James Rathmel returned home Saturday;

having been employed at Tyrone. Will Carner and son Frank were to McEl-

hattan for several days last week. Richard Harpster, who has been employed at Bellwood, is home on a short vacation.

Mrs. Austin Whippo, of Loveville, spent last week with her mother, Mrs. John Miller. Mrs. Kate McEwen, of Lock Haven, was entertained at the home of J. H. Carner, Monday.

Martha Sherr, of McElhattan, returned home after having been in our midst for a

Eugene Root and sister, Alice, of Bellwood. spent a week with their uncle B. W. Rumbarger. Mrs. J. P. Correll, of Easton, payed a short

visit to her mother and many friends the

John Moore, of State College, was a guest at the home of Dr. McCormick Saturday and

Mrs. George Kessinger visited her sister Mrs. Callahan, of Mill Hall, Tuesday and Wednesday.

Charles Decker, of Pitcairn, was the guest of his brother Will, who occupies the old home, for a week. The Reformed Sunday school will hold

their Xmas entertainment Christmas day evening, as was decided last Sunday. Rev. Crittenden, S. S. missionary, was a pleasant visitor in the Reformed S. S. last Sunday and while here was entertained at

the home of John Hoy. The members of the Evangelical church contemplate holding a chicken and waffle supper Saturday evening, Dec. 20th, for the benefit of the church.

Oak Hall.

People are enjoying the sleighing.

William Rishel and family spent Sunday at Rockview.

Henry Shuey and wife, of Peru, spent Tuesday in town.

Miss Mary Etters is seriously ill at her home in this place.

Luther Dale, of Pine Grove Mills, spent Saturday with his parents.

John S. Dale, of Dale's Summit, transacted business in town Friday.

Mrs. Sarah Etters and Mrs. Julia Shuey, of Lemont, called at Sunny hillside Saturday. Reuben Kaup, of Ax Mann, spent Friday afternoon in town with his mother and sister.

David Houser and wife enjoyed a day with their daughter, Mrs. James Kustenborder, recently.

Mrs. Charles Mayes and son Wayne are spending several days with her sister, Mrs. Wesley Tate.

Edwin Smith has been able to resume his work in the school' room after two weeks ill-

Any one wishing to know the distance from Oak Hall to Centre Hall can find out by asking John Reish, as while he was calling on his best girl at this place, recently, his horse took French leave and he had to walk home Sunday night.

Tribute of Respect.

WHEREAS, it has pleased the the Great Commander-in-Chief of all men and Ruler of all people to remove from our ranks Comrade Nathaniel Bierly, late musician of the 148th Regiment, Pennsylvania Volunteers, and a member of Dr George L. Potter Post, No. 261, Grand Army of the Republic, and

WHEREAS, Comrade Bierly has at all times and under all circumstances proved himself to be a true and loyal soldier, a just citizen and an honest upright man, a loving husband, as well as a most worthy, peaceable and law abiding neighbor, and WHEREAS. The Dr. George L. Potter Post, No. 261, G. A. R., desires to record its high appreciation of the worth and loyalty of Comrade Bierly, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED :

First :- That in the death of Comrade Bierly, this Post realizes that it has suffered an irreparable loss and by reason of his removal a vacancy exists in its ranks that can never be filled.

Second :- That this Post can point with a due sense of pride to the life, work and character of Comrade Bierly, and it exhorts its fast thinning ranks to emulate his high ideals of life and his exemplification of citizenship. Third:-That while we realize that for Comrade

Bierly, this world has sounded "Lights Out," yet we have reason to believe and feel that he has passed into a realm where he shall dwell forever in life and light eternal.

Fourth:-That a copy of these resolutions be sent to the bereaved family of our late Comrade and that they also published in the several newspapers of Centre county.

Fifth:—That as a special mark of respect to Comrade Bierly, the Charter of this Post be draped in mourning for thirty days and that the member,

of the Post wear the usual badge of mourning for P. H. HAUPT, A. S. SMITH, SIMON PAISON. Committee. a like period.

