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THINGS ABOUT TOWN AND COUNTY

Sheriff Taylor has now but three regular boarders in the bastille on the hill.

Send your address to the Mallory Studio for a copy of "20th Century Portraiture."

Clark Hartsok, of Half-Moon valley, has entered the drug store of F. Post Green to learn the trade.

September 19th-26th has been set as the time for the holding of the Grange encampment at Centre Hall this year.

Mr. Geo. W. Rees, who last week had a severe attack of appendicitis, has fully recovered and is around as usual.

Rev. Samuel Creighton, of Salona, will preach in the Methodist Episcopal church on Sabbath at both the morning and evening services.

The Bellefonte Academy base ball team journeyed to Huntingdon last Saturday and defeated the Juniata College team by the score of 11 to 3.

The grocery firm of W. Irvin & Son having been dissolved the business in the future will be conducted by Harry Irvin himself, under the name of H. W. Irvin.

Joe Gingham, who has not been in good health for some time, by the advice of his physician has gone down the valley and camped on the banks of the Bald Eagle.

With the high school commencement, the West Branch Society doctors and the Walter L. Main circus tomorrow, Bellefonte has been well favored with "shows" this week.

Several days ago two young women of this place indulged in an encounter in which more strenuous methods than the habitual tongue were used. Result—one was fined, the other fired.

The farmers have about finished their corn planting and, with fair weather tomorrow, there should be a tremendous crowd in town to see the elephant and do their usual Saturday's buying.

The intermediate and primary schools of Bellefonte will have their closing exercises today. In former years they were held in the morning of the same day the high school exercises took place.

Mrs. Martha Thomas, of Reynolds avenue, who has been suffering for several years with cancer, was taken to Philadelphia on Wednesday to be operated on by Dr. Carl Vischer, at St. Luke's hospital.

Miss Flo Duck, of Spring Mills, who for two years successfully taught the grammar school in Centre Hall, has secured a position as instructor in the Orphans' school at Sunbury, which institution is under the management of the I. O. O. F.

Emidio Torsell, the enterprising Italian who has been keeping the soles of many Bellefonte people in good repair, has decided to take a vacation and visit the land of his birth. Mr. Torsell, who has been in America ten years, will start for Italy next week.

Owing to the railroads refusing to grant transportation to the St. Louis exposition, the Pennsylvania State Editorial Association will hold its annual outing this year at Williamsport and Eagle's Mere, June 28th to July 1st, two days to be spent at each place.

Tuesday morning the three week's quarantine was lifted from the Central hotel, Lock Haven, and those who had been housed within were permitted to go abroad with the assurance of the Board of Health that all danger of an out-break of small-pox was past. The hotel at once resumed business.

For the first time since its organization, Gen. Beaver will this year deliver the Memorial day address to Gregg post, No. 95. Heretofore he has always accepted invitations from other posts to talk for them but concluded that this time he would comply with the request of his comrades at home.

One day last week while plowing on the farm of Ammon Decker, by whom he was employed, Clayton Stover, son of Mrs. Rose Stover, of Farmer's Mills, was kicked in the stomach by a horse and severely injured. Through the skillful attendance of Dr. Braucht the young man is improving.

Mr. William Burnside contemplates moving from his present residence on east Curtin street to his farm on the top of Nancy mountain. At this writing it is not known whether it is too much noise and confusion that is driving Mr. Burnside from Bellefonte, or whether he has in his mind's eye the building of such an ideal bachelor's retreat up on Muncy's top, that 'twill be a constant dream to dwell therein.

Oliver Witmer had quite a thrilling experience in a runaway on Sunday. About four o'clock in the afternoon he was driving down Spring street and when opposite the armory the horse took fright, jumped a ditch and circled a tree on the school house grounds, then across to the corner of the armory where the buggy came in contact with a telephone pole, throwing Mr. Witmer out and slightly wrecking the vehicle. The horse, tearing loose from the wreck, ran west on Lamb street to the railroad, down to the round house and up Thomas street, finally being caught near the Bush house. A few bruises and a slightly sprained leg were the extent of Mr. Witmer's injuries.

