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CORRESPONDENTS .-- No communications pub lished unless accompanied by the real name of the writer.

THINGS ABOUT TOWN AND COUNTY

-Co. B. will have a full uniform drill this evening in the armory.

-A. S. Stover, of Aaronsburg, is going to build a new barn in the spring.

-Revival services will be opened in the Bellefonte Methodist church on Sunday evening.

-----The mercury was on the tohoggan yesterday morning and so was the steam as he did. heat works

-The McCoy-Linn Iron Co., with a capital of \$20,000, has been chartered by the state department.

-The comedy-drama "Because I Love You" will be the attraction at Garman's on Wednesday night, Jan. 7th.

-There will be a public installation of the Milesburg O. U. A. M. officers on the evening of January 17th.

-The Nittany country club has closed for the winter and major domo Brower has gone off to hibernate at his old home in Reading.

-Auyone who is on the lookout for a nice farm that is for rent or sale would do well to refer to the advertising columns of this issue.

-Mr. and Mrs. John Brugger, of Johnstown, were given a reception at the Brugger homestead at Unionville on Christmas day.

-Dwyde Stover lost his thumb and index finger as a result of getting it caught in the machinery at Wolf's stave mill, at Aaronsburg, on Wednesday.

-S. S. Crissman, who quit the drug business in Philipsburg some years ago to go to Winber, has sold his store there and bought a large place in Johnstown.

----His duties as deputy revenue collector for this district have caused G. W. Rees to dispose of his grocery store in the Eagle building. He is selling the stock off at cost.

-J. N. Dinges, of Lemont, recently captured a white pine squirrel. The albinos are very rare and as this was a particularly good specimen he sent it to the museum at State College.

-----Walter W. Bayard, whose home is in this place, was on the fated train that was wrecked near Stockton, Cal. last week and so many people killed. He escaped, anhurt.

-Charley Thompson, of Stormstown, had his right thumb amputated at the first joint, in the Philipsburg hospital. He had a felon and suffered so much that he decided to have the whole thing cut off.

MANY HAVE GONE INTO THE GREAT BEYOND .- The Christmas season this year families in this community, as the death angel gathered in an unusual harvest. On Saturday night December the 20th, William E. Meek, a life long resident of Ferguson township, died at his home near Rock Springs after a long illness of Brights disease. Two years ago last September he

had a stroke of paralysis which seriously impaired his remarkable strength and, while afterward he was able to be out and drive about in the neighborhood of his home the improvement was only transitory. gelical church for over thirty years and During the last two months of his life he suffered intensely and it was only because of his determined will and wonderful vital- children, W. Reynolds, of this place; ity that he was able to endure it as long Thomas L., at home; Mrs. Henry Shultz,

Mr. Meek was the eldest son of George W. and Rachel Barron Meek and he was May 10th, 1834. His great grand father,

Captain George Meek, came into Centre county in 1784 and took up the tract of land which is still occupied by his descend-

ants. His maternal great grand father was Thomas Ferguson, after whom Ferguson township was named. Coming as he did from a long line of sturdy Scotch Irish ancestry his character was pre-eminently of that type-self reliant, decided as to him realized his condition.

an inveterate reader and like many other intelligent men was inclined to seclusion, but his innate kindness and genial disposition kept him always in accord with humanity. He was especially gifted with a sense of humor and wit and his powers which he was considered an expert work-

of mimicry were so good that he could tell man. a story with as good effect as any we have ever heard. And, above all else, he was good

-despising unfairness in the dealings of lie, of this place. His brother, Ellis, of men, considerate of humanity and animals Dunkirk, Ind., also survives. and thoroughly conscious of the reality of

