a year to maintain it and this sum must be contributed by the charitable people of Centre county. The hospital is for the public. Those who can afford to pay for its use are expected to do so, but in will be treated just as carefully as any others. A number of the Bellefonte merbeen made so that if you want to join in

A BUSINESS CHANGE.—Tomorrow morning Thomas Moore, who has been connected with the F. P. Blair & Co. jewelry store so grain ware house, 45x60, at their DuBois long in this place that his absence will be most noticeable, will leave for Philadelphia where he expects to make his future home. charge. It is their ultimate intention to Mr. Moore entered the Blair store in April, 1884 and has been there ever since. He was made a partner in the business in 1890, rear of which they are using now while the wagon with his father on Tuesday little hence the dissolution of the firm on account Central Supply Co. occupies the front.

of his departure. He to goes Philadelphia to accept a position as watch maker in the John ceedingly the loss Bellefonte sustains in the departure of both Mr. and Mrs. Moore, we trust his new work may prove most easant.

Apples are being shipped from Millheim to Philadelphia.

-The vats for the new brewery that is to be built in Philipsburg have arrived in that place.

William Strunk Sr., of Beech Creek, eaught a five pound bass in the Bald Eagle last Thursday.

- -The Clinton county Sabbath School Association met in the Methodist church in Mill Hall during the fore part of the week. -Noah Brungart, of Rebersburg, had
- ed by his traction engine last Monday af--"A Hot Scotch Major" will be the attraction at Garman's next Thursday even-
- are not there. -Lee Grumbine, candidate for Lieutenant Governor on the Prohibition ticket. will be at Grange park, Centre Hall, next Wednesday, to discuss the issues of the
- campaign, as seen from his party platform. -Mrs. Fr ancis A. Goss has resigned her position as matron at the Chester Springs Soldiers Orphans' school to accept a more desirable place as boys' matron in St. Austin school at West New Brighton, Staten Island, New York.
- At a recent election the Bellefonte Odd Fellows ele oted the following officers H. P., Jno. L. Kuisely; S. W., M. L. Altend erfer; J. W., H. E. Clevenstine; Treas. trustee, S. Joseph.
- -Burglars entered Todd's store at Point Lookout, near Philipsburg, on Saturday night and \$40 in cash, together with razors, groceries and other valuables was carried off. The same night William Hess' store in Philipsburg was entered, but nothing of value was taken.
- -Daniel Fahringer, of Colyer, is at his home nursing his right arm, because he got it caught in the propeller of a hand car on the Bellefonte Central and several ligaments were torn loose. His hat blew off and in endeavoring to catch it the accident befell him.
- Tomorrow will be G. A. R. day at Lakemont, the beautiful resort just outside of Altoona. It is expected that 40,000 people will be present and old soldiers from all over the State are to be there; among them being most, of the prominent state comm anders of the Army. An army dinner of pork, beans, coffee and hard-tack will be served.
- -Dorsey Williams, an attache of the Ward house in Tyrone was discharged last week and, despondent over his predicament, undertook to commit suicide by drinking two ounces of laudanum. He was found industrious young negro.
- -Early last Friday morning the barn attached to the Wilt house in Mill Hall was found to be on fire and had gained such headway that it was totally destroyed. George Harvey occupied it as a livery. His loss was three horses, a three seated spring wagon and a lot of hay and harness. Another horse, owned by a Mr. Kleckner, of Sugar valley, that was put up there for the night was burned also.
- The attention of the public is called to the sale of the property of the late A. C. Kelly, of Fillmore, which will be made on Saturday afternoon, September 20th, beginning at 1 o'clock. All of the personal effects of the deceased will be sold including an organ, sewing machine, steel range and other household goods, together with the entire stock of goods in the general merchandise store he conducted at that
- -On another page of this issue is published the list of premiums offered for exhibits at the coming great Centre county fair. Look it over and if you have anything to put in competition you might as well try as anybody else. Besides, you thus encourage an enterprise that contributes annually to the pleasure of thousands of people, as well as promotes the best interests of art, science, agriculture and clean sport in the county.
- There will be no crooked gambling devices at the great Centre county fair. The men back of it are gentlemen of highest character and their reputation for hones ty is far too valuable to be sacrificed for cases where patients are unable to pay they | the paltry pittance they might receive in concessions from crooks. In addition, they have given their promise to protect their chants are already making contributions of patrons and will do it and for that reason supplies, others are furnishing rooms and the people of Centre county should rally to some voluntary cash subscriptions have the support of the fair. It is a clean, pure, wholesome amusement enterprise, with an the good work you need only let your additional value because of its instructive eatures.

