

Democratic Watchman

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THINGS ABOUT TOWN AND COUNTY

Caucus Meetings.

The Democratic voters of Centre county will meet in their respective districts not later than Saturday, Jan. 23rd, 1904, to nominate persons for the several precinct township, ward and borough offices. Notice of time and place for holding said caucuses will be given by the precinct committees.

H. S. TAYLOR,
County Chairman.

—359 marriage licenses were issued in this county during 1903.

—Miss Louise Armor is quite ill at her home on east Linn street.

—Wilbur F. Hall is the newly appointed postmaster at Howard.

—Edward Cowdrik is preparing to move his family to Niagara Falls.

—Thermometers stood at 0° in Bellefonte on Sunday evening at 9 o'clock.

—Revival services began in the Methodist church in this place on Saturday evening.

—Mrs. Clay Witmer, of east High street, is suffering with neuralgia of the heart.

—More snow fell in this place on Wednesday than during all the rest of the winter combined.

—Local teachers institute for district No. 1 will convene in Aaronsburg for sessions today and tomorrow.

—A party of young people from State College sleighed down to the home of Wm. T. Miller, in this place, on Friday night.

—The Bellefonte Central was so badly drifted yesterday morning that the regular train could not get in to Pine Grove at all.

—Though not nearly completed the Phillipsburg trolley line has been averaging a thousand fares a day, since the cars were started.

—The Centre county friends of A. S. Beach, of O-reola, will be glad to know that he has been made superintendent for Mr. H. Liveright, the extensive coal operator.

—Persons interested in Sunday school work will find a review of the lessons for next Sunday and the Sunday following, with some very helpful hints on both, on page 2 of this issue.

—John Guisewhite was taken to Philadelphia on Friday to enter St. Luke's hospital for treatment for injuries sustained while working in the Lingle foundry here some time ago. Frank Dawson accompanied him.

—When "Miss Bob White" comes to town next Tuesday night you will have the opportunity of seeing exactly the same show that you would pay \$1.50 to see in Philadelphia. Don't object to paying \$1.50 to see it when it is brought to your very door.

—The Williamsport High school team and the Bellefonte Academy will open the basketball season in the armory here on Saturday evening. A fine game is expected as the teams are supposed to be quite evenly matched. The admission will be 25c.

—The Free Methodists at Valentines iron works are holding a very successful revival service and quarterly meeting will begin this evening when presiding elder Rev. A. Bean, of Brockwayville, will be here. He will also preach, both morning and evening, on Sunday.

—Ellis White, of Ax Mann, a carpenter for the Standard Scale Co., who went with the other employes to work at the new plant at Beaver Falls, is at home critically ill of typhoid fever. He contracted the disease while in Beaver Falls and resigned his position at once to come home.

—The "Luse Manufacturing Co." is the new name that has been given an organization of Centre Hall men who have rented the idle foundry buildings in that place and will start to manufacture the Centre Hall corn planter, feed cutting boxes, land rollers and hydrants. J. W. Shook is president, D. F. Luse vice president, L. L. Smith secretary and treasurer.

—A student named Snodgrass at The Pennsylvania State College who boards at the hotel there went out of his room Monday morning, leaving his lamp burning. It exploded later setting the room afire and only its early discovery saved the last hotel State College from destruction. As it was the room was badly damaged.

—The Bellefonte Ministerial Association held its regular meeting on Monday afternoon at the rectory of St. John's Episcopal church. Rev. Father Converse, of Boston, who had been here for a special service at St. John's on Sunday, addressed the association on the "Oath of orders for the observance of special religious life in Anglican communion."

—It was little wonder that with all the mince pies, candies, nuts, egg-nogs, etc., of Holiday week that we should have gotten so tangled up that we mistook Mrs. Harvey Shaffer, of Bellefonte, for Mrs. N. E. Hess, of State College, and given Mrs. Shaffer the credit of being the mother of Mrs. Hess' little boy and Mrs. Hall Hot-tel's little daughter, but we did it, all the same, and want to apologize right here.

FELL UNDER HIS TRAIN AND WAS KILLED.—It is sad indeed to record the tragic death of Will Cherry; for a more genial, whole-souled, always happy young fellow never lived in Bellefonte. Strong and handsome in physique, with all the possibilities of young manhood before him, his life has been snuffed out in a twinkling, leaving his parents to mourn a son of whom anyone might have been proud.