-Subscribe for the WATCHMAN.

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

Ammon L. Bubb, of Colyer, and Bettie S. Wilkinson. of Potters Mills.

Chas. Stover, of South Philipsburg, and Margaret Stepheus, of Philipsburg. Reuben Lucas, of Runville, and Rebie

Jodon, of Bellefonte. John Riddle and Mary Walton, both of Philipsburg.

G. C. Hassinger and Cora Corman, both of Bellefonte. Wm Hopkins, of Decatur Twp., and Mary Peters, of Rush Twp.

Real Estate Transfers. The following real estate transfers bave been recorded during the past week by

Recorder N. E. Robb. J. T. Lucas et ux to Franklin Veihdorfer, dated Nov. 18th, 1902, lot in Snow Shoe; consideration \$150.00.

Wendell Boyer et ux to Jonathan Royer, dated June 14th, 1845, 60 acres in Miles Twp.; consideration \$5.00

Allen H. Gilbert et ux to Henry W. Gauer, dated Sept. 15th, 1902, 106 acres in

Miles Twp.; consideration \$225.00. John P. Harris et ux to Josephine Cruse, dated Nov. 6th. 1885, lot in Bellefonte ;

consideration \$300.00. J. H. Reifsnyder to J. C. Auman, dated Sept. 4th, 1901, 100 acres in Penn Twp. ; consideration \$150.00. Sadie G. McCloskey to B. F. Paddock et

al, dated Oct. 27th, 1902, lot in Liberty Twp.; consideration \$25.00. John Shafer et ux to Wendell Royer, dated Aug. 18th, 1827, 60 acres in Miles Twp. ; consideration \$5.00.

Books, Magazines Etc.

The Christmas McClure's is primarily a holiday fiction number, but the four articles represent the yery cream of the month's magazines writing. Two of them make more absorbing reading than ninety-nine stories in a hundred. That remarkable piece of pioneer investigation, Miss Tarbell's history of Standard Oil, has for its second installment "The Rise of the Standard Oil Company." It is virtually a biography of John D. Rockefeller from 1857, when his name first appeared in the Cleveland city directory, his occupation given as bookkeeper, to 1872, when the Standard, having absorbed or crushed all the independent refiner ies of Cleveland, was preparing to pounce down on the Oil Regions and secure its monopoly of the crude. Another article which tells a true story more interestingly than fiction is Lincoln Steffen's, "The American Man on Horseback." This is an account of the annual bronco busting contest at Denver for the championship of the world. The illustrations, all taken from photographs, are hair raising in their suggestion of broken necks. John Mitchell's article on the Coal Strike speaks for itself. Of great interest is the editorial an nouncement that it will be followed by two articles by Ray Stannard Baker presenting the nonunion miners' side of the question. John La Farge's noble appreciation of Albrecht Durer completes his series of papers on old masters.

The fiction is of unusual merit even for a fiction number. There are four love stories, all first class and no two alike. "At the Ebb of the Tide," by Henry C. Rowland: "Mr. Potter's Vacation." by Herbert D. Ward; "Thursday at Three," by David Graham Philips, and "Briner's Wheat," by Charles Fleming Embre, are charming love tales The best vet of her Irish folk lore tales, "Darby O'Gill and the Leprechann." "The Last Choice of Crusty Dick," is the story of an Apache massacre in the desert. Altogether the December number makes a great finish to a great year for

New Advertisements.

A DMINISTRATOR'S SALE.—The personal property of the late James M. Lucas will be sold at public sale, at his former residence near School House Crossing, Boggs township, on near School House Crossing, Boggs township, on Saturday, December the 20th, at one o'clock.

A DMINISTRATRIX NOTICE.—Letters testimentary on the estate of Nathaniel Bierly, late of Boggs township, deceased, having been granted to the undersigned she hereby requests all persons knowing themselves indebted to said estate to make immediate payment of the same and those having claims to present them, properly authenticated, for payment. ELLEN E. BIERLY, Administratrix, Milesburg, Pa.