Sunday afternoon, Rev. Dr. Laurie, of the Presbyterian church, and George I. Brown, His wife, Nannie Mitchell, to whom he

was married in the winter of 1862, died on Christmas day 17 years ago. Her death made in the Union cemetery. occurred in the Pine Grove Methodist

church where she was helping with the Sabbath school entertainment. One daughter, Mary Wilburta, to whom he was most affectionally devoted, survives him with his younger brother, D. G. Meek, of Fairbrook and his sister, Mrs. P. Gray Meek, of this

place. Funeral services were held at his home on Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock with his pastor, Rev. D. E. Hepler, of the Presbyterian church, assisted by the Rev. C. T. Aikens, of the Lutheran church, officiating. Interment was made in Meek's burying ground

MRS. WILLIAM J. SINGER--While the announcement of the death of Mrs. Edna Trafford Singer, wife of William J. Singer, on Sunday afternoon, December 21st, was not unexpected yet it caused much sorrow and regret throughout the community.

MRS. BARNABAS SHOPE .- Mrs. Eva MRS. T. A. ARDELL .- After a long ill-Shaffer Shope, wife of Barnabas Shope, was one of sorrow and sadness for many died at her home near Roland on Sunday nedy Ardell, wife of T. A. Ardell, passed morning, December 21st. The cause of her away at her home at Julian on Friday death was dropsy, the culmination of a severe cold she had been suffering with for telligent and very capable woman, but in three weeks. Funeral services were held the last few years had been obliged to reon Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Henry Shultz, save those of her own home, on account of at Roland, with her pastor officiating. In- her health. She had not been well for terment was made at Curtin's

> She was born three miles east of Bellefonte and was 78 years old on the 8th of last May. She was a member of the Evanwas a most conscientious, useful woman. She is survived by her husband and eight of Roland; James E., of Confluence, Som-

erset county; Mrs. George Reeder, Johnsonburg; Mrs. Elizabeth Bubb, Homer, born at the family home near Fairbrook on Neb.; Mrs. Mary E. Neff, Mt. Eagle, and by Rev. Victor Royer. Interment at Dix Constance C., of Minnesota. Run.

> GEORGE P. SNYDER. - George Potter Snyder died very unexpectedly at the home

of his mother, on west Bishop street, early Christmas morning. He had been in his usual health until a few hours previous, when he was seized with an attack of heart trouble and died almost before those about

principal and most unobtrusive. He was He was the son of the late Capt. A. B. and Margaret Snyder and was born in Bellefonte, Jan. 11th, 1875. All of his life had been spent in this community, all but the short periods during which he was away working at his trade as a glass blower, at

Surviving him are his mother and sisters

Mrs. C. E. Cook, of Jeanette, and Miss Mol-Services were held at his late home

of the Episcopal, officiated. Interment was

EDGAR MCCLOSKEY.-Edgar McCloskey a son of McCloskey, superintendent of schools in Clinton county and who was a clerk in Zeller's drug store in this place for three years, died in the Presbyterian hospital in Philadelphia on Thursday,

December 18th. He was studying pharmacy in Philadelphia and had successfully passed the final examination, but was never conscious of the fact for he was taken sick with typhoid fever the day after the examination was held and died just two weeks after. He was a native of Beech Creek and was about twenty-seven years

old. After graduating at the Lock Haven Normal he taught school for three years and then came here to take up the study of pharmacy. He was most faithful to his employer's interests and was, moreover, a courteous, estimable young man. Funeral services were held at his father's

ness of consumption Mrs. Margaret Kenmorning, December 19th. She was an inlinquish all of her pleasures and duties.

nineteen years and for several months had been much of an invalid. She was a native of New York and about 55 years of age.

She is survived by her husband and four children Jennie, Mrs. T. V. Stevens and Gordon, of Julian, and Robert and Francis, Mrs. Gray Mattern, of Philadelphia. She was an honored and useful member of the Methodist church and funeral services were conducted on Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock by her former pastor, Rev. Charles W. Rishel, of the Danville District, assisted

A. T. LEATHERS.-A. Toner Leathers, who will be well remembered in many parts of the county, died at his home in Washington, D. C. on Wednesday. Though in bad health for about four years his condition never became serious until after his return from service in the Spanish-American war.

