

# Democratic Watchman

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## THINGS ABOUT TOWN AND COUNTY

Teacher's local institute begins in Rebersburg to-day.

Geo. E. French is the new postmaster at Moshannon.

Tonight "Two Little Waifs" will be the attraction at Garman's.

Lot Struble, of Zion, has been granted a pension of \$12 per month.

All the banks in Bellefonte were closed yesterday; it being Lincoln's birthday anniversary.

Prothonotary M. I. Gardner was hauled up during the fore part of the week with an attack of grip.

Twenty horses were sold at the Millheim horse sale on Tuesday, the average price being \$147.18.

Perry Alters, of east Bishop street, who has been quite ill with typhoid fever for some time, is convalescent.

Thomas Swartz, of Tusseyville, has purchased H. G. Miller's store at Rebersburg and will take charge of it soon.

J. Mitch Cunningham has his eye tied up as a result of having had a steel chip fly into it while at work at the scale works on Monday.

Next Monday night, Feb. 16th, "A Jolly American Tramp" comes to Garman's for one night. It will be the first presentation of the play in Bellefonte.

Thomas Moore, formerly in the F. P. Blair & Co., store in this place, is ill in Philadelphia; threatened with typhoid fever. He has been taken to a hospital.

DeLann Stewart's new home on Linn street is fast nearing completion. The remodeling is about done and the house will be ready for occupancy by the first of April.

Harry McManaway, of Millheim, was in town yesterday greeting his friends. He expects to move to Wolfe's Store in the spring and will embark in the mercantile business there.

Tuesday evening, February 24th, the Grand Concert Co. will sing in Petriken hall. It is another of the W. C. T. U. attractions and as they have all been fine this winter something good may be looked for in this one.

The social in the High school this evening should be well attended. The Juniors are arranging every detail for the comfort and pleasure of their guests and a nice time is to be had. The Bellefonte orchestra will be there.

Samuel Bowmaster, a teamster employed at The Pennsylvania State College, was taken to the Altoona hospital, on Monday afternoon, suffering with crushed hips and chest, as a result of having been caught between a door and a load of lumber he was hauling.

The Thespians, the dramatic organization of the students of The Pennsylvania State College, will not take a trip this spring. They will play "A Night Off" at the College and repeat it again at commencement time, as has been their custom in past years.

On Monday morning Roy McCallmont began work at his new position as book-keeper in the office of the J. H. Lingle foundry and machine shop. Phil D. Waddle was taken off the C. R. R. of Pa. as messenger and given charge of the American Express office and Ed. Robb, a brother of ex-recorder Nelson Robb, was made messenger to succeed Mr. Waddle.

The Rev. Thomas Perks, of the United Brethren church, performed the ceremony that united Mr. Harry Karstetter, of State College, and Miss Julia Watson, of Snow Shoe, in marriage. They were married at the parsonage in this place at 4 o'clock Friday afternoon, in the presence of only a few of their near relatives. After a delightful wedding trip Mr. and Mrs. Karstetter located at State College, where the groom is in business.

V. J. Bauer, upon whom has fallen the management of the affairs of the Brockerhoff estate in this locality, has narrowly escaped an attack of spinal meningitis. On Monday he and George Cunningham drove over to Spring Mills to look after a farm. Before starting Vince had complained of not feeling well. Arrived at that place he became much worse and they started to return as early as possible. At Centre Hall he suffered almost a collapse and it was under the greatest difficulty that Mr. Cunningham was able to get him home. He is much better now and has probably passed the danger point.

Archibald Allison met with an accident, on Saturday evening, that is likely to confine him to his home for several months. While on his way home to supper he was near the Presbyterian church, on Spring street, when he slipped on a bit of ice and fell, striking his face and knee on the hard ground. Fortunately there were some friends nearby, who assisted him into a passing conveyance and he was taken home. Upon examination physicians found the cap of his right knee to be broken. It is a square fracture and easier to reduce than if it had been shattered. It is, nevertheless, a very serious injury. Mr. Allison will be taken to the best specialist who can be found just as soon as he can be gotten ready for traveling.

