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THINGS ABOUT TOWN AND COUNTY

-- Pawnee Bill's great wild west show will be here on May 10th.

-Mrs. Catharine Hardesty was admitted to the Bellefonte hospital Tuesday

-The horse sale at Millheim Monday attracted unite a number of persons from this place.

-There is but one case of small-pox about Howard now. It is that of Mrs. George Barrett.

-Will Rees, a son of G. W. Rees, of this place, has secured a position in the post office at Patton.

-Rev. W. B. Cox, the new Evangelical minister in this place, has been quarantined on account of diphtheria.

-Remember, the Howe moving picture show will exhibit at Garman's tomorrow night for the benefit of the Logans. ----Special services will be heldlin St. Paul's A. M. E. church of this place by the G. U. O. O. F. on Sunday evening.

-Have you secured seats for the Howe moving picture show at Garman's tomorrow night. It is the best one on the

-Harry Diehl, of this place, and Miss Pearl M. Green, of Columbus, Ohio, were married in Pittsburg on Thursday of last week.

-Well-for fine clothes, mail carrier Ed. Woods has Solomon "skinned to death" priest's house but the priest was not there. and don't you think Ed. don't know it -This afternoon Susquebanna Univer-

sity and the Bellefonte Academy base ball team will play on the glass works lot. Admission 25cts. -Ed Musser, of Millheim, was arrest-

ed for having three trout under 6 inches long in his possession and he had to pay a fine of \$30 for them. -In the final basket ball game of the

season, last Thursday night, the Academy team defeated the Bellefonte Athletic club players by the score of 15 to 12. -Monday morning was one of the

weather man still knows how to make spring weather, when he wants to. -Miss Joanna Reagan, formerly of

Snow Shoe, has graduated from the training school for nurses in Buffalo and is now practicing her profession in that city. -Hi Henry and his famous minstrels

are coming to town next Friday. Old Hi usually presents about the best there is in the minstrel line, as well as a hand orchestra far above the average.

-A public meeting is to be held in Clearfield town soon to talk over the advisability of having some sort of a demonstration to celebrate the one hundredth anniver sary of the county's erection

-Mrs. Isaac Mitchell, who has been ill ever since last fall, suffered a relapse on Wednesday, but happily it was only of temporary duration, and she was reported as being much improved again last evening.

-Miss Rebecca, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Miller, of Valentines iron works, was married to D. M. Sharer, of Zion, on Tuesday afternoon. The ceremony was performed at the home of Rev. Mumma.

-The sale of the Jenkins Iron and Tool Co's properties at Howard took place on Monday. The property was knocked down to Harry Keller, attorney, presumably for Mr. John Jenkins, of Milton, at \$5,900, subject to two mortgages:

-Joseph Gingher, a moulder at the Lingle foundry, has been very ill at his home on Willowbank street for some time. It is feared that he hurt himself internally by lifting, for on Monday he had a hemorrhage that lasted eight hours, and since that time he has had several lighter ones.

- A carload of machinery for the new canning factory in Howard has arrived and will soon be placed in position. Last week twenty-two bushels of seed sweet corn were received by W. H. Long for distribution among the farmers who intend growing truck for the cannery.

-J. August Fries, who has been doing the greater part of the work with the interesting respiration calorimeter at The Pennsylvania State College agricultural experiment station, has been granted a year's leave of absence and will go to Bonn, Germany, where similar work is being carried on. While abroad he will visit his old home in Sweden.

--- The Centre county contingent for California departed on Wednesday. Among the tourists were Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Buddinger, of Snow Shoe; Mrs. C. T. Aikens. of Pine Grove Mills; Mrs. George C. Butz, of State College; Rev. and Mrs. John A. Wood, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Crider, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Shuey, Miss Ella Twitmire and Miss Rebecca Rhoads, all of this place.

-The annual birthday anniversary party given by Mrs. Mary Ann Johnson at her home on Linn street, on Tuesday evening, eclipsed all of her former entertainments, no matter how elaborate. Nearly a hundred of her women friends gathered to enjoy the affair. Ceader was the caterer. Mrs. Johnson received quite a number of valuable gifts, among which was a handsome Morris chair.