-Platt-Barber & Co., the wholesale grocers of Philipsburg, are building a brick store. They have lately opened a branch house in this place, with Fred Musser in secure all the large room formerly occupied by McCalmont & Co on High street, the ginning Thursday, September 18th. The latter concern will move up town whenever a more desirable room can be secured, leaving their place for the Platt-Wanamaker store and while we regret ex- Barber branch. That the new firm sees some business in and about Bellefonte is evidenced by the arrival here on Monday handle his goods with.

ANOTHER VENERABLE MAN GONE .-Benjamin Franklin Brown, one of the most respected and aged citizens of Harris township, passed peacefully away at his home near Boalsburg on Monday morning at 6 o'clock, after a lingering illness of paralysis and heart trouble. It was generally known that he was failing rapidly but no one realized that dissolution was so near until

heart disease developed last Friday. He was a son of William Brown, one the pioneer settlers of Harris township. His father cleared the farm on which he was born eighty years ago and on which a narrow escape from death by being crushmost of his life was spent. In his earlier life he worked at the Centre Furnace mill but he had been engaged in farming for more than thirty years. He was pre-eminently an honest man, affable, agreeable and kind. He was a steward in the Mething and you will miss a good show if you odist church for many years and in politics he was an uncompromising Democrat. In 1872 he was a candidate for sheriff and only lacked a few delegates of being nomi-

His death is mourned by his wife, five children, Mrs. Elmer Houtz, of Millheim; Mrs. Lloyd Worle, of Reedsville; Mrs. Robert Condo, of Boalsburg; Franklin, of Richmond, Ind., and Mable at home, two brothers in Illinois and a wide circle of friends. Funeral services were held on Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock with Rev. D. E. Hepler officiating. Interment was made in the Boalsburg cemetery.

ROBERT H. CROSTHWAIT-The venerable Robert H. Crosthwait, who was for many years a resident of this place, died at the I. Miller; Rep to the G. E., H. F. Miller; home of his daughter, Mrs. Charles H. Schroyer, in Altoona, on Saturday afternoon of dropsy. His health had been failing for many months and he had been confined to bed for thirteen weeks. He was a native of Potter's Mills, this county, and his death occurred on his seventy-ninth birthday. His mother too lived to be just seventynine. He followed the occupation of harness maker for many years and during the Civil war served in one of the emergency corps. He was a consistent member of the Methodist church of this place for more than fifty years and even after he went to Altoona, seven years ago, he retained his membership in the church here. His wife, who was Mary Hall, a daughter of Jesse Hall, died about twelve years ago and three of his children preceded him to the

He is survived by three children. Mrs. Emma Schroyer, with whom he has made his home for the past ten years, Frank A., of State College, and Walter H., of Brook lyn, and one brother Hiram C., of Altoona. Funeral services were held in Altoona on Sunday afternoon by the Rev. H. L. Jacobs. Monday morning the body was brought to this place and burial services were conducted by the Rev. Dr. Shriner in the Union cemetery, where interment was made in the family plot.

home near Warriors-mark on Saturday, was a very well known man in that vicinity. He was 64 years and 9 months old and had been a sufferer from paralysis for many years, being almost helpless for some her husband. time previous to his death. One daughter, Mrs. Minnie Ale, of Warriors-mark valley, survives him. He also leaves two brotheis, Samuel B. Kreider, of Buffalo Run, and Chilian Kreider, of this place, and one sister, Mrs. Mary B. Mattern, of Buffalo Run. The funeral took place from the German Baptist Brethren church at Spring Mount at 9 o'clock Tuesday morning.