He had been employed for nearly two years as a brakeman on the local freight running between this place and Sunbury. On Monday the train was on the return trip and had reached the siding at Zerby, a water station near Spring Mills, where a flying switch was to be made. Will was on the engine and in jumping off to turn the switch for the draft of four cars following he was either thrown or slipped and fell with such force against the switch block as to render him insensible and his body bounded back along the track just as the cars reached the spot. It is not known whether the wheels passed over him or whether he fell close enough along the rails to be caught and dragged by the journal boxes. At all events he suffered a fracture of the skull, several scalp wounds, a broken arm and lacerations over the abdomen. His body was picked up and brought to Bellefonte on the afternoon passenger train. It was taken to Nagney's to be prepared for burial and later was taken to the parental home on Valentine street.

William F. Cherry was the youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Cherry. He was born at Harrisburg just 21 years ago and came here with his parents when they located here after his father became the engineer on the passenger run out of Bellefonte via the L. & T. He was a member of the Brotherhood of Brakemen and of the Young American Republican club, both of which organizations attended the funeral in a body as a mark of respect to a member who was an honor to both. He is survived by his parents and the following brothers and sisters: Samuel, of East Stroudsburg; Mrs. Laura Dawson, Philadelphia; John, Melvin, Minnie and Annie, all of this place.

Interment was made in the Union cemetery yesterday morning; after Rev. John Wood, of the Methodist church, had conducted services at his late home on Valentine street.

A MYSTERIOUS DEATH AT STATE COLLEGE.—State College was thrown into a furor of excitement Wednesday morning when it was announced that David Bailey, aged 58 years, had been found dead at the bottom of the stairs in Carrigan's boarding house in that place. He had been employed on the construction of the new buildings at the College and as general utility man about the boarding house and his death was so peculiar that coroner Braucht was called to sit inquest.

Bailey had been drinking to excess and, it is presumed, fell down stairs during the night, dying of concussion of the brain. Mrs. Carrigan is said to have seen him lying at the foot of the stairs when she went down to get breakfast, but supposing he was asleep did not disturb him. Later someone else looked at him, discovering that he was dead. A physician was hastily summoned, but life had been extinct for some time. He was lying with his body on the floor and his feet and legs up on the steps, a small bruise on the back of his head being the only mark visible.

The coroner's inquest revealed very little of importance in the case and the verdict was to the effect that he had met death from natural causes.

Last year Bailey worked for J. B. Goheen at Penna Furnace. He was a son of the late Richard Bailey and had a brother Samuel, who died some years ago.

SMALL-POX AT HOWARD.—The town of Howard is having its share of trouble and excitement over the discovery of a case of small-pox there last Tuesday.

Hubert, a fourteen year old son of Wm. Hanna, who had been ill since New Years day, finally got so bad that Dr. McEntyre was called in and diagnosed the case as small-pox. The place was quarantined at once and everything possible is being done to prevent the spread of the disease, though up to the time of its discovery the Hanna children had mingled freely with their neighbors.

The first rumors that were afloat were to the effect that one of Mrs. Carrie Wensel's children was also affected, but this has been contradicted.

As a result of the small-pox the schools at Howard have been closed and the home of Mrs. Carrie Wensel, in Howard, and a Mr. Walker, of Marsh Creek, are under quarantine because the families had visited the Hannas shortly before their infection was discovered.

There was considerable discussion among the physicians as to a case in the family of James Hayes, which was finally pronounced to be chicken-pox.

No one has any idea where young Hanna could have contracted the disease, unless it was from some visitors from Pittsburg who were at their house during the holidays.

The school directors association of Centre county which usually meets during institute but was postponed this winter on account of the gathering of that body in Phillipsburg, will convene in the court house here on Thursday, Jan. 21st, at 10 o'clock. Three sessions will be held that day and one on Friday. The speakers will be Supt. Jas. M. Conklin, of Wilkes-barre; J. M. Berkey, of Johnstown; Drs. T. S. Christ and H. S. Braucht, Senator W. C. Heintz, J. H. Beck, N. T. Krebs, G. W. Rumberger, D. K. Keller, Col. Austin Curtin, C. T. Fryberger, Geo. W. Fisher, J. R. Brungart, D. F. Fortney, W. S. Glenn, P. J. McDonald, Eli F. Townsend, John T. Fowler and Dr. D. F. Bowersox.