Deceased was about 48 years old and is survived by his wife, who was Miss Clara Taylor, of Unionville. His body will be brought to his former home there on Saturday night and interment will be made on Sunday afternoon at 1 o'clock.

WILLIAM SHAY .- William Shay died at his home at Glen Iron, on Saturday, from from the effects of asthma and heart trouble. Deceased was born at Hannah Furnace April 11th, 1843, and when a boy located in Clarion county. Later he removed to Greenwood furnace, where he went to work as a collier, following that business all of his life. In 1878 he married Arabella Brindle and their union was blessed with twelve children, eleven of whom are living.

He was a charter member of the Port Matilda K. G. E. and on Tuesday his body was taken to that place for interment in Black Oak cemetery.

Jacob Fleck, an old resident of Sandy Ridge, died at his home in that place on the 18th ult. He was 65 years old and died from the effects of pneumonia which developed from a cold he contracted while visiting his son, who is in the Cottage hospital in Philipsburg. Deceased was a veteran of the Civil war, having lost an arm at the battle of Petersburg. He is survived by his widow and four children.

SUCCESS CROWNED THE EFFORTS OF THE WATER COMMITTEE.-Inasmuch as the WATCHMAN had taken a place among the rather numerous band of "knockers," who were of the opinion that the water commit-

News Parely Personal.

-Capt. W. A. Simpson, of Lock Haven, spen Sunday with friends in this place. -Dr. and Mrs. H. W. Tate are in Philadelphia for a ten days' stay with Mrs. Tate's parents.

-Mr. and Mrs. F. Carl Williams spent Christmas day with Mrs. Williams' parents in Altoona. -Mr. and Mrs. Charles G. Seixas, of Philadelphia, spent Christmas with Mrs. Seixas' parents

in this place. -Harold Lingle is home from school at Hart-

ford, Conn., and enjoying every moment of his short vacation

-Miss Margaret Sechler, of Baltimore, is in town for a visit of a few days at her home on Linn street.

-The Misses Roxy and Helen Mingle, of east High street, are home from school at Frederick. Md., for the Holidays,

-Mrs. David Barlett, of Thomas street, spent part of the holiday week with her daughter, Mrs. Carl Lillidahl, in Altoona.

-Miss Bess Sharp, of east Lamb street, entertained Misses Effie Hunter and Pearl Chandler, of Mill Hall, on Saturday.

-Mr. and Mrs. James Clark went down to Beech Creek on Christmas to take their dinner with relatives at their former home

-Mr. and Mrs. Jack Furst, of Mt. Carmel, spent Christmas day with the former's parents, Hon. and Mrs. A. O. Furst, on Linn street

-The Misses Bess and May Haupt, of Tyrone, spent a few days of the Holiday week with their ancle Charles McClellan in this place.

-Former prothonotary W. F. Smith, of Millheim, is in town this week seeing that the teachers all comport themselves properly.

-Miss Mary Sourbeck and her brother Harris, who attends St. Francis military academy near New York, were home for Christmas.

-Miss Mary Hamilton, of east Howard street, departed for Pittsburg on Monday. She will visit friends in that city for two weeks.

-Mr. and Mrs, Marcus Overly, of Pittsburg, are visiting Mrs. Overly's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Feorge Taylor, on Willowbank street.

-Wilson Gephart came home from Cornell to spend the Holidays and has decided that he likes eal work so much that he wont go back.

-Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Cook, of Jeanette, arrived n town Christmas evening; called here by the deat deater s protner, George Snyder. -William Long, grown to manhood since he went to Steubenville, Ohio, where he is working as a steam fitter, is home visiting his mother for a few days.

-Edward Cowdrick, superintendent of bridges and masonry on the B. & S. R. R. spent the Holidays with his wife, who is staying with relatives

-Joseph D. Harris, who has come to be a man of considerable consequence along the Pennsylvania lines west of Pittsburg, is visiting his mother, Mrs. Rachel Harris, of north Spring street.

-Roy Mattern, who holds the chair of higher mathematics at the McKenzie school at Dobbs Ferry, is spending the holidays at his home in Milesburg.