## FOUR VENERABLE CITIZENS GONE.

Within the past week Rebersburg and Aaronsburg have lost four of their oldest and most highly esteemed residents. From the former place Reuben Gramley and Nathaniel Bowersox have gone to join the great majority; from the latter Henry H. Weaver and A. J. Sylvis have departed, never to return.

Mr. Gramley was a son of Philip and Barbara Gramley and was born Dec. 7th, 1830. On December 18th, 1856, he was married to Miss Anna Wolf, who survives him with the following children: Clark, of Rebersburg; Mrs. Luther Guisewhite, of Harrisburg, and Mrs. George Ocker, of Lewisburg. Deceased had been in failing health for some time so that his death, which occurred last Friday, was not unexpected. Funeral services were held on Monday morning, with Rev. Harman, of the Lutheran church, of which he was a consistent member, officiating.

The death of Nathaniel Bowersox occurred on Sunday morning as a result of a stroke of paralysis with which he was prostrated on the 31st ult. He was 67 years, 5 months and 13 days old and was a very well-known resident of Miles township; having been overseer of the poor at the time of his death. Surviving him are his widow and nine of their eleven children, two having died in infancy. Rev. Buck, of the Evangelical church to which he was devoted, officiated at the funeral, which was held yesterday morning. His children are Mrs. Mary A. Bierly, of Reserve, Kansas; Mrs. Emma E. Bressler, Rebersburg; Mrs. Ida V. Bair, Smullton; Floyd E., Spring Mills; Allen E., Hiawatha, Kansas; William, Falls City, Neb.; Clement H., Dunlap, Iowa, and Mrs. Tammie E. Lamey, Green Burr, Pa.

The venerable Henry H. Weaver passed away at his home in Aaronsburg, on Tuesday morning, after an illness of about five weeks with kidney trouble. He had reached the ripe old age of 80 years and died in full fruition of an honorable, christian life. In his active years he was a man of much influence and usefulness in that community. He was a veteran of the civil war; having served with distinction for four years with the 148th P. V. Twice married, his second wife survives him with these children: C. A., of Coburn; Mrs. Oliver Wolfe, of Wolf's Store; Mrs. C. C. Bell, Huntingdon; Geo. J., Margaret and Thomas C., of Aaronsburg. Rev. B. R. Sheeder, of the Reformed church, will conduct the funeral services this morning.

The death of A. J. Sylvis, which occurred on Friday, removed a very highly esteemed old gentleman. He was 75 years, 11 months and 25 days old. Deceased was a veteran of the civil war; having been a corporal of Co. D. 21st Reg. Ohio Vols. when mustered out. Six sons preceded him to the grave, leaving only his widow and two children surviving. The latter are J. P. Sylvis, of Oak Grove, and Mrs. Henry Kreamer, of Aaronsburg. Funeral services were held at his late residence on Monday and interment was made at Aaronsburg.

REV. JOHN A. DE MOYER.—Rev. John A. De Moyer, one of the best known of the older ministers in the Central Pennsylvania Methodist Conference, died suddenly at Trevorton, Northumberland county, on Tuesday. He is well known in this county, where in the early days of the church he was a much beloved circuit rider.

After several years of retirement from active ministerial work, De Moyer applied to the conference in session here last March to be placed on the active list again and he was given the Trevorton appointment where he was working away when death came to call him to the reward that awaits all the faithful workers in the Master's vineyard.

The deceased was born at New Berlin, Pa., and was converted at the age of 16 years. He began preaching in 1851, his first station being Middleburg. During the year which followed he served many appointments, among the number being Penn's Valley, Warriors-mark and Half Moon. Manor Hill, Sunbury, Hontzdale and Duncannon. He was pastor of the Methodist Episcopal church at Hollidaysburg—1877-79. At the time of his death he was pastor at Trevorton. He was an earnest expounder of the Gospel and a man whose life was an example for others to follow.

HARRY S. ROSSMAN.—After an illness that had extended over a period of sixteen months Harry S. Rossman passed away at the home of his mother, at Nittany, on last Friday. Deceased was about 45 years of age and was held in high regard for his many estimable qualities by the people of that community. At his funeral the Nittany band, of which he was an active member, turned out as an organization and played several selections appropriate to the sad event.