HIGH SCHOOL COMMENCEMENT.—The twenty-first annual commencement of the Bellefonte High school began with the preaching of the baccalaureate sermon in the Reformed church, Sunday evening, by the pastor, Rev. Ambrose Schmidt. The church had been appropriately decorated for the occasion and was filled to the doors with a large congregation. The graduating class, led by Rev. Schmidt and Prof. J. H. Meyer, marched in double-file to seats in front. Mrs. M. B. Garman presided at the organ and a large choir rendered appropriate selections. The pastor preached a very interesting and instructive sermon from the text—St. Mark 4: 28.

Monday evening the declamatory contest for the Reynolds prize took place in Petriken hall. The stage had been made a veritable bower with the class colors, potted plants and flowers. Prof. John H. Meyer presided and the judges were Dr. M. J. Locke, Edmund Blanchard and Prof. E. H. Meyer, of the Bellefonte Academy. The music was furnished by Christy Smith's orchestra. The contestants and their subjects were as follows:

- Pyramids not all Egyptian.....Chapman E. Underwood
Our English Language.....Arthur G. Thomas
The Old Violinist.....M. Louise Brachbill
The Rosicrucian.....Goldie D. Cain
The Scholar in Public Life.....James R. Harshbarger
Ray's Ride.....Mable E. Wagner
Riot and Revolution.....Wm. B. Kuhn
Mabrian and the Young Musician.....Edna E. Meyer

At the conclusion of the program, and after due consideration, Dr. M. J. Locke, as spokesman for the judges, advanced to the front of the stage and announced that they had awarded first prize to Miss Edna C. Meyer and second prize to Chapman E. Underwood; and that for the meritorious delivery of her selection the judges themselves had contributed a prize of five dollars to be awarded to Miss Myrtle E. Barnhart. It is but fair to the rest of the contestants to say that their efforts were all worthy of high commendation.

Wednesday evening the regular alumni reception was held in the armory. The committee in charge consisted of O. P. Morton Smith, David J. Kelly, Miss Mildred Smith, Miss Mable Fauble and Miss Essie Dorworth and the great success of the occasion throughout, notwithstanding the inclement weather, was good proof of how well they performed their work. The armory was tastefully decorated and comfortably furnished. In the absence of the alumni president, Geo. R. Meek, the vice-president, Miss Mildred Smith, with Prof. John H. Meyer and the members of the graduating class did the receiving. Later in the evening the young people indulged in dancing.

Thursday afternoon the regular class exercises were held in Petriken hall. To see the eighteen young people, who composed the class of '04, and to hear them speak, was, indeed, an inspiring insight into the merit of the Bellefonte schools and their efficient corps of instructors. Every member of the class acquitted themselves very creditably. Prof. Meyer presided and the program of class orations and essays was as follows:

- Invocation.....A. Trood Bidwell
Salutatory and Oration—A Remarkable Series.....An Element of Our National Character.....Florence A. Tanner
Essay—Two Pictures.....Jessie D. Etter
Class History.....Walter B. Rankin
Music.....Edith N. Graham
Oration—Our Territorial Development.....Arthur J. Brown
Class Prophecy.....H. Elizabeth Brouse
Music.....G. Harry Wion
Oration—The Post Office an Aid to Commerce.....Florence E. Lowry
Eulogy—Ralph Waldo Emerson.....Alpha G. Hafer
Essay—Women of the White House and Valdeictory.....Elsie M. Bible
Essay—Herodism in Well Doing.....Helen G. Coador
Essay—National Flowers.....W. Jesse Derstine
Oration—Commercial Crisis.....Laura C. Faxon
Essay—Ideal Womanhood.....Mable Garbrick
Essay—The Eldorado of the West.....John A. Wood Jr.
Oration—Japan.....John A. Wood Jr.

Thursday evening a large audience assembled to hear the commencement address of Prof. Benjamin Gill, of State College. It was a talk replete with interesting truths and good advice to the graduates. Following Prof. Gill's address, A. C. Mingle, president of the school board, presented the diplomas and awarded the prizes as follows:

- The Reynolds General Excellence prize of \$10—Miss Alpha G. Hafer.
J. C. Meyer Biographical prize, \$10—Harry Wion.
Reynolds Junior declamatory, first prize, \$10—Miss Edna E. Meyer; second prize, \$5—Chapman E. Underwood; judges' consolation prize, \$5—Miss Myrtle E. Barnhart.
H. B. Heylman prize to the boys of C class, \$10—Charles D. Barnes.