-Charles M. McCurdy, cashier of the First Na tional, is back at his desk again after a weeks absence, spent at his old home in Gettysburg and in Philadelphia and New York.

-Eugene Hall, of Unionville, arrived in town, on Monday morning, with the teachers, but he seems very little changed since the days when said there were other things more important for he was such a popular official in Centre county. him to attend to than institute

-N. C. Brewer, of Philadelphia, formerly street, a gay house party held sway Christmas draughtsman at the Standard Scale works, is in week. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. John P. town for a few days visit. He is on his way home from an engagement in Pittsburg. for a month's visit, Miss Anna Shaffner, of Phila-

-J. H. Griffin, of Stormstown, was a Bellefonte delphia, and Joseph D. Mitchell and his fiance, visitor on Wednesday. He came down to take a Miss Antoinette Dunbar, of Boston. Miss Dunbar ook at institute up a little business

years-and we hope he may be given health and

-Miss Elizabeth Musser entertained a party of

Altoona friends at the home of her uncle, on

north Allegheny street, over Sunday. The

Lowell Musser and Harry Smith were her guests.

-Mr. and Mrs. W. Harrison Walker spen

Christmas at Mrs. Walker's home at Pleasantville.

Santa brought a nice little bug for Harrison and

atter it buzzed in his bonnet for a little while he

discovered that it meant he was to run for bur-

-M. J. Beezer, of the well known firm of Beez-

er Bros., architects in Pittsburg, spent Sunday

with relalives in this place. He was here on

business concerning the pipe organ the brothers

are placing in St. John's Catholic church as a

-John Whippo, Sam'l Taylor, Gregg Curtin,

Ellis Hall, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Fitzgerald, Bert

Robh, Robert Lyon, Fred Montgomery and Har

vey McClure, all Bellefonters who are finding life

both agreeable and profitable in or about Pitts-

burg, spent Christmas with their relatives in this

-Harry Showers, of Altoona; Robert Shreffler,

of Lewistown; Paul Fortney, of Halifax; Harris

Cook and John Tonner Harris, of Altoona, and

-Mr. John Noll returned from Altoona or

Tuesday. He and Mrs. Noll and Roberta had

been in the Mountain city spending a week with

Mrs. Geo. Van Dyke and as Mr.and Mrs. VanDyke

wanted to take a trip to New York they persuad-

ed Mrs. Noll and Roberta to keep their home for

-Thomas Moore, formerly of the firm of F. P.

Blair & Co. jewelers in this place but now one of

spent Christmas with Mrs. Moore and Helen who

had remained here since his departure. Hav-

ing made sure that he would like the new posi-

the leaders in Wanamaker's watch department

gess again, so the race is on.

memorial to their parents.

Holidays.

them until they return.

life to read it many more-was in town on Tues

day looking vigorous and hearty.

-J. P. O'Bryan, of State College, was among the crowds on the stree's here on Tuesday.

-Miss Bess Brouse, of Thomas street, is visit. ing friends in Williamsport this week.

-George Hastings, of Hastings, is in at Beech Creek visiting his son Gray, who is in business there.

-F. E. Naginey, the furniture dealer, is in Philadelphia this week attending a convention of the state undertakers.

-P. J. McDonald, the premier of Unionville school directors, was in town yesterday, attending the meeting of the association

-A. A. Miller, of State College, was in town yesterday to attend the annual meeting of the school directors of the county.

-Hon. J. Henry Cochran, of Williamsport, was in town on business on Monday. He was the guest of former Gov. Hastings.

-Miss Maude Koontz returned home last week after spending the past seven months with her aunt, Mrs. Jane Marshall, in Allegheny.

-Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Montgomery, with their son, from Lancaster, are guests at the home of Col. W. Fred Reynolds. They arrived on Wednesday.

-Among the callers who dropped in to wish us a happy New Year and contribute something to. ward making it prosperous was our old friend Jacob Gross, of Axe Mann.