Meadville R. Blowers died at his home in Philipsburg on Tuesday morning, after an illness extending over a period of two months. Though his condition was regarded as serious the fatal ending was not expected. Deceased was a young man of good habits and pleasing disposition. For some time he had been an employe of the Platt-Barber Co. in Philipsburg and was held in high regard by his employers.

Mrs. Elizabeth Greth, who died at her home in Philipsburg last Thursday, after a long illness of Bright's disease, was a daughter of the late Bernard Laub, of Howard, and was born at that place about 51 years ago. Her husband and five sons survive her. The body was taken to Howard for burial on Monday.

MRS. LOUISA CALHOUN.—Mrs. Louisa Calhoun, who has been a resident of this place for some years but who is better known to most of our people through her kinship to the Beaver, Hayes and Orbison families, passed away on Tuesday morning at the home of Miss Sarah Hagerman, on Linn street, after a long illness. Mrs. Calhoun was eighty one years of age and had been much of an invalid for months. Indeed it was only because of the constant devotion and loving care of her daughter, Mrs. Atwood, and the services of good nurses that her life was prolonged as it was.

Mrs. Calhoun was a native of Huntingdon and is the last of William Orbison's family which many years ago was one of the most prominent and influential in the Juniata valley. One sister was married to the Hon. Hugh McAllister, of this place, and died many years ago. Another sister, Mrs. Ellen Harris, died in Venice a few weeks ago. A brother, Rev. James Orbison, was the husband of Mrs. N. D. Orbison, of Curtin street, and the late William P. Orbison, of Huntingdon, was a leading member of the Huntingdon county bar. Mrs. Calhoun's husband, Samuel Calhoun, died about 1883 and since then she and her daughter, Mrs. Emma Atwood, have spent most of their time in this place. She was a very gracious woman, cultured and intelligent, but her innate gentle disposition and quiet retired life gave little opportunity for the beauty of her character to be known beyond her home and family circle.

Funeral services were held at the Hagerman home on Linn street yesterday afternoon, at 3 o'clock, by the Rev. Dr. Laurie and this morning her body will be taken to Huntingdon for interment in the family burying ground.

John Hicklin, who died in Dr. Keen's private hospital in Philadelphia, on Friday, from the effects of a cancer of the throat, was a resident of Philipsburg. He was born at Unionville about 55 years ago and was a son of the late Isaac Hicklin. His wife, who was Miss Lucy Snyder, of Klyertown, survives, together with one daughter, Miss Pattie. He also leaves two brothers and one sister, viz: Harlan, of Pittsburg; Eos, of Mt. Eagle, and Mrs. Sue Trippe, of Duluth, Minn. Interment was made in Philipsburg on Monday.

The Hon. Wm. Jennings Bryan is to lecture in Altoona this evening.

"Two Little Waifs," one of Carter's plays, is booked for Garman's tonight.

Grand chief Stahl, K. G. E. of Pennsylvania, will visit the Madisonburg castle on the evening of the 20th.

G. W. Wolfe's stove mill, one mile north of Fiedler, was totally destroyed by fire on Saturday morning. The loss will run up to \$4,000, with no insurance to offset it.

Another of Lincoln J. Carter's prodigious feats will be seen at Garman's tonight. This time it is the "Two Little Waifs," an entirely new thing in Bellefonte. It is of the same character of plays as "The Fast Mail," "Side Tracked" and others that have been presented here under the Carter management.

The Patricolo Grand concert, the 5th entertainment of the Star course, will be given Tuesday evening, Feb. 24th, in Petriken hall. Signor Patricolo is world renowned as a musician and he has a fine company to add variety to the evening. Remember the date, Feb. 24th.

We heard a lady remark, the other day, that Lyon & Co. have "some of the prettiest dress goods I have ever seen in their store." They are advertising it strong now and it might be worth your while to drop in early and look over the spring and summer advance lines they are showing.

Col. D. F. Fortney is to address the eighth annual convention of the school directors of Pennsylvania, now in session in Harrisburg. His subject will be: "The increase of the appropriation has occasioned the decrease of the tax levy in certain districts—The evil and the remedy." He left yesterday morning for the capital city.