—On Friday and Saturday, February 5th and 6th, a farmer's institute will be held in Rebersburg.

—Andrew Lucas, who had his back broken by a fall of coal at Munson two weeks ago, died in the Cottage hospital, at Phillipsburg, Monday morning.

—Charles Dewey, a telephone line-man, is ill at his home at Chester Hill, of small-pox. He was in an infected house at Barnesboro a week or so ago and caught the disease.

—Let us give "Miss Bob White" a crowded house next Tuesday night and let us urge manager Gaitman to have his house both clean and warm so both the company and the audience will enjoy the play and feel like going back again.

—It is gratifying to note that in the great shaking up Clearfield county's new judge gave the liquor license people last week E. C. Rezer, the young Bellefonter who went over to run a hotel at Peale, had no trouble in getting a renewal. Judge Smith was very strict, but Ed is running his place properly and there was no complaint to speak of.

—The prices for "Miss Bob White," next Tuesday night will run from 25c to \$1.50. It will be a great opportunity for Bellefonte people to see a good show at Garman's and you should not miss it. There is a chorus of fifty voices, with a full orchestra and great wealth of scenery.

—The Continental hotel in Phillipsburg, that had only lately been remodeled and refurbished, caught fire on Thursday afternoon and was badly damaged. The fire started on an upper floor and before it could be extinguished had burned through several rooms and a large portion of the roof. Most of the damage was done, however, by the water.

—If "Miss Bob White" isn't about the best show of its kind that has ever appeared at Garman's then we'll have to agree with Governor Pennypacker that the newspapers of the State ought to be muzzled. Dorothy Hunting and Frank Deshon are stars of the first magnitude and there are forty or fifty other good ones in the production besides them.

—A farmer by the name of Gramley who went from this county to farm the Tomb farm near Jersey Shore, was put in jail at Williamsport last week for having assaulted Grier Foreman, a grandson of Mrs. Tomb. The two men got into an altercation as to whether the water from a wind pump should be run to the house or the barn and Gramley dealt Foreman a powerful blow on the nose that fractured the frontal bone.

—The marriage of Miss Blanche A. Shultz, of Bellefonte, to Mr. Chas. W. Henderson, of Washington, D. C., was celebrated at 7:30 p. m., Tuesday evening, January 12th. The ceremony was performed at the parsonage of the United Brethren church, by the Rev. O. W. Bortner. After a trip south Mr. and Mrs. Henderson will be at home to their friends at 49 U. S. N. W. at Washington, D. C.

—The new Phoenix pumping station has not been in use since Sunday morning because some repairs are being made to the water-wheel shaft, the flume and the dam. While the present low condition of the water is such that the pump cannot be run up to its full capacity throughout an entire day, yet during the hours that it can be run it has been demonstrated that as much water is delivered to the reservoir as the steam pump averaged per day over a period of three months.

—The Centre county association of Philadelphia has issued invitations for the banquet it will give at Dooper's hotel in that city on the evening of February 9th. A general invitation is extended to gentlemen to be present and those intending to do so must signify their intention by advising Dr. S. Gray Mattern, 1015 North 44th St., Philadelphia, not later than Jan. 25th. The subscription is \$2. The banquet committee comprises Ira D. Garman, Thomas Foster, L. Olin Meek, Max Liveright and Wm. T. Meyer.

—Mr. Henry W. Peacock, who fell from his office window in the seventh story of the Reading terminal in Philadelphia, and was instantly killed on the marble floor below, was well known in the Phillipsburg and Clearfield local regions where his firm, Peal, Peacock & Kerr and later the Beech Creek Coal and Coke Co., is an extensive operator. Mr. Peacock had thrown the window up to let a little fresh air in when a card case he held in his hand accidentally fell out. One of his clerks started down to recover it and in looking out of the window the unfortunate man's feet slipped on the polished floor and he fell out.