-By the death of Mrs. Jane Roberts Snyder, wife of Henry P. Snyder, publisher of the Connellsville Courier, in the West Penn hospital in Pittsburg on Wednesday morning, there has passed away a young woman of most attractive personality. Through her attendance at many of the meetings of the National and State Editor ial Association, she was well-known to the fraternity and enjoyed an unusual popularity, for she was always vivacious, most affable, and charming in mind as well as person. She is survived by her husband and one daughter and interment will be made from the home of her parents in New Castle this morning.

THE SONS OF TEMPERANCE. - Fountain Springs division, No. 214, Sons of Temperance, was organized in Bellefonte on Monday night. Prof. Lockwood, the state organizer, was present and delivered a party. stirring address, his subject being "Betty. John and the Baby." At its conclusion the prohibition quartet sang several pleasing selections and the business of electing officers was taken up with the following result:

Worthy patriarch, C. C. Shuey; worthy associate, C. M. Bowser; Sup't. of young people, Miss Rebecca Leech; recording secretary, J. P. Smith; assistant secretary, Tillie Heck; financial secretary, Warren Minnemyer; treasurer, Harry Raymond; chaplain, Rev. Thomas W. Perks; conductor, Miss Minnie Knhn; assistant conductor, Mrs. Mollie E. Lindsay; inside sentinel, Earl Markle; outside sentinel, D. N. Steele.

The regular meetings of the division will be Thursday evenings in Petriken hall be-

- -The Salvation Army officers have rented the house on Thomas Street, lately occupied by Mr. Joseph Kelleher, and are moving their household goods this week.
- ---Al Grove, the dairy man, had the bad fortune of having the ends of the three middle fingers of his right hand cut off in a profitable and their new environments of a delivery wagon and horse for Fred to planer at Bullock's carriage works, in Milesburg, on Wednesday morning.

News Purely Personal.

-Edward Schofield spent Sunday with relatives

-Dr. James Thompson, of Stormstown, was a Bellefonte visitor on Monday.

-Sidney Kieffer, of Tyrone, spent Sunday with friends in this place -Mrs. S. H. Orwig, of Lewisburg, is a guest of

Mrs. R. G. H. Hayes, on Spring street. -Miss De Velasco, of New York, arrived in town on Tuesday and is at the Bush house

-Miss Anna Mann, of Lewistown, is in town for an extended visit with her many friends here. -Miss Helen Crissman, of Thomas street, has gone to Sunbury for an extended visit with rela-

-Mrs. Martin Fauble returned from a visit to the family of William Grauer, in Altoona, on Wed-

-After a pleasant week's visit at his home here Sam McClure returned to his work in Pittsburg on Sunday.

-Mrs. Benj. Beaver, of State College, was an over Sunday visitor at the Gehret home on east Howard street. -John M. Bullock returned from New York on

Wednesday. He was attending a school of satorial art in that city. -Rev. Walter F. Carson, of the Milesburg Presbyterian church, is back to his pastoral work after

a five weeks' vacation -Miss Emma Aikens, of south Allegheny street, is in Beaver Falls for a ten days' visit with her sister, Mrs. George B. Johnson

-Thomas Jennings left for Blandsburg, Pa., on Wednesday, to bring his mother, who has been visiting friends there for some time, home.

-Samuel Herd, of Idaho Springs, Colorado, with his sister, Miss Nancy Herd, of Philipsburg, visited Miss Celia Armor, in this place, over Sunday.

-Mr. and Mrs. Louis Lounsberry, of south Spring street, are entertaining the former's ven erable father, L. M. Lounsberry, of Elmira, N. Y. -Elliot Vandevender, who has spent the summer on an engineering corps with his father near Baltimore, is back to resume his school work at the Academy.