CHARGED WITH MANSLAUGHTER .-Quite a sensation was caused in this place Monday morning when it became known that Rev. Father Victor Zarek, priest in charge of St. Michael's Catholic church at Clarence, was in the county jail, charged with manslaughter. He had been brought to this place between 1 and 2 o'clock that morning by constables W. B. Hall and George Lucas.

The story of the crime for which the man of the cloth was culpable under the law was circulated on the streets that day about as follows :

"Andrew Sofka was a young Hungarian about 16 years of age. He was the only support of a widowed mother and was em-He was a member of Father Zarek's church at Clarence, but of late had not been atago Sunday the priest met the boy's mothlot near his residence and taking a broom handle called the boy to him and asked but they did not satisfy Father Zarek and he beat him severely. Sofka's injuries were so severe that he died on Sunday afternoon shortly after dinner. Dr. R. J. Young was the attending physician and shortly before the young man died he made priest struck him thirty times over the head and shoulders and then kicked him in the intestines.

Sunday afternoon a warrant was sworn out for the arrest of Father Zarek and it was placed in the hands of constable W. B. Hall who at once proceeded to the After searching the place he went to the residence of George Cachick, a Hungarian, and there found his man. This was about 9 o'clock Sunday evening. He in company with George Lucas brought the priest to jail."

This story was based largely upon the boy's aute-mortem statement and while the facts in general were true it became evident to every reasonable person that they must be greatly distorted, for where is the boy who would count the lashes he was receiving while being chastised.

This improbable statement, alone, even if Father Zarek had not been known to be kind that made you understand that the a man of many good qualities, would have militated against the first story of brutal inhumanity on his part. The result of the inquest that was held Monday afternoon by coroner Huff disclosed the real facts in

Sofka was a bad boy and had become so incorrigible that his mother could do nothing with him. Whereupon she called on the priest to aid her in his correction. The oom-stick with which he is supposed to have been clubbed turned out to be nothing more than an ordinary switch such as was used in Father Zarek's school at all any other external evidence of abuse was found on the boy's body.

After holding a careful autopsy the coroner's jury rendered a verdict to the effect that Sofka had came to his death from the effects of peritonitis brought about by appendicitis. Dr. Neff, of Snow Shoe, said that the boy had had several attacks of the trouble to his knowledge. Of course it is possible, though scarcely been caused by a blow in the abdominal was received.

AS TO THE ACCUSED MAN. While it is not the intention of the WATCHMAN to attempt a justification or defense of Father Zarek's act we feel that it is due him that the public should know all the particulars of the case.

He is a man of about 35 years of age and came to the vicinity of Clarence years ago. At that time that community was rampant with lawlessness and disorder. Being a foreigner himself and also able to speak many languages fluently he soon began to wield a powerful influence over student in the P. R. R. passenger service the foreign miners who swarm that region. A great church was built and something like fourteen hundred souls were gathered into it. Sunday schools were organized and day and night schools both flourished under personal supervision of the voung priest, whose energies seemed to know no end in their labors for the good of his flock. We recall several pleasing talks with him when he outlined his ideals of what the foreign boys should be and the foremost of them was that he intended educating them to become "loyal, true Americans." He seemed to have a peculiar delight in helping them along and on another occasion when a train on which he was to get home was delayed in leaving this place he came to this office to telephone to some of his pupils who were being taught at night that they should wait for him, that he would surely get there in time to have part of their lessons.

All of this is published, not to create sentiment for the priest, but merely to show that a man whose heart is evidently so good ought not to be condemned until he is proven guilty of something. It was only a week of more ago that he was buying balls and bats by the dozen in a Bellefonte store in order that "the poor boys" of his parish might have something to play with. dents. It will be on a line and east of the And for all anyone knows Sofka might have main building and about opposite the been playing with one of these gifts at the physics and chemistry laboratory. very time he was called to book for not having properly respected his mother's wishes or his duties to the church.

HABEAS CORPUS PROCEEDINGS. On Thursday afternoon Father Zarek proceeding brought by his counsel A. O. 28th, aged 81 years, 9 months and 14 days. Furst, to show cause why he should not be released from the custody of the law.

District Attorney Spangler opened the proceedings on behalf of the Commonwealth and asked that the prisoner be released from custody. He stated that the result of the coroner's inquest and most careful investigation into the case had led him to believe that there was nothing for which the young Priest could be indicted.