-Miss Mary McCracken, who was in town the forepart of the week visiting Mrs. Thomas Van Tries and attending institute, returned to her home at Rock Springs yesterday.

-H. A. Detweiler, of Rebersburg, who has been in town attending institute was called home very unexpectedly yesterday afternoon on account of the serious illness of one of his children

-F. P. Musser, who has made a vast improvement in the Millheim Journal since he entered the journalistic field as one of its editors, was in town yesterday taking a look at institute.

-Mr. and Mrs. G. Ross Parker with Ferguson and Elenore, arrived home Tuesday from Somerset where the two latter were fairly satiated with Christmas and ladened with gifts and toys.

-Mrs Wister Morris, of Overbrook, Philadelphia, and her grand daughter, Margaret Wood are visiting at the home of Mrs. Eliza Blanchard, on Linn Street. They came on Wednesday even ing.

-Mrs. Gates, of Gatesburg, with her niece Miss Pifer, of Salona, were in town last Friday on their way home from an extended visit with the form er's son, Ira, who is prospering out at Orangeville, Ill.

-Andrew Jackson Tate, of Dale's Summit, was in town yesterday attending institute and calling on his friends. The old gentleman has a great interest in school matters because he has had so many children in the teaching ranks, and sons-in laws as well.

-Mrs. Geo. W. Homan, of College township, was in town yesterday with her attractive daugh ter. They were visiting the stores while Mr Homan was attending to his duties as a school director. Miss Homan returned home last evening, but Mr. and Mrs. Homan drove on down to Zion for a visit of a day or so with relatives there. -A great stranger in town on the 20th ult was

former sheriff T. J. Dunkle, of Punxsutawney,

who had remained away from his old friends and

home here so longthat we began to think he had

'cutthem all out." He was here to attend the fun-

eral of his brother and except for a few gray hairs

-At the Isaac Mitchell home on north Thomas

Lyon and their daughter Deborah, who are here

-Samuel V. Eves, of Stormstown, has been admitted to the Altoona hospital, suffering with an infected wound in the right hand. Some time ago he had one of his fingers amputated and the wound, instead of healing, became infected.

distributed thirty-two Christmas dinners to worthy poor in this place. The baskets contained a turkey or a chicken, celery, dria thirty-four years ago on the 9th of last cranberries, coffee, sugar, bread, ten pounds of potatoes, pie, cake, apples, bananas and jelly.

kin, youngest daughter of Mrs. Barbara dent of this place. She was an intelligent, Rankin, and Frank McFarlane, of Boalsburg, is to take place on Wednesday. January 14th, at the home of Mrs. Danial H. Hastings, the bride's sister.

--- Little Alice Parker, the Philipsburg child, who was the last of the famous Lorenz's patients, had a happy Christmas in the Jefferson hospital in Philadelphia. Two of the nurses trimmed a tree for her and, with four dolls, a set of dishes. a rocking- affiliated herself with the Reformed church, chair and lots of sweet meats, she had all her little heart wished for.

-----On Sunday evening Joseph Katz made his last appearance as organist in the friends in girlhood at Howard and whose Methodist church. It is a matter of regret deaths have all occurred in the last few that he has given up the organ just at a time when he was becoming so proficient, for there is an especial field for the organist in the church work of to day and Mr. Katz her two little sons, Edward and John, her was fast playing himself into an attraction mother, Mrs. Mary Trafford, of Ashville, at the Methodist church.

-"When one is away from their native county they like to hear the local news and happenings," writes a lady reader of the WATCHMAN down in Somerset county. Just so. The county weekly carries all the home news to your friends in distant parts far more faithfully than you do by letter writing and, hesides, it dispenses countless interesting little bits of news that one would never think of writing in a letter.

-The home of Mr. and Mrs. Hamilton Otto, on Penn street, was the scene of what might have been a very disastrous fire on Christmas eve. After loading down a fine Christmas tree with presents, candies, tinsel, etc., they lighted it up to see the effect. In an instant it was all ablaze, and only the most strenuous efforts kept the house from burning. The tree, presents and most of the contents of the room were destroyed.