The Christian Endeavor society of the Presbyterian church in this place, once the strongest christian organization among the young people of this community, was re-organized on Sunday evening, with the following officers: President Mr. Charles Gilmore; vice president, Mr. David O. Eters; recording secretary, Miss Grace McBride; corresponding secretary, Miss Bess Musser; treasurer, Miss Mary H. Linn.

J. W. Russell, formerly a resident of Aaronsburg, this county, met with a horrible accident at his home near Red Top, Union county, last Thursday evening. While helping his farm hand to place a heavy timber in the straw shed it fell, striking him on the head, crushing his skull so badly that he died the next morning. Mr. Russell was about 55 years old and is survived by his widow and two daughters.

Somebody who is looking for a nice opportunity to go into business might find something to interest them in the G. W. Rees grocery store in the Eagle block. Mr. Rees' appointment to the deputy revenue collectorship has made it impossible for him to attend to his business here so he is offering his store for sale. It is a nicely equipped, well located business and would be very profitable in the hands of some person who would give it personal attention. If you are looking for a nice business location or want to get a good grocery to locate somewhere else you should correspond with Mr. Rees.

THE BELLEFONTE GLASS WORKS CLOSED INDEFINITELY.—On Saturday what was probably the last blowing that will be made for some time at the factory of the Bellefonte Window Glass Co. in this place was made. Already many of the men have scattered in search of employment, some of them to Arnold, some to Jannette some to Kane.

There were various reasons for the closing of the factory. Coal has been hard to get all winter, what has been secured has been of such an inferior quality that regular heat with which to make good glass could not be maintained and over above it all the price has been so high that the Bellefonte factory could not compete with others where low priced fuel is to be had; especially when the glass it had to offer was also inferior, because of the poor coal. President John Knisely did everything in his power to keep the factory going, but when it finally came to be a losing proposition he decided it was better to close than to run the risk of losing all the men had worked so hard to save during the years since the factory started as a co-operative plant.

While there is very little hope that the factory will resume again during this fire, the men who have already left have done so with the understanding that they will return at once, if sent for. If it remains out of blast until next fall there is a danger of its never being put in again. Such an eventuality would be a great loss to Bellefonte, and it should be averted if possible. If we are to lose the scale works in the spring, we cannot afford to lose the glass factory also. In fact we don't want to lose either one of them, but the glass works will be easier to retain, since it is purely a Bellefonte concern.

The real underlying trouble with the factory is that it has an old-fashioned pot furnace and has been operated at a great disadvantage in product and price, when compared with the modern tank furnaces. While we have no authority for the statement it is quite probable that if Bellefonte business men want the well paid, liberal spending glass men here much longer it will be necessary for them to make some arrangement to help put in a tank at the Bellefonte factory within a year or so.

PHILIPSBURG TO HAVE ITS ELECTRIC STREET CARS AT LAST.—After many years of hopefulness and despondency Philipsburg now bids fair to have an electric street car line in operation before many months. The business men of that town, headed by John G. Platt, James Passmore and O. L. Schoonover, have taken the matter up and raised enough money to buy the franchise of the old corporation, so that matters are assuming such a tangible form that unless some unforeseen difficulty arises it will not be long until trolley cars are running on Presqueisle, Ninth, Laurel and Front streets and continuing out into the country as far as Hawk Run, Morrisdale, Munson and Winburne.

The company is selling 5 per cent. gold bonds with interest guaranteed from the date of receipt of subscriptions and already there are thirty-six subscribers. John G. Platt is the president; O. L. Schoonover, vice-president; James Passmore, treasurer, and H. B. Hartwick, secretary.

The board of directors includes O. L. Schoonover, C. H. Rowland, H. M. Hughes, James Passmore, Jacob Swires, George W. Haworth, J. H. Tarnbach, C. E. Murray, A. J. Graham and John G. Platt.

Those thus far interested are hopeful of the good effect the road will have on Philipsburg business interests. It will bring a thickly populated district into quick access to the stores in that place and it is also expected that many people now residing in the various mining settlements will move into the larger town, since they will be afforded a cheap and frequent means of transport to and from their work.