Judge Furst then addressed the court on behalf of his client; stating that he desired to make a full and complete stateployed as a miner in the Sugar Camp mine. ment of the case in order that the public might know the truth and become cognizant of the great injustice that has been tending Sunday school regularly. A week done to father Zarek. He stated that all of the five physicians who were present at er and asked her in regard to the matter. the inquest were ready to testify that there She said the boy refused to go and she was not an external evidence of mal-treatcould not make him attend. On last ment to be found on the boy's body, that Thursday morning it is reported that the death had been due to appendicitis, that priest saw the boy playing ball in a vacant | the boy's mother had requested Rev. Zarek to help her discipline him and that such action was in entire accord with the rules him why he did not go to Sunday school. of their church. In conclusion he read the The boy gave his reasons for staying away, | verdict of the coroner's jury and asked for the discharge of the priest.

The court at once made a ruling releasing Father Zarek from the custody of the sheriff and in an instant the bar of the court bouse was converted into a reception hall. Friends crowded about him on all a statement in which he alleged that the sides, eager to congratulate him and assure him of their faith in his innocence. Quite a number of his fellow priests were waiting on the outside of the court house and as soon as he appeared they joined him and retired to the parish house of the Catholic church on Bishop street, where the afternoon was spent.

> Father Zarek returned to Clarence last evening.
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> It is said that there is an element in the vicinity of Clarence who are antagonistic to the priest because his advent there has a people honourable, honest, esteemed. meant so many reforms and robbed them of a rich field of plunder hitherto found

among the ignorant foreigners -Tomorrow night the Howe moving nictures will be the attraction at Garman's. They are reported to be the best of their kind on exhibition anywhere.

-McOnistion & Co., the carriagemakers, have a new advertisement in this issue. It is important that you see, for they offer buggies at ridicalously low figures and the McQuistion buggies are always of the best.

-The attraction at Garmans for Friday night, May 6th, will be Hi Henry's minstrels. It goes without saying that it is a good one, for the famous old manager and cornet virtuoso wouldn't travel with a show that apologies need be made for.

-A horse owned by George W. Herr, of Salona, had to be killed as a result of a had it out on a common grazing when the horse playfully ran onto an old bridge that times. Furthermore not a single mark or gave way under its weight, breaking its right fore leg below the knee.

-Reports from Joseph Green, who with his brothers, has been running the mill at Clintondale for some time are to the effect that he is doing a fine business and turning out better flour than ever, not to mention those Plymouth Rock chickens that are his special pride and glory.

-With Pawnee Bill's and the Walter probable, that the peritonitis could have L. Main shows coming into Bellefonte within ten days of each other our people region of the appendix, especially if there can prepare to witness a billing war. had been adhesious there at at the time it Every inch of blank wall will be plastered with flaming posters and where there are no such available natural bill stands temporary ones are being erected.

-Rev. Dr. E. J. Gray, of the Dickiuson seminary at Williamsport, who recently submitted to a second operation for appendicitis, is now much improved and on the way to complete recovery, a bit of news that will be very gratifying to many WATCHMAN readers who are friends of the popular teacher and preacher.

-Howard W. Pletcher, formerly a at this place, was married to Miss May Bell Sechrist, of Evansville, on Saturday. Since leaving here Mr. Pletcher has been in the employ of contractor Prior as a paymaster, but he expects to accept a position as a ticket agent in the Union station at Pittsburg upon their return from the honeymoon.

NOTES FROM STATE COLLEGE. - No more chance now for the "boys" at State College to upset things generally by stealing "old Bobby Barr's" watch or turning its hands back a couple of hours so that he could not ring the bell on time. We wouldn't have thanked the Senior class of our times to have shown the philanthropy that the class of 1904 now are in erecting a clock in the cupola of the College, which clock shall mark time so accurately and constantly as to preclude any discrepancy in watches, bells, etc. The clock will have four six foot dials and is costing the class eight hundred dollars, exclusive of the carpentry work given by the college, which will make the total cost about one thousand dollars.

On Tuesday the executive members of the board of trustees of the college selected the site for the new building planned to accommodate at meals nine hundred stu-

The minstrel show which is becoming an annual feature in the entertainments at the college, will be given in the old chapel, Friday evening, May 6th.