-The Bellefonte ministerial association having declared war on merchants who keep open on Sunday, were forced to "make good" two weeks ago by arresting two dealers who thought they were playing against a bluff. When they realized that the association was in dead earnest they slipped up before justice Harshberger, plead guilty a chance to pile costs upon them.

She was taken ill on Thanksgiving with typhoid fever and it was complicated with so many troubles that her physician was alarmed about her from the first. Consultations were held and a special typhoid nurse secured but her system was so weakened that neither skill nor thoughtful care

availed to save her. Mrs. Singer was a daughter of John and Mary Trafford and she was born in Alexan-March. Her marriage to William J. Singer, former district attorney of this county, took place in Howard on the 20th of November,

-The marriage of Miss Bella K. Ran- 1890, and since then she has been a resibright woman and those who were personally acquainted with her say that it is impossible to overestimate the beauty and

strength of her character. She was an expert stenographer and most of the younger stenographers in the town are indebted to her for their knowledge of the art. From girlhood she was a consistent member of the Methodist church, but after her marriage of which her husband was a member. Her death was the fourth of a group of

young women who had been intimate months. They were all married and each left two little children.

Surviving Mrs. Singer are her husband, N. C., one brother and four sisters, William and Ida Trafford, Belle, of New York; Mrs. Jacob Boger, of Tyrone; Mrs. J. W. Moore and Mrs. J. C. McPherson, of Ash-

ville, N. C. Funeral services were held at her late home, on east High street, on Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock, by Rev. Ambrose Schmidt, of the Reformed church, assisted by Rev. Dr. Shriner and Rev. Frank Leidy and the body was taken on the 1:05 train to Tyrone, where interment was made that

afternoon in Grand View cemetery.

GIDEON PAINE.-Gideon C. Paine, a son in-law of William Long, of Reynolds Ave., died at his home in Roanoke, Va., on Thursday, December 18th, of consumption and heart trouble. Mr. Paine was a native of North Carolina and was thirty-five years of age. He was in the lumber business and had visited his wife's relatives here several times. He is survived by his wife. who was Mollie Long, and the following

children : Edith, Mary, John, William and Gideon. Funeral services were held in Roanoke on Saturday. 1

----Old age caused the death of Carper-December 29th. He was 80 years old.

home in Lock Haven on Saturday 1 1

OMAR DEHAAS.-Inflammation of the bowels caused the death of Omar DeHaas at his home near Eagleville, on Christmas morning. Deceased was 22 years old and a young man of such sterling qualities that that, at last, they seem to have pulled out he was a great comfort to his widowed mother, whose sorrow at his early death is very poignant.

Besides his mother, Mrs. Susan J. De-Haas, a brother and four sisters survive him. Funeral services were held in the Disciple church, of which he was a useful member, on Sunday, and interment was made in the cemetery nearby.

MRS. EFFIE LOMISON.-The wife of Guerton Lomison died at their home at Moshannon, on last Friday, from the effects of a chill she suffered while in a convalescent condition. She was a Miss Bowers before her marriage and was born at Pine Glenn, Dec. 16th, 1868. Surviving her are her husband and three small children, together with her one sister and three brothers.

Rev. Victor Royer, of Port Matilda. officiated at her funeral and interment was made in Askey's cemetery.

1960 (1980 (1980 (1980 (1980 (1980 (1980 (1980 (1980 (1980 (1980 (1980 (1980 (1980 (1980 (1980 (DIED SUDDENLY .- Frederick Houser. an aged and greatly respected resident of Houserville, died very suddenly on Tues- the results are shown, than the WATCHday, the 23rd ult, from the effects of heart MAN. disease. He had been with his son preparing to drill a well on Nittany mountain, when, after stooping to lift something from

the ground, he fell over and expired. Deceased was 78 years old and is survived by his two sons, Emanuel and Daniel. Interment was made in the Houserville cemetery, Rev. A. A. Black officiating.