—"Miss Bob White," a comedy opera by William Spencer, whose "Little Tycoon" and "Princess Bonnie" are still whistled and hummed in every household, has in his third opera Outspensered himself. Messrs. Nixon & Zimmerman, the famous magnate who will present the Spencer opera at Garman's on Tuesday night, Dec. 19th, have given that work the most complete, luxurious and surreptitious mounting ever accorded a Spencer opera. It is complete, delightful and picturesque, but not overdone nor overdone and the lavish expenditures have been for the talent and not for tinsel, which together with the meritorious book and melodious music, are a triumvirate hard to beat.

MRS. WILLIAM J. GIBSON.—Mrs. Elizabeth Murray Gibson, wife of the late Dr. William J. Gibson, the well-known Presbyterian minister, died at the home of her sister, Mrs. John B. Mitchell, at Pine Grove yesterday morning. Mrs. Gibson had been in failing health for several years with bronchial trouble and during the summer and fall spent some months in Pittsburg being treated by a throat specialist. She was not benefited, however, and upon her return home it was realized that she was in a very serious condition although her death was not anticipated nearly so soon. Funeral services will be held on Monday but the hour will not be decided upon until the arrival of her sons.

A daughter of Wm. and Margaret Huey Murray, Mrs. Gibson was born at Pine Grove Mills, sixty some years ago. After the civil war she was united in marriage to Rev. Wm. J. Gibson, D. D., who was then preaching at Pine Grove. After his death she resided at State College and later at Washington, Pa., until her boys had finished school. Then she returned to Pine Grove, where she was greatly beloved and revered. A lovelier woman than Mrs. Gibson was it would be difficult to find. Bright, gentle and thoroughly alert to the needs of humanity, she was a power for good in every community in which she lived. In her home and social relations she was ideal and as for the Presbyterian church at Pine Grove it has lost its most aggressive and earnest worker. She is survived by her only sister, Mrs. Polly Ann Mitchell, with whom she has spent many years of her life and to whom her death is an irreparable loss, and two sons, Robert and William, of Pittsburg.

ONCE A WELL-KNOWN RESIDENT OF CENTRE COUNTY.—There are many old friends still living in this county who will learn with regret of the death of Mrs. Eleanor P. Logan, which occurred at the home of her daughter, Mrs. L. M. Corwin, in Sunbury, on the 11th of last October. She had been bed fast for three years and a-half as a result of a very severe attack of grip and her going out was as peaceful and calm as her life had been.

Mrs. Logan was Ellen Anderson before her marriage to Roddy Logan, who died in Harrisburg, while waiting for his discharge at the close of the war. She was born at Ax Mann 88 years ago last May and spent most of her early life there and at Howard. Of her twelve children eight are dead, seven of them lying side by side in the cemetery at Jacksonville. The story of her early life is one of constant trials and sadness, though sustained by a strong faith in Jesus—she lived to see brighter days, when the children who were spared to her were able to make her declining years one of contentment and ease. She was buried at Emporium, where her son John D. Logan, has resided for many years.

MRS. NANCY JANE LEATHERS.—Mrs. Nancy Jane Leathers, relict of Theodore Leathers, who died about seven years ago, passed away at her home at Mt. Eagle, on Monday evening, after an illness of about three weeks with dropsy.

Deceased was about 65 years old and a member of the Disciple church and interment was made after services were held there yesterday morning at 10 o'clock.

Surviving are the following children: James A. and Ambrose, of Wilkesding; Theodore, Mt. Eagle; Mrs. Wm. Kachelreid, of Shamokin; Mrs. Melvin Smith, of near Pittsburg; Mrs. Joseph Henry, of St. Louis, Mo.; Mrs. Roy Eldred and Mrs. Joseph Gummo, of Mackeyville; and Miss Mabel at home. Also two step children, Mrs. L. M. Tobias, of Woolrich, and Tarleton Leathers, at home.

ALBERT WILSON OAKWOOD.—Who was well-known at State College, where he graduated in 1900, died at the home of his aunt in Washington, on Tuesday evening of last week after a two years illness of constitutional tuberculosis. Funeral services were held at the home of his parents in Tyrone, on Friday afternoon and interment was made at that place. He was 27 years of age and shortly after graduating, while working as a mechanical engineer in Youngstown, Ohio, he was taken with malarial fever which was the beginning of his illness. Afterward he went to Colorado and New Mexico but all to no purpose and at the time of his death was on his way to Pine Crest, N. C. He is survived by his wife, who was Mary Jones King, of Pittsburg, his parents and four brothers.