DIED .- Mrs. Rebekah Thomas Burnside, wife of the late Thomas Burnside, at her was brought into court on a habeas corpus home on Curtin street, Thursday, April

> "Twilight and evening bell, And after that the dark! And may there be no sadness of far ewell When I embark

For tho' from out our bourne of time The flood may bear me far. I hope to see my Pilot face to face

When I have crost the bar.'

Full of years, surrounded by most loving and devoted children, the closing of Mrs. Burnside's life was peaceful and happy as ever Tennyson hoped for himself in "Crossing the Bar!" To one who has lived eighty-one years death seems "But as a tide that -

Turns again home.

To say that one has lived eighty-one abund ant years seems to declare the success of a life, for as Drummond expresses it "The best test of life is living." The word abundant seems especially applicable to Mrs. Burnside's life, as its pleasures were not always unmixed with sorrows, its comforts not without cares and its many years spanned more radical experiences than we, of a later generation, can imagine.

Born in the family of a country doctor. rich in ancestors and pretty daughters, she had all the pleasures then incident to such surroundings and while the ideal, healthy. unselfish, beautiful country home-life of the early nineteenth century is but hearsay to most of us it was real experience to Mrs. Burnside and doubtless laid the foundation for the kind, affectionate charitable disposition, which combined with a characteristic wit and humor, made her the lovely woman with hosts of friends. whose companionship and hospitable home we all so much enjoyed. She appreciated the fact that to be kind is to be remembered in all the coming years! If, as is said, one's generation is declared by the general bent of the life and actions it is almost unnecessary to say that Mrs. Burnside came of

Her grand-father Dr. John Purdue, was one of the notable men of this community in the early days of the century. Her maiden name was Rebekah Thomas, a daughter of Rev. George and Sara Purdue Thomas and she was born near Bellefonte July 13th, 1823. On Oct. 11th, 1854, she was married to Thomas Burnside, Jr., a son of the Hon. Thomas Burnside, their wedding having been celebrated at the old mountain home which was then a veritable mecca for the society of the entire county and is yet maintained in the family name. Mr. Burnside was for many years a prominent business man of this place. He died at Ironton, Mo., Nov. 7th, 1884, being at the time in charge of the general land office at that place for the United States govern-

Their surviving children are William. Mrs. Harry C. Valentine and Edgar T., of this place. Thomas, S. Cameron and Geo. T., died some years ago. Mrs. Burnside's brother, Col. Geo. W. Thomas, also survives.

The passing of Mrs. Burnside means the loss of another of the generation that gave our town the indefinable atmospherecharm, culture. hospitality or whatever it is-for which it has always been pre-eminent. It means more than that to many, as it is the loss of a devoted mother, a staunch and loved friend, a very gracious and desirous to-be-tried hostess and will mark the passing of a home that has many years been a most pleasant and important factor in the social life and history of Bellefonte. Funeral services will be conducted at her late home on Curtin street Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock by the Rev. George srael Brown, rector of St. John's Episcopal

church, of which she was a member. John Carrigan.—Yesterday morning John Carrigan, possibly the best known character about State College, passed away, from the effects of tuberculosis, superinduced by an attack of erysipelas he suffer-

ed about three weeks ago. Deceased was about 68 years old and is survivedby his widow and the following children: Arthur, John, Paul, James, Daniel and Edith. One daughter died in

"Johnny," as he was most familiarly alled, was a man who occupied a most unique position about the great institution of learning. Without education or special training he was endowed with a natural gift for landscape effects and to this peculiar accomplishment much of the beauty of the campus of the college is attributable. As an overseer of men he had marked ability and was regarded by the trustees of The Pennsylvania State College as one of the nseful and indispensable employees about that institution. He was a member of the Catholic church. Up to the time of going to press with this edition no arrangements had been made for the funeral.

JASPER W. STOVER .- One of Milheim nost prominent citizens and business men passed away at his home in that place or Sunday evening at the age of 49 years and week with appendicitis and an abdominal abcess when an operation was performed from the effects of which he was unable to

He was a son of Philip and Catharine Stover and was born in Haines township, where he spent his life until he entered a store in Millheim. Later he went into business for himself and was beld in high esteem by all who knew him.

Funeral services were conducted on Thursday morning and interment was made in Fairview cemetery.

Miles Walker, of Cato, died after an operation in the Lock Haven hospital on Monday. He was a brother of Mrs. Daniel McCloskey, of Prosserville.