-W. C. Irvin, whose home was in Bellefonte at one time, died in Buffalo Monday afternoon of last week; his death having resulted from injuries sustained while at work on a new building several weeks ago. His body was brought to this place and taken to the home of his sister, Mrs. Charles Miller, where services were held on Saturday afternoon, under the direction of the local castle K. G. E., of which he was atory to work for John Garner, on the farm a member. Interment was made in the near State College, repaid the latter's kind-

-Harvey Poorman, aged 74 years, died at his home in Boggs township on Frito a general break down. Surviving bim apprehended yet.

-Samuel Cowher, aged 31 years, died at his home at Port Matilda, on Christmas ter David at the home of James Bechdol, morning. His death was caused by typhoid and paid the fines before the ministers had near Eagleville, early on Friday morning, fever. Surviving him are his widow and two small children.

tee of council had wasted much of the borough's time and money in a futile effort to year.

improve the efficiency of the pumping sta--W. D. Strunk, of Pleasant Gap, was in town tion we feel it but due to the gentlemen of on Wednesday shipping a very acceptable cargo that committee, as well as to the reputa- of goods to his son who has lately set up a home for himself out at Karthaus, where he has taken tion of this journal for fairness, to state a position as an engineer. -Henry Sampsel, of Pleasant Gap, who has been of their dilemma in a way that should reading the WATCHMAN for the past forty three prove quite profitable to the tax payers.

The Fritz Water Wheel Co., of Hanover, has installed one of its 10x12 steel wheels, which has been running a triplex pump for the past two weeks without a stop. The pump delivers 205 gallons of water per minute to the reservoir, without reducing the level of the spring. The old turbine wheel that was taken out was delivering about 50 gallons per minute, so that the improvement nets a gain of 216,000 gallons of water per day in the pumping service. Saturday.

While there has been no movement to discover what saving the new pump will effect it has been running quite regularly and it may be possible will reduce the necessity of some of the night work. At all events, if it is pumping four times as much water as the old one did, there must be a saving somewhere especially since the placing of meters has had a tendency to cut down the consumption of water.

The tax-payers will look with interest to the development of the experiment and none will join more heartily in acknowledging the good efforts of the committee, when

In this connection it is interesting to note that the pump alone is delivering 295,200 gallons per day. This great quantity of Charley Harris, of Baltimore, are Bellefonte boys water, divided up among the residents of who are getting along nicely, but still have a Bellefonte, means 74 gallons a day to each hankering for the old home and were here for the one of them. Do you use 74 gallons?

-The Logan ball, on Wednesday night, was a grand success financially. There was a larger crowd present than ever before, but the diffidence of the guests about daucing seems to indicate that the rising generations do not care as much for that pleasure as they did years ago, when they would have whiled about the floor 'til broad day-light.

-A prisoner named Swartz, who had been paroled from the Huntingdon reform-

ness to him recently by robbing him and

-J. A. B. Miller Esq., of this place, is in the Bellefonte hospital to undergo an operation for appendic itis.

-The booking at Garman's for Wednesday night, January 7th, is "Because I Y. M. C. A. poked his nose inside the door and Love You."

is visiting Miss Grace Mitchell and several dinners that needed his attention before the close of the and dances have already been given in her honor.

-Quite a number of friends dropped in to spend few of the fast fleeting hours of 1902 with the WATCHMAN and leave a little nest egg for the coming New Year. Among them were Michael Hess, of Bellefonte, and Frank Emerick, of Nittany. Then of the teachers there were E. A. Zeigler, of Rebersburg; D. C. Caris, of Madisonburg; H. C. Brungart, of Wolf's Store; John F. Miller, of Potters Mills; C. J. Crouse, of Rebersburg, and E. C. Fye, of State College, a party of bright, intelligent young men who are making reputations for them. selves in the teaching ranks.