A SURPRISE.—There are ninety-seven men at work at Lingle's foundry and machine shops in this place. Not one in ten of the WATCHMAN readers would have guessed that there were more than twenty-five or thirty.

Here is an industry that has belonged to Bellefonte so long that it has always been accepted as part of the regular order of things, but since it has passed into the sole ownership of Mr. J. H. Lingle it has grown into such proportions that it must be given a new place in our industrial rating. The growth has gone on so quietly that few people are aware of the scale upon which the plant is working. Every department is being run to its capacity; especially so the foundry, where tons and tons of castings are being made for the Pennsylvania railroad shops at Altoona.

The machine shop, which has lately been equipped with several of the finest lathes made and other modern machines, as well as its own electric lighting plant, is now about as complete as any shop outside the great ones in Philadelphia and Pittsburg. There have been enlargements and extensions in every direction and just as soon as spring opens work is to be begun on another large addition to the foundry department. A new building is to be erected just west of the present foundry so as to practically double the output there.

Another the Lingle shops are about as busy a place as a WATCHMAN representative has wandered into for some time. There are nearly one hundred men on the rolls there, a fact which few people have knowledge of because Mr. Lingle has been too busy guiding the growth of his business to waste much time telling the public about it.

A meeting of the Aid society of the Bellefonte hospital will be held this afternoon at 4 o'clock at the hospital.

Their eight children and thirteen grand children attended the thirty-seventh anniversary of the wedding of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Twitmyer, at the parental home at Pleasant Gap, on the 1st.

One hundred and two conversions are the result of a splendid revival that Rev. Edgar Heckman has been conducting in the Methodist Episcopal church at State College for some weeks.

## News Purely Personal.

Jacob Bettorff, of Lemont, was in town on business yesterday.

James A. McClain, of Spangler, was in town on business on Saturday.

Paul Fortney, principal of the school at Hall fax, is home for a few days nursing a bad cold.

Sam Taylor, of Pittsburg, spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Taylor, on Spring street.

W. S. Zeller went down to Lock Haven on Sunday morning to spend the day with his sister in that place.

Miss Mary H. Linn left yesterday afternoon for a three weeks' visit with friends at Bryn Mawr and Harrisburg.

Mrs. Forest Ocker, of Lamb street, spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bierly, in Rebersburg.

John Whippo, a son of Walter Whippo, of this place, who is now in the P. R. E. employ at Wilkesburg, spent Sunday at his home here.

Harry McDowell, of Abdera, was in town on Tuesday attending to a few matters pertaining to the big sale he is going to have next month.

Miss Emma Aiken went up to Pine Grove Friday evening to assist Mrs. C. T. Aiken receive at a church function held at her home there that evening.

Miss Bess Gibson, who had been the guest of Miss Romie Van Pelt, at the home of Mrs. Rachel Harris, on Curtin street, returned to her home in Williamsport, on Monday.

Miss May Judge, of south Thomas street, went to Altoona Sunday afternoon, and is spending the week with friends in that city. On Tuesday she was a maid at a wedding in that city.

Mr. Herman Holz, with his daughter Miss Edith, Mrs. Emil Joseph and her son Edmund, returned from quite an extended trip to Philadelphia, New York and Boston, on Friday evening.

Rev. Dr. W. P. Shriver went down to Harrisburg, on Monday evening, carrying with him a long petition to the Legislature against the passage of the bill to repeal the present Sunday laws.

H. O. Johanna, of St. Louis, Mo., who is associated with a number of Bellefonte gentlemen in the development of Missouri zinc propositions, is in town for a few days as the guest of J. C. Meyer Esq.

Wm. Breen, one of the nicest old gentlemen who live within a radius of three miles of town, called on Friday and sent the label on his page flying along for three hundred and sixty-five days.

Wibur F. Harris, of Harrisburg, is at his home in this place for a few days preparatory to making a business trip through the county for N. L. Hench & Co., with whom he is now associated in business.