DIED OF SMALLPOX .-- J. Marion Ayres most of the time but is now on a fair road Reformed church Tuesday morning. to recovery.

Both Marion and his father contracted the to survive the attack. He was a very exemplary young man, a member of the Philipsburg.

MRS. ELIZA J. BATHURST-Mrs. Eliza J. Bathurst, of Unionville, died suddenly at her home in that place on Friday morning. She was in pursuit of her domestic duties when her heart failed and the end came quickly to this most estimable woman. Mrs. Bathurst was born in Union township June 9th, 1831. Before her marriage she was Eliza Ammerman. She was first married to Geo. W. Barton and later to Lawrence F Bathurst, both of whom are

Surviving are her four children : Edward P., Mrs. Will Kephart, Myra and Joseph F., all of Unionville.

Rev. Piper of the Methodist church officiated at her funeral on Sanday morn-

-Frederick, the dear little 7 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sausserman, of Water street, died at their home Sunday afternoon from the effects of exhaustion. The little fellow had had diphtheria but was thought to have been about recovered when he suddenly collapsed and died. He had been up around the house and the usual fumigating had already been done preparatory to lifting the quarantine. Interment was made privately in the Union cemetery on Monday afternoon.

-Mrs. John Hosterman, aged 73 years, died at her home at Wolfe's Store, May 8th, the Rev. Dr. W. A. Stevens. on Thursday, after a long illness. Her former pastor of the church, will occupy remains were taken to Rebersburg, where services were held and interment was made. 15th, Rev. A. Davidson will preach in the

News Purely Personal.

-D. J. Kelley was in Tyrone on business on -Michael Segner, of Boalsburg, was in town or

business vesterday. -Mrs. A. S. Garman, of Tyrone, spent Tuesday with relatives in this place.

-A. H. Woodward Esq., of Clearfield,

-Mrs. Henry Stickler and her family left for their new home in Beaver Falls on Tuesday. -Miss Mary Ceader returned from quite an ex tended stay in Philadelphia on Tuesday even-

-Former judge Cyrus Gordon, of Clearfield, was a visitor in town during the fore part of the

-George Cunningham left for Pittsburg, Tuesday afternoon: having acce ol the hotels of that city. -Mrs James Kellerman and her daughter

Miss Louise, returned from Philadelphia on Sat urday evening. -After quite an extended stay with friends in Philadelphia Mrs. Edwin F. Garman is again at

her home in this place. -J. L. Tressler, of Linden Hall, was one of the crowd that braved the rain yesterday to attend the horse sale in this place. -Peter Collins returned to his home at St

David's, Pa., on Monday morning, after a brief visit with her sister, Miss Sarah Collins. -Michael Haves who has been laid up most of the winter, but is beginning to look like his old robust self again, dropped in for a little chat

-Mrs. Sylvester Mussina, of Williamsport, was an arrival in town on Monday; having come u because of the critical condition of her cousin, Mrs. Rebecca Burnside.

-D. W. Holt, of Philipsburg, spent Tuesday night as a guest at the Bush house. He was in town looking after the title to some property he has lately acquired.

-Mrs. Elizabeth Calloway left for Philadelphia on Wednesday morning, to be in the city where her daughter. Miss Louise, entered a hospital for treatment yesterday. -S. Cameron Burnside, who was in town for

few days on account of the serious illness of Mrs. Rebecca Burnside, left for his home in Philadel phia on Wednesday afternoon. -Mrs. George C. Butz, of State College, joined the "westwerd ho" party and left for Los An-

geles, Cal., on Monday. She traveled with Mrs. C. T. Aikens, of Pine Grove Mills. -John Jenkins Esq., of Milton, was in town on Monday and Tuesday; having come up for the sale of the property of the Jenkins Iron and Tool

Co., at Howard, in which he was interested. -Mrs. Aleida Snyder and her little daughter who had been here spending the winter with her mother, Mrs. Patsy Stewart, of Linn street, left for their home in Moscow, Maryland, on Wednes

- James R. Hughes went down to Philadelphi on business for the Academy on Tuesday. You need not be surprised if some of these many trips result in something great for our growing

-Among the gentlemen from various parts of the county who were in town attending court and found time to make a pleasant little call at the WATCHMAN office were Calvin Crouse, of Rebers burg, and S. R. Tweed, of Walker Two.