-The WATCHMAN office has been a very popular place during the past two weeks, for scores of people have called, either to exchange the usual Misses Daise and Alice Kuhn, Eleanor Freet and old and new year greetings or start the new on old and new year greetings or start the new on the road to prosperity by saving the fifty cents that the advance payment insures. Some were in town on important business, others merely on pleasure bent and others "just in for a little some thing to do." Among them were James Carner, Hublersburg; Samuel Garner, State College; J. C. Hunter, Fillmore; Miss Emily Knox, Buffalo Run: "uncle Jimmy" Waddle, Lock Haven; Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Ward, Pittsburg; R. D. Ardery, Martha Furnace; Chas. M. Laughlin, Snow Shoe Intersection; Mrs. W. R. Turner and daughter, of Unionville; Gotleib Hazg, Bellefonte; T. S. De-Long, Emporium; Harry McDowell, of Abdera; Samuel Charles, Milesburg; D. H. Bottof, State College; Henry Walkey and Hiram Lee, Belle-fonte, and scores of others who drifted in to help us kill time very pleasantly during the Holiday week. -F. A. Foreman arrived in town from Tyrone Monday morning to attend institute. He had spent Sunday with friends in that place and Mrs. Foreman will tarry there while he is doing his duty as a pedagogue. She will join him here on

Sale Register.

JANUARY 10th, on the Harshberger farm one mile east of Milesburg, 2 horses, 5 fresh cows, short horn bull, heifers, chester white brood sows, shoats, sheep and farm implements. Sale at 1 o'clock p. m. sharp. MARCH 18.—At the residence of H. T. McDowell, 4 m les east of Jacksonville, Marion township. Horses, cattle, sheep and hogs and farm imple-ments of all kinds. Large sale and will com-mence at 10 a. m. sharp. MARCH 257H. At the residence of James G.

MARCH 25TH. At the residence of James G Fortney about three miles east of Pine Grove Mills, horses, cattle Mills, horses, cattle, hogs, sheep, mowers, binders, grain separator, wagons, and all kinds of farm implements. Sale begins at 9 o'clock

Philadelphia Markets.

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

Wheat-Red	771/@791/
" No. 2	771/4@771/2 731/4@761/4
Corn -Yellow	55@551/2
" Mixed new	50@541
Oats	401/3@41
Flour-Winter, Per Br'l	9 6000 00
··· — Penna. Roller	3 10@3 95
-Favorite Brands	4 20 @ 4 35
Rve Flour Per Br'l	9 15 99 05
Baled hay-Choice Timothy No. 1 " Mixed " 1	13.00@18.50
" " Mixed " 1	13 50@ 16.50
Straw	10.50@16.50

Rellefonte Grain Market.

Corrected weekly by C. Y. WAGNER,

The following are the quotations up to six 'clock, Thursday evening, when our paper goes press : Red wheat, old.....

8 50 to 9 50 .\$6 00 to \$6 60

Bellefonte Produce Markets. Corrected weekly by Sechler & Co.

Potatoes per bushel Onions... Eggs, per dozen.... Lard, per pound.... Country Shoulders... Sides.... Hams... Tallow per pound Tallow, per pound. Butter, per pound.

50 75

tion he took the family back with him on Monday, much to the regret of their many friends here. -Our suspense was relieved, on Wednesday evening, when the "Institute Gang," headed by Al Pletcher and Chas. Moore, stormed the WATCH-

MAN office. We had been afraid that they were running away. The culprit stole a numgoing to forget their annual visit but when they ber of valuable papers, some cash and a reappeared, with an extraordinary large party, all volver. His description was telephoned was forgiven and a half hour of very valuable time wasted without a thought of regret. Be-

day, December 19th. His death was due all over the county, but he has not been

sides Pletcher and Moore there were Harry Leathers, of Snow Shoe; Ed Williams, of Boalsburg; L. H. Yocum, of Hublersburg, and Harry Yearick, of Nittany. Then Dave Foreman, of

of Centre Hall, dropped in and our little sanctum was crowded to the "standing room only" condition. In truth the crowd must have looked decidedly formidable for secretary Hindman, of the

fled incontinently.

Forge cemetery.

are his widow and several children.