HOTEL CHANGES LANDLORDS.—On Wednesday the deal was closed whereby Mr. D. B. Newcomer sold all his belongings, right and title as landlord at the Haag hotel, on Bishop street, to Mr. Fred Moebarger, of Clearfield. The change will take place just as soon as the license transfer can be arranged, or about the 23rd inst. The new landlord comes here well recommended as a thoroughly up-to-date hotel man. The retiring landlord, Mr. Newcomer, will take life easy a few months until he decides what to do.

Last Saturday Eagles Mere narrowly escaped destruction from raging forest fires in Sullivan county.

Hints and suggestions to sitters are included in the Mallory Studio's booklet, "20th Century Portraiture." Send for a copy.

The Central Pennsylvania Lutheran synod will convene on Monday, May 23rd, in the Emanuel's Evangelical Lutheran church at Tusseyville Centre county.

A party of nine fishermen were arrested at Renovo last week for having in their possession ninety trout that were under the legal size, and the fine imposed amounted to just \$900.

James T. Shillingford, the well-known coal operator of Oseola, has been appointed a Justice of the Peace by Gov. Pennypacker to fill out the unexpired term of W. S. Wells, resigned.

Twenty thousand people visited Barum & Bailey's show at Altoona Monday. The stupendousness of the Barum & Bailey aggregation can be judged from the fact that it required a four-section train, eighty-eight cars in all, to transport it.

While the new Carnegie Library and the big dairy and agricultural building, at State College, both of which are about completed, will be open to the public during the commencement in June, it has been decided by the Board of Trustees and the Faculty to postpone the dedication of both buildings until after the opening of college next fall.

The DuBois Morning Journal made its first appearance in newspaperdom on Monday and is a very creditable sheet. At the masthead appears the name of James A. Fiedler, as city editor. Mr. Fiedler's abilities as a newspaper man are so well-known hereabouts that no comment is necessary further than to wish the new paper success.

In a very exciting game on Beaver Field last Friday State defeated the Dickinson base ball team by the score of 8 to 7. On Saturday, at Carlisle, the Indians' track and field team won the dual meet from State by the total of 61 to 43 points. This afternoon the Franklin and Marshall game will play State at the College, the last game of the season until the Commencement game with Williamsport, June 15th.

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A last echo of the Clendennan murder mystery is that A. W. Mitchell, of Pine Station, who was a suspect in the case, has just been awarded a verdict of six cents damages in a libel suit against the Poughkeepsie News company. Action was brought on the grounds that, while Mitchell was under suspicion, the News printed a dispatch with the headline, "Attended the funeral of man he killed."

Hanging by the neck from the limb of a tree, at the foot of his wife's grave in Woodland cemetery, at Great Bend, Clinton county, the body of Charles Sincht was found a few days ago. The suicide was 75 years old and as proof of how carefully planned was his self-destruction he had sent a telegram to his son Charles at Curwensville late the evening before to "Come to Great Bend at once."

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Altoona boasts of having a man who in a cave-in in a coal mine had his back broken in three places, necessitating removal of 16 pieces of the vertebra; skull crushed in, necessitating silver plate to protect brains; legs crushed and broken in three places; hands crushed; all ribs on left side broken; left shoulder blade broken in two places; arms broken in three places; feet mangled and internal organs injured, and yet makes a living by selling trinkets along the streets.

BETTER MAIL FACILITIES ON RAILROADS.—Beginning yesterday morning the mail facilities over the Lewisburg railroad were improved by the placing of a mail car and messenger on the train which leaves here at 6:40 a. m., returning at 4:20. This order gives a full mail service on every train on the Lewisburg railroad.

On the Bald Eagle valley the service has also been doubled. Postal clerk Igo will make his usual run down on the train arriving here at 9:32, returning on the train at 1:05. The additional clerk comes down on the train at 1:25, returning at 4:44. This improved service will enable correspondents along the valley to transact business in one day that heretofore has required two.