MRS. MARY LOSE.—Mrs. Mary Lose was stricken with paralysis at her home in Snyderstown, on Sunday evening, from the effects of which she died the following Monday night.

Though her daughter Bertha, who is about to graduate from the Williamsport training school for nurses, hurried home to render every care possible the good woman was beyond aid and passed peacefully away.

Before her marriage she was a Miss Guiser, a sister of John Guiser, of Mingo, Pa., and has many relatives and friends throughout the county who will be sorry to learn of her death.

—F. A. Shirck, aged 86 years, died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Perry Coppelin, near Phillipsburg, on Friday evening. He was born in Rush township and all his life was spent in that vicinity. His surviving children are John D., Sinnamoning, Pa.; Wm. T., Runville, Pa.; Harry, Perry and Mrs. Hooven, of Curwensville, Pa.; and Geo. M., and Mrs. Coppelin, of Phillipsburg. The body was taken to Unionville on Tuesday, for interment.

MRS. ISAAC NOLL.—At the advanced age of 75 years Mrs. Isaac Noll passed peacefully away at her home at Pleasant Gap on Wednesday evening of last week, after almost a year's illness of heart trouble. Deceased was the widow of Isaac Noll, who with his brother Samuel was killed near Lauvertown in an accident in 1877. She is survived by the following children: James Horner, Potter's Mills; George, Henry and Charles, of Lauvertown; Hannah and Harvey, of McBride's Gap; Mrs. Harry Haag, Annie, Celia and Mrs. R. W. Markle, of Bellefonte; Mrs. Green Heaton, of Shiloh. One daughter, Sara, died in 1873.

Interment was made from the Lutheran church at Pleasant Gap on Sunday afternoon. The Rev. Dr. H. H. Holloway, of this place, officiated.

MRS. SARAH RISHEL.—Mrs. Sarah Rishel, the widow of Joseph Rishel, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Carrie Cain, in George's valley, on Friday of last week.

She was 70 years, 8 months and 18 days old and is survived by six daughters and seven sons. Funeral services were conducted by the Rev. Reark, assisted by Dr. Wolf and Rev. Bierly, on Tuesday morning. Interment was made at the Cross church.

News Purely Personal.

—Will Wharton spent Sunday with friends in Phillipsburg.

—J. P. Sebring Esq., of Loverville, was in Bellefonte on Tuesday.

—Jake DeHaas, of Howard, was in town on Tuesday on business.

—J. Thomas Mitchell Esq. spent Sunday with his brother in Lewisport.

—Miss Fink, of Mahaffey, is visiting Mr. Joseph L. Runkle, in this place.

—Miss Esther Campbell, of Pittsburg, is visiting friends at her former home here.

—J. T. Lucas, the Moshannon merchant and lumberman, was a Bellefonte visitor on Tuesday.

—Mrs. H. S. Braucht, of Spring Mills, and Sumner Muser, of Aaronsburg, were Bellefonte visitors on Tuesday.

—Miss Theresa Peters, of Philadelphia, is visiting her sister, Mrs. C. K. Kleckler, on east Logan street.

—Miss Anne Lyon is home again after a visit with friends in Tyrone, Harrisburg and Philadelphia.

—Miss Margaret Thomas, of Linn street, returned to Wilson college, at Chambersburg, on Wednesday.

—Col. Austin Curtin is again at his home in Roland, after quite an extended stay in Philadelphia and New York.

—Mrs. Herman Holz and Mrs. Emil Joseph left for New York yesterday morning to spend some time with relatives there.

—Mrs. James Schofield returned home, on Monday evening, from a very delightful two week's visit with friends in Philadelphia.

—The venerable Frederick Bartley came up from his home in Roland on Tuesday to visit the family of his son George in this place for a day or so.

—Mable Otto, a daughter of Hamilton Otto, returned home Friday evening from a visit of a month with her sister, Mrs. William Smith, in Johnstown.

—Mr. and Mrs. Lee Larimer, of Jersey Shore, who had driven up to spend Sunday with the former's parents in this place, drove back on Monday afternoon.