Miss Bertha Vallmont, after a pleasant visit with her sister Miss Grace, at Rock View, left Monday morning for a short stay with friends in Mifflensburg and Snow Shoe before returning to her home in Driffting.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Schaeffer left for Philadelphia on Tuesday and after spending a week with their daughter Helen, in that city, they will go to Scranton to keep the Coolidge home open while Dr. and Mrs. Coolidge are in California for a month.

Our old friend Michael Sennet, of Runville, dropped in for a few moments' pleasant chat on Saturday. He seems to keep his health first rate, though his eyes have been troubling him so much of late that he is fearful of losing the sight of them entirely.

Wm. M. Furcy, of Pittsburg, who has the distinction of having written more business for the Berkshire Life Ins. Co. than any other agent in the field, was an arrival in town on Monday. He came on to pay a policy of \$6,138.72 to the estate of the late Gen. Hastings.

D. C. Krebs, of Pine Grove Mills, was in town on Monday on business. Mr. Krebs is the present tax collector of Ferguson township and since his retirement from the mercantile business, two years ago has been devoting his time almost exclusively to the office.

Miles Hall, of Union township, was in town yesterday attending to some business for his mother, Mrs. Sara J. Hall who still lives at the old homestead along the Alleghenies. Miles is at home yet and is one of the stand-bys in operating the big farm their late father left.

The Misses Christine Blanchard, Jean Furst, Romie Van Pelt, Martha McIntire, Ann Harris, Mary Weaver, Elizabeth Brown and Bess Gibson, with Thomas Weaver, John Curran and Maurice Jackson attended the Beta Theta Pi fraternity dance at State College Friday evening.

Mrs. Lewis Bolopue with her children are at the home of A. S. Smith, on Thomas street, where they are awaiting the arrival of Mr. Bolopue, who is bringing their furniture and other things on from Guthrie, Oklahoma. He lately purchased a farm near Howard and is moving back from the land of the boomer.

Geo. W. McWilliams Jr. was in town on Monday looking after some big contracts for underwriting which Barnell, Cowley & Co., of Altoona, are trying to land in this place. George is a son of G. W. McWilliams, of Ferguson township, and is doing well in the insurance business in the Mountain city.

Mrs. Levy Johnson left for Chicago on Monday noon after a two weeks visit at the Shortridge home on Thomas street and with other of her old friends in town. On her way west she stopped in Johnstown to spend part of the week with Dr. Nell Meek, and from there she is going to Aspinwall to stay until Sunday.

Miss Blanche Cook, a daughter of A. J. Cook, of Linn street, departed last week for quite an extended western tour. In Chicago she will be met by her uncle George Cook, who will accompany her to his home at Phoenix, Arizona, where she will visit for awhile and then continue on to the coast for a round of the California resorts as his guest. She expects to return late in the spring.

A party of old friends met in this place on Saturday and spent the night and Sunday together in the delightful way that was their custom when all were younger and had fewer of this world's cares resting on them. There was W. E. Tyson—Billy—who is now a banker in Tyrone; Edw. Shaffer—Shaf—the head of a big clothing establishment at Hanover; Charles Levan, who is the leading tailor in Altoona; Hard P. Harris and Phil D. Waddle. They are all singers and as all of them enjoy music their principal diversion was trying out good old songs and choruses.

One of the most pleasant social gatherings of the season took place at the Methodist parsonage at Milesburg Thursday evening, Feb. 5th. It was a dinner party given by Rev. R. H. Wharton and his estimable wife and daughter May, in honor of the official board of the Methodist Episcopal church of that place. It was also Rev. Wharton's 63rd birthday and on this occasion, to show the appreciation of his services as their pastor and the high esteem in which he is held by the members of his church, he was presented by the official board, in an appropriate impromptu speech by C. H. Else, a handsome Morris chair. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Wm. B. Miles, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Eddy, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Zettle, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Else, Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Haupt, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Fisher, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Knarr, Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Miles, Mr. and Mrs. John E. Miles, W. T. Fulton, W. R. Campbell, Mrs. Kitchen, Rev. Crouse, Evangelical minister at Milesburg and his wife, Miss Meda Bryan, Miss Anna Shroyer, Miss Myrtle Shields and Miss Ella Zettle.