-J. A. Kelley, the Snow Shoe coal operator, vas in town Monday and dropped in for a little call. You needn't be surprised if Mr. Kelley's 28 days. He had been suffering for about firm has presented the Bellefonte hospital with a car load of coal some of these fine days; for they are that kind of people and the matter has been put up to them.

-George E. Lamb, Capt. Harry Simler, Geo. Park er and Capt. D. F. Copelin were among the Phil. ipsburgers who arrived in town Monday after noon. They all came over to attend court excep George Lamb. He is looking after the Republican nomination for Prothonotary and he knew right well where to come to get it.

-Mr. and Mrs. James H. Dumbleton, of Phi ipsburg, were visitors in town on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday. Mr. Dumbleton came over to back up his boys in a little law-suit they had here and Mrs. Dumbleton and her daughter, Mrs. Ammerman, concluded they might just as well make a family party of it, so they came along and spent the time while the men were in court visiting friends here, among whom is Mrs. D. F. Foreman, of north Spring street.

-Mrs. Eleanor Meyer, widow of the died at his home, Second and Maple late Jacob S. Meyer, of Penn township, streets, Philipsburg, on Sunday evening. | died at her home in that place on Saturday, Three weeks ago his brother George be- at the age of 76 years, 6 months and 22 came ill with smallpox and their home was days. She had been ill since 1900, sufferquarantined immediately. Marion and his ing from the effects of a stroke of paralysis. father remained in the house to nurse She is survived by her one son, Jacob S. George, who was in a precarious condition Mever. Interment was made at Salem

-While visiting at the home of Mrs. disease from George and owing to his run Amanda Miller, in Madisonburg, Mrs. down condition the young man was unable Mary A. Deibler, of Shamokin, became ill with cystitis and peritonitis and after an illness of about two weeks passed away on Methodist church and had many friends in Sunday. Deceased was 78 years old. Her body was taken to Shamokin for interment on Wednesday.

-Maude Hoovman, a daughter of J. R. and Anna Hoovman, died at the home of Daniel Engle, at Loganton, on last Friday. Deceased was just 20 years old. She was born at Millheim and her parents died when she was only a child. Interment was made at Loganton on Sunday.

THE OPERATION WAS SUCCESSFUL -- Several weeks ago the WATCHMAN published an account of a remarkable operation that was performed in Dr. McGirk's sanitarium in Philipsburg by which a cyst weighing 771 pounds was removed from Mrs. John Peters, of Wallaceton. It was especially remarkable because the cyst weighed more than the lady did after it was removed.

While Dr. Charles E. McGirk, the operating surgeon, stated at the time that in his opinion the patient would recover, yet it remained for time alone to reveal exactly what her condition would be. Last Friday evening she was discharged from the hospital and left for her home, entirely recovered.

-During the absence of Rev. Wood in California services in the Methodist church will be continued as usual. They have been partially arranged for as follows: Sunday, May 1st, Rev. J. E. Morris will preach in the morning and there will be a song service in the evening. On Sunday, the pulpit morning and evening. On May morning, Epworth League services in the evening. On May 22nd, Rev. Samuel Creighton will preach both morning and evening.

Geo. H. Musser is offering his farm, two miles north of Milesburg for sale. It contains ninety-five acres of ground, has never failing springs of water at house and barn and also a good flag-stone quarry. There are twenty five acres of fine white pine timber standing on the place. Mr. Musser will sell his stock and implements with the place, if the purchaser should want them. Here might be a bargain for some one wanting a nice little farm. POSTPONED.—The Sunday school insti-

tute that was to have been conducted in Petriken hall, in this place, on Monday, May 2nd, by Mrs. Kennedy of the state board, has been postponed for a week and the sessions will be held during the afternoon and evening of Monday, May 9th. Remember this institute is designed especially to help Sunday school workers and teachers and will be free of char ge. -Some oil men and capitalists are

leasing lands in the neighborhood of Philipsburg; with a view to drilling for oil and

-F. Galbraith has removed his jewelery store to east Bishop St. opposite Blackford's restaurant.

Philadelphia Markets.

The following are the closing prices of the Philadelphia markets on Wednesday Corn - Winter, Per Br'l.

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