-John Loughrey and his sister Abbie are here from Philadelphia on a visit to Miss Julia Kelly, of Logan street. They were former residents of

-Mr. and Mrs. John Porter Lyon, with their ittle daughter Deborah, came down from Penna. Furnace on Tuesday to attend Mrs. Reeder's masquerade euchre

-Mrs. Nathan Reisman and her little daughter, of Princeton, Ind., and Mrs. Joe Metz, of Clinton, Kan., are visiting at the home of their parents Mr. and Mrs. Baum, on Bishop street. -A. G. Morris and several other of the promi-

nent members of the American Lime and Stone Co. were in town on Wednesday looking over their various operations about this place. -William Underwood, of Woodbury, N. J., has peen visiting relatives in this county for a few

days; having come to attend the family reunion in Half-moon valley last Saturday. -John Knisely, president of the Bellefonte Window Glass Co. left for Columbus, Ohio, on Monday, to attend a meeting for the purpose of

adopting scales for the coming seaso -James W. Derr, the little son of bill poster J. C. Derr, who lost his eyesight by the expl osion of a lime bottle, was sent to an institution at Overbrook for the instruction of the blind on Tuesday.

-Mrs. Thomas Hill, with her three children. Fred, Sara and Harry, who had been spending part of the summer at the Richard home on east Linn street, returned to Philadelphia on Monday

-Sam Taylor, who is still interested in several things in Bellefonte though he is now traveling for a large Pittsburg china establishment, was Pennsylvania State College, has been re-L. Kreider, who died at his home for a week previous to Sunday, when he departed. -W. Harrison Walker Esq. departed, on Wed-

nesday, for a two weeks' stay with his wife's par-

ents at Pleasantville, Pa. Mrs. Walker has been at home for several weeks and will return with -Post master W. W. Montgomery departed on Wednesday for an extended tour of eastern Canada. Mrs. Montgomery and their daughter, Miss

Emma, left the same afternoon for a visit with Pittsburg friends. -Harry Weaver, a senior at Princeton, has re turned from Philadelphia where he spent the summer working in the Baldwin locomotive

works. He will spend a few days at his home here before the University reopens. -C. Y. Wagner, proprietor of the Roopsbur mills, and C. T. Gerberich, senior partner of the firm of C. T. Gerberich & Son, of this place, are

attending the meeting of the Millers Association of the State at Gettysburg this week. -Mr. and Mrs. James A. McClain, with their laughter Mrs. Harvey Lingle and Mr. Lingle, of Patton, spent Sunday in town. They all have se many relatives and acquaintances in Bellefonte as to make them very much at home while here.

-W. M. Furey, a very prosperous insurance inderwriter and banker, of Pittsburg, with his sister Miss Margaret and his little son, William Rankin Furey, visited at the parental home, Mr and Mrs. Morris Furey's place, below town unti -Among the friends from a distance who were

n town Monday attending the funeral of Rober H. Crosthwaite were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Schroyer, their three children Mary, Robert and Gray, and Hiram Crosthwaite, of Altoona, and Walter Crosthwaite, of Brooklyn. -Mrs. J. C. Mickle, of Wycote, Pa., a sister of

Hon. J. D. Campbell, general solicitor of the Philadelphia and Reading R. R. is a guest of Mrs. John L. Kurtz, on Curtin street. Mrs. Kurtz has given several delightful entertainments for her visitor, notable among them being an unique house -C. F. Deininger, of Pittsburg, formerly of

Centre Hall, was in town for a few hours on S urday on his way back to work after a short visi at his old home. Clem is working up the organization of all the Centre county residents in and about Pittsburg into an association for mutual aid and pleasure. -Mrs George B. Jack, her two children and

her mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Armstrong, of Rush ville, Neb., were guests the forepart of the week at the home of Mrs. Mary Ann Johnston on Linn street. They were on their way to Boalsburg and Lemont to attend the Thompson-Shaffer wedding which is to take place Oct. 1st. -Prof. Geo. P. Bible, formerly in the news-

paper business in this place, but for the past nine years principal of the Stroudsburg Normal school, has been visiting friends in this place for th past ten days; resting up before assuming his new duties as president of the National school of oratory in Odd Fellows temple, Philadelphia Prof. Bible is a gifted elocutionist, himself, and will make a success of his new work.