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832 North 10th St., Formerly of Bellefonte. DIVORCE NOTICE.

Sheriff's Office

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Bellefonte, Pa., Dec. 12th, 1902.

Bessie Vanetta vs.

John Vanetta In the Court of Common Pleas of Centre County, No. 18, August Term, 1902. JOHN VANEITA 18, August Term, 1902.
To John Vanetta: Whereas Bessie Vanetta, your wife, has filed a libel in the Court of Common Pleas of Centre County, to No. 18, August Term, 1902, praying for a divorce against you, now you are hereby notified and requested to appear in said Court on or before Monday, the 26th day of Jan., 1903, to answer the complaint of the said Bessie Vanetta and show cause if any you have, why the said Bessie Vanetta should not be divorced from the bonds of matrimony entered into with you, and in default of such appearance you will be liable to have a divorce granted in your absence.

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A DMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE. — Let-James M. Lucas, deceased, late of Boggs township having been granted to the undersigned he requests all persons knowing themselves indebted to said estate to make payment and those having claims against the same to present them duly authenticated for settlement.

J. ZEIGLER, Administrator.

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Wingate, Pa.

DIVORCE NOTICE. Frank B. Eckenroth In the Court of Common Pleas of Centre county, No Nellie E. Eckenroth 161 April Term 1902. Nellie E. Eckenroth) 161 April Term 1902.

To Nellie E. Eckenroth whereas Frank B. Eckenroth, your husband has filled a libel in the Court of Common Please of Centre county, to No. 161 April term '02, praying for a divorce against you, now you are hereby notified and requested to appear in said court on or before Monday the 26th day of January to answer the complaint of the said Frank B. Eckenroth and show cause if any you have, why the said Frank B. Eckenroth should not be divorced from the bonds of matrimony entered into with you, and in default of such appearance you will be liable to have a divorce granted in your absence.

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DMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.-Letters of administration on the estate of Fredricka Gummo, deceased late of Patton town ship having been granted to the undersigned they request all persons knowing themselves indebted to said estate to make immediate payment, and those having claims against the same to present them duly authenticated for settlement. Address Buffalo Run. KATE GUMMO,

CHARTER NOTICE.—Notice is hereby HARTER NOTICE.—Notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Governor of the State of Pennsylvania, on Monday, December 29th, 1902, by Frank McCoy, John M. Shugert, Edmund Blanchard and John Blanchard, under the Act of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, entitled, "an Act to provide for the Incorporation and Regulation of certain Corporations," approved April 29th, 1874, and the supplements thereto, for the charter of an intended corporation to be called "The McCoy-Linn Iron Company," the character and object of which is the manufacture of iron or steel, or both, or of any other metal, or of any article of commerce from metal or wood, or both, and for these purposes to have and possess and enjoy all the rights, benefits and privileges of the said Act of Assembly and its supplements.

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EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.—The under L signed executor of the last will and testament of Catharine Matts, late of Rush township, Centre county, Pa., deceased having been granted to the undersigned all persons knowing themselves indebted to said estate hereoy notified to make immediate payment thereof and those having claims will present the same, properly authenticated, for payment.

W. A. COLLINS, Executor.

47-44-6t. Sandy Ridge.

A DMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE. — Letters testamentary on the e-sate of Catharine Welsh, late of Spring township, Centre Co. deceased having been granted the undersigned he hereby notifies all persons having claims against said estate to present them, properly authenticated, for payment and those knowing themselves indebted thereto to make immediate settlement.

JOSEPH CEADER, Administrator, Rellefonte, Pa. CHARTER NOTICE.—Notice is hereby given that an application will be made to Hon. John G. Love, President Judge of the Court of Common Pleas of Centre county on the 20th day of December, A. D. 1902, at 10 o'clock a. m., for the incorporation of a corporation to be called the "Askey Cemetery Association," the character and object of which are the maintenance of a place for the burial of the dead for the community in which said Association is to be located, to wit, in Snow Shoe township, Centre county, Pennsylvania.

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