—Miss Leah Daggett has returned to her home in Muncy, after spending the holidays with her uncle's family at the Bush house. She went Monday noon.

—Wm. Foster, of Sunbury, sleek, loquacious affable as ever, was a Bellefonte visitor on Saturday on his way to State College to spend Sunday with his brother, the Hon. Bob.

—George G. Hastings, whose farm up along "the run" has come to be one of the principal live centres in the county, was in town Monday looking after some business matters.

—Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Fenton and Judge and Mrs. Love went to Pittsburg on Monday to be present at the marriage of their niece, Miss Lucetta Brew. They returned Wednesday.

—Jake McClelland, the Hon. Wm. Kepler's right hand man and main stay of the big farms up in Ferguson township, was in town on Saturday and remained over Sunday with friends here.

—Wm. B. Miles, the Milesburg merchant, was in town on Saturday and laughingly remarked that "Old Bill had better get square," with the WATCHMAN. And being square with everybody seems to be "Old Bill's" as he called himself—long suit.

—Burd Butler was in town on Tuesday and remarked, incidentally, that it has been suggested that the post-office at Howard be put on wheels so that it will not be so much trouble carting it around to the new postmasters who are appointed so frequently.

—The Hon. J. T. McCormick, local manager of the United Telephone Co.'s operations, dropped in on Tuesday morning for a little chat and to say that ere long his company will have their service in the county improved to such an extent that it will be unsurpassed.

—Mrs. J. N. Brooks, of Pleasant Gap, was among the Saturday shoppers in town. Being a temporary widow, because Mr. Brooks' business keeps him away from home so much of the time, it becomes necessary for her to take most of the family business in hand.

—C. L. Gramley and Al. Fletcher met in this office yesterday morning while waiting on belated trains. As both are interested in educational work they entertained themselves until Al. started in to sell the County Superintendent a harvest, then they parted company.

—Samuel Felty, a retired employee of the P. R. Co., was in town on Wednesday afternoon on his way to Lemont, where he will visit his brother Adam at "the Branch." Later the brothers will take a trip to Lewisburg, Harrisburg and their old home in Lebanon county.

—Mrs. John W. Simonton, who had been visiting Gen. and Mrs. Beaver in this place, returned to their home in Harrisburg on Saturday. She was accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert A. Beaver and their daughter, of New York, who will spend the rest of the winter in Harrisburg.

—J. Craig Hunter, of Fillmore, was in town on Monday making a few purchases for the household. Since Mrs. Hunter's serious illness all of the work has devolved on him and while he is not one of the kind who would shirk any duty yet he would be a very happy man if Mrs. Hunter were well.

—Jay Bricker, of Half Moon, was in town yesterday in consultation with F. H. Clemson concerning their farms up the valley.

—The Hon. J. W. Kepler was in town on Tuesday looking up things politically a little. He was laid up all last week with an attack of tonsillitis.

—Blair Alexander, of Unionville, was in town yesterday morning and reported that the roads up his way are badly drifted and almost impassable.

—Conrad Miller, the mason and future lime operator, dropped in yesterday morning to leave a little of the needful. He said their work down on the Uhl farm is tied up "tighter 'n wax" by the cold weather.

—Mr. and Mrs. John Porter Lyon, little Miss Deborah and baby George and his nurse, who have been staying at the Mitchell home on north Thomas street since the latter part of October, returned to their home at Pennsylvania Furnace yesterday afternoon. Mrs. Lyon is just recovering from a severe relapse following her recent illness and her mother, Mrs. Mitchell, is so much better that she is now able to sit up of every day.

—Hiram Lee, who farms several miles below Bellefonte, and is one of the kind of men who contributes much to the high standard of Centre county husbandmen, was in town on Tuesday making a few preliminary preparations for his sale on March 8th. After it is over he is going to move to Kansas, where he expects to make his home in the future—and, by the way, Mr. Lee has a team of fine dnd driving horses that someone needing such a team would do well to look up.