-W. T. Twitmire returned from Philadelphia on Saturday morning. While in that city he undertook to attend the Union party convention and the result of his efforts is best told by him self. Mr. Twitmire got an insight into Quay methods such as to make him a very wise man. He saw things, himself, that he would scarcely have credited had he been told of them and is thoroughly convinced that if the crowd of thugs and ex-convicts who terrorized the Unionists in Philadelphia last Wednesday is the kind Penny packer has at his back he will have none of such

-Mr. and Mrs. Sam Baisor returned to their nome in Johnsonburg on last Saturday after a two weeks visit with their relatives up

-George T. Bush returned home yesterday from an extended and eventful trip through Idaho, Wyoming, British Columbia, the Pacific coast, Arizona and New Mexico.

-Mrs. Henry C. Quigley and her three children who have been spending the summer with her mother, Mrs. Merriman, in New York State, arrived home yesterday afternoon.

-Mrs. H. S. Cooper and her winsome little daughter, Emeline, who have been visiting at the Benner home on High street, for several weeks will leave for Yonkers this morning.

-Col. and Mrs. James P. Coburn and Mrs. Evelyn Rodgers were in Allentown the fore part of the week attending the funeral of Morgan Medler, Col. Coburn's brother-in-law. Mr. Medler was seventy years of age and is survived by his wife, who was Margaret Coburn.

-Mrs. Mary P. Jackson, of State College, was in town yesterday seeing friends and shopping. Mrs. Jackson, accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. L. E. Reber, and the latter's two sons are going to Florida for the winter on account of the boys The boys are going to attend a preparatory school and Mrs. Reber and her mother are going to enter as special students at the same institu-

JUST FOR BOYS .- A thoroughly enjoyable series of entertainments for boys are being arranged by the Young Men's Christian Association. The first will be given Saturday evening Sept. 13th, and will consist of a magic lantern trip to the Rocky Mountains, and some other places, illustrated songs, etc.

Admission will be by tickets, which may be obtained free by boys between 12 and 16 years of age, either at the Association office or from junior members.

These entertainments will begin at 7:30 p. m. and in no case will the program continue later than 9 o'clock.

THE SCHENCK REUNION-At the Schenck family reunion on the old homestead below Howard last Thursday, an account of which appeared in the last week's issue of this paper, the following officers were chosen to serve a term of four years :

D. B. Schenck, president; Shuman Pletcher, vice president; Theophilus Pletcher, 2nd vice president; John F. Schenck, treasurer; Hayes Schenck, corresponding secretary; W. F. Hall, F. M. Pletcher, W. R. Schenck, John Schenck, Ed. Bechdel, executive committee.

----The contract for the erection of the new auditorium at the Pennsylvania State College, for which the sum of one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000.00) has been donated by Mr. and Mrs. Chas. M. Schwab, has been awarded to Messrs. Geo. F. Payne & Co. of Philadelphia, and it is understood that work will begin immediately. The con tractors whose bid has been accepted are among those of the very highest standing in Philadelphia, and are at present engaged, among other things, in the construction of the Widener home.

--- Dr. H. P. Armsby, director of the Agricultural Experiment station of The lieved from duty as dean of the School of Agriculture in order to enable him to give more exclusive attention to the work of research and investigation, especially that very important branch which the College is now carrying on in co-operation with the Department of Agriculture through the operations of the unique respiration calorimeter. Professor Wm. A. Buckhout has been provisionally appointed acting dean.

-Don't forget "A Hot Scotch Major" at Garman's next Thursday night. It will

Philadelphia Markets.

The following are the closing prices of the Philadelphia markets on Wednesday evening. " -No. 2 .. Corn -Yellow. " -Mixed... Oats....
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—Penna. Roller....
—Favorite Brands...
Rye Flour Per Br'l...
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Jats, old and ashel....... Barley, per bushel....... Ground Plaster, per tor 8 50 to 9 50 .\$6 00 to \$6 60 ...\$3.20 to \$3.60 Bellefonte Produce Markets. Corrected weekly by Sechler & Co. otatoes per bushel

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