SALONA HAD A FIRE.—Between 1 and 2 o'clock Saturday morning the large dwelling house in Salona occupied by John Lear and owned by I. C. Stover was discovered to be on fire. Lear's family were at Mill Hall spending the night and he was at home alone, consequently very few of his household goods were saved. The fire is supposed to have caught from an overheated stove.

Both the owner and the occupant were insured up to nearly their full loss.

Arthur Holloway, of Salisbury, Md., was electrocuted at Schenectady, N. Y. last Friday. He was in the testing department of the General Electric Co. and in some way came in contact with a powerful electric current. The young man was a son of Rev. Holloway, of the Lutheran church, and was a graduate of The Pennsylvania State College.

L. C. Bullock, the Milesburg carriage builder and inventor of the famous Bullock combination porch and lawn swing and roller chair, has just been allowed another patent which greatly improves his invention and makes it more marketable than ever. Mr. Bullock expects to push the swing business on a large scale this season.

Mrs. Catharine Curtin, who had been quite ill during the fore part of the week, has so far recovered as to entirely relieve the alarm felt by her many friends.

## Sale Register.

MARCH 16th.—Mrs. M. E. From will sell of the Patton farm in Centre Line. Horses, cattle, shoats and all kind of farm implements, all good as new. Sale 10 a. m.

MARCH 3rd.—At the residence of J. A. Strunk, at Pleasant Gap, horses, cows, a lot of especially fine shoats, implements, etc. Sale at 10 o'clock a. m. Wm. Goben, Auc.

MARCH 3rd.—On the Loughery farm 2 miles north of Unionville. Horses, cows and farm stock and farm implements of all kinds. Sale at 1 p. m.

MARCH 16th.—At the residence of D. F. Footman 1/2 mile west of Runville, 4 horses, 7 cows, 15 young cattle, 15 sheep, lot of hogs, farm implements of different kinds and household goods. Sale begins at 10 o'clock. Joseph Neth, auctioneer.

MARCH 18.—At the residence of H. T. McDowell, 4 miles east of Jacksonville, Marion township. Horses, cattle, sheep and hogs and farm implements of all kinds. Large sale and will commence at 10 a. m. sharp.

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

MARCH 26th.—At the residence of G. W. Keich line, 1 mile north of Rock Spring in Ferguson township. Horses, cows, young cattle, implements, household goods etc. Sale at 10 o'clock a. m. Wm. Goben Auc.

## Philadelphia Markets.

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

Wheat—Red	80 1/2
"—No. 2	76 1/2
Corn—Yellow	54 1/4
Oats	36 1/2
Flour—Winter, Per Br	2 7/8
"—Penna. Roller	3 1/8
"—Favorite Brand	3 1/8
Rye Flour Per Br	3 1/2
Best Hay—Choice No. 1	14 00/100
"—Mixed "	14 00/100
Straw	10 50/100

## Bellefonte Grain Market.

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

Red wheat, old	72
New wheat	70
Rye, per bushel	56
Corn, shelled, per bushel	50
Corn, ears, per bushel	50
Oats, old and new, per bushel	35
Barley, per bushel	50
Ground Plaster, per ton	8 50 to 9 50
Cloverseed, per bushel	\$6 00 to \$6 60
Timothy seed per bushel	\$5.20 to \$3.60

## Bellefonte Produce Markets.

Corrected weekly by Seehler & Co.

Potatoes per bushel	50
Onions	10 15
Eggs, per dozen	23
Lard, per pound	12
Country Shoulders	10
Sides	10
Hams	12
Tallow, per pound	4
Butter, per pound	25

## The Democratic Watchman.

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Papers will not be sent out of Centre county unless paid for in advance.  
A liberal discount is made to persons advertising by the quarter, half year, or year, as follows:

SPACE OCCUPIED	3m	6m	1y
One inch (12 lines this type)	\$ 5	\$ 8	\$ 10
Two inches	10	15	20
Three inches	15	20	25
Quarter Column (3 inches)	12	20	30
Half Column (6 inches)	20	35	55
One Column (12 inches)	35	55	100

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