—Rev. Father Zarek, of Clarence, with Mr. John Garnda, the teacher of the parochial schools out there, was in town last week visiting Rev. Father McArde. The church at Clarence has grown wonderfully under Father Zarek, who is an accomplished linguist and gathers together the many nationalities represented in that mining district. In addition to his church work he has organized the parochial schools, where hundreds of foreign children are taught the rudiments of English, as well as the duties of good citizenship, and for those whose days are spent in toil in the mines he has organized night schools, that are well attended.

—Rather a strange thing happened in Bellefonte on Tuesday. A full grown, fine looking gentleman who has lived all his life in Phillipsburg paid the country seat his first visit. Just why he came at all no one seems to know unless it might have been the new trolley over there that scared him out on the hunt of a quiet place to live. However, he was in good company, for we noticed D. W. Holt, sporting a natty looking new brown overcoat, and still overflowing with the good humor that the ten teachers he entertained brought into his home during institute week, greeting him around. Smiler Batchelor, was in their wake, too, and what the milliner doesn't know wouldn't fill the last page of a Dutch almanac. Smiler was feeling a little proud, too, over the trolley, but he didn't act too grand to recognize his old Bellefonte friends.

—Quite up-to-date in everything else the Mallory Studio has issued a series of very pretty souvenir post-cards of Bellefonte. They are popular views about the town and make quite an appropriate card to send to a friend in distant parts; if only to carry the impression that we have; quite as many beauty spots as other places.

—995 feet of good lumber was sawed from an apple tree cut on the Benj. F. Stover place in Haines Twp., last week.

Ear, Eye and Nose Specialist.

G. W. Furcy M. D., of the University of Michigan, and Will's Eye Hospital, Philadelphia, has opened an office in Bellefonte. His practice is limited to diseases of the eye, ear, nose and throat and chronic diseases of the alimentary canal. He can be consulted at the Brockerhoff house Saturday to Monday of each week.

Sale Register.

MARCH 8th.—At the residence of Hiram Lee about 3 miles east of Bellefonte on the Milliken farm on the Zion road and 4 miles northeast of Pleasant Gap 5 work oxen, 2 good stock bullocks, young cattle, sheep, 19 hogs, implements, gears, new corn drill, new spring wagon. As I going to move west all my household goods will be offered at the sale. Sale at 9 a. m. A. C. McClintock, Auc.

MARCH 8th.—At the residence of Henry Campbell on the Shugert farm on the 1st of February at Pleasant Gap, Horses, Cows, Young Cattle, Implements, Household Goods. Sale at 10 o'clock a. m. Jos. L. Neer, Auc.

Philadelphia Markets.

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

Wheat—No. 2 85 1/2 @ 86 1/2
" " No. 3 85 1/2 @ 86 1/2
Corn—Yellow 49 1/2 @ 50
Oats 46 1/2 @ 47
Rye—Winter, Per Br 3.30 @ 3.50
" " Spring, Per Br 3.10 @ 3.20
Baled Hay—Choice, No. 1 10.00 @ 12.00
" " Mixed 11.00 @ 12.00
Straw 9.00 @ 12.00

Bellefonte Grain Market.

Corrected weekly by C. Y. WAUGHAN.
The following are the quotations up to 11 o'clock, Thursday evening, when our paper goes press:

Red wheat 80
Rye, per bushel 56
Corn, shelled, per bushel 56
Corn, ears, per bushel 56
Oats, old and new, per bushel 36
Barley, per bushel 36
Ground Plaster, per ton 8 50 @ 9 50
Buckwheat, per bushel 40
Cloverseed, per bushel 20 @ 25
Timothy seed per bushel 22.00 @ 22.25
Butter, per pound 22

Bellefonte Produce Market.

Corrected weekly by Sechler & Co.
The following are the quotations up to 11 o'clock, Thursday evening, when our paper goes press:

Potatoes per bushel new 75
Onions 75
Eggs, per dozen 32
Lard, per pound 30
Country Slicanders 10
Sides 10
Hams 12
Tallow, per pound 12
Butter, per pound 22

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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 3in 6in 1y
One inch (12 lines this type) 5 1/2 @ 8 1/2
Two inches 7 1/2 @ 11 1/2
Three inches 10 1/2 @ 15 1/2
Quarter Column (5 inches) 12 1/2 @ 20 1/2
Half Column (10 inches) 22 1/2 @ 35 1/2
One Column (20 inches) 35 1/2 @ 100 1/2

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Local notices,