A CHANGE AT THE FISH HATCHERY.—On Saturday last Mr. B. O. Webster, an attaché of the United States Fish Commission at Harrisburg, was appointed superintendent of the Trout hatchery at this place to succeed Mr. John P. Creveling, who has been in charge since its location here. We have not learned the reasons for Mr. Creveling's resignation and the change of superintendents will be a surprise to our people who fully expected that he would become a permanent citizen of the county. During his stay among us he has made many warm friends who will regret his departure. Mr. Webster, who succeeds him, comes with the highest recommendations as a gentleman, fully qualified to take charge of the important post. Mr. Creveling is leaving, but it was hoped that he would find Centre county air so pure and Centre county hospitality so warm that he would have no desire to look for a change of position.

WEST BRANCH MEDICOS MEET, TALK AND EAT.—The Eleventh annual gathering of the West Branch Medical Association was held in the Bush house parlors yesterday afternoon. Just about fifty of the professional gentlemen were present—a distinguished-looking body of men. Dr. Joseph W. Albright, of Muncy, president of the association, presided, while secretary Jos. M. Corson, of Chatham's Run, did the clerical work. After the routine business had been dispatched the following excellent papers were read: "The family physician in the crusade against Tuberculosis," Dr. Lawrence F. Flick, the celebrated Tubercular specialist, of Philadelphia; "A talk on forestry," Dr. H. C. Rothrock; "President's Address," Dr. Jos. W. Albright; "Surgical suggestions," Dr. Geo. D. Nutt, Williamsport; "Influence of the mind over disease," Dr. Geo. H. Woods, Pine Grove Mills.

In the evening at 7 o'clock the visiting doctors partook of the regular banquet, which is always the most important function at these annual gatherings. On this occasion Mine Host Daggett almost excelled himself in the elaborateness of the spread, as a glance at the following will show:

- Shrewsbury.
Bouillon en Tasse.
Water.
Celery.
Baked Potatoes.
Potatoes Bouillies.
Roast Turkey.
English stuffing.
Cranberry Jelly.
New Potatoes.
Asparagus Tips.
Cold Slaw.
Albright Pauch.
Lobster a la Newberg.
Quail on Toast.
Stuffed Tomatoes.
Mayonnaise.
Vanilla Ice Cream with Strawberries.
Assorted Cakes.
Neufchatel.
Bent Crackers.
American Cream Cheese.
Coffee.
Cigars.
Cigarettes.

It is hardly necessary to say that every one present acquitted himself nobly. When the cigars were all aglow Toastmaster Dr. C. S. Messer, of Aaronsburg, called on some of the brethren present with responses as follows:

- "Fall and Rise of the West Branch Medical Association.....Dr. Joseph Albright, Muncy
"Goat Lymph in Tuberculosis.....Dr. Lawrence W. Flick, Philadelphia
"Influence of Marriage.....Dr. Philo D. Green
"Practitioner is a Financier.....Dr. Spencer W. Free, DuBois
"What Constitutes an Itinerant.....Dr. W. R. Palmer, Johnsonburg

WHAT COUNCIL DID.—At the regular meeting of borough council Monday evening every member was present. The one item of important business transacted was the final leasing of the Phoenix pumping station from Col. W. Fred Reynolds. At the last meeting of council the Finance committee was authorized to consult with Col. Reynolds, have the necessary papers drawn up and submit same to council for approval. This was done Monday evening, and chairman Kik, of the committee, recommended the ratification of the lease. Council approved the same without a dissenting vote.

Under the terms of the agreement Col. Reynolds leases the entire mill property to the borough at an annual rental of \$1,500 a year, the borough to release him from taxes on said property. Out of the first year's rental Col. Reynolds is to contribute \$1,000 towards the installing of the plant. The plant is guaranteed to keep up to 65-horsepower and Col. Reynolds is to keep it insured. In case of fire rendering property useless to council, no rent is to be charged until it is put back in running order.

Among the miscellaneous business transacted was the presentation by borough engineer J. H. Wetzel of a draft of Water street, and profiles and grades of Howard, South Water and Willowbank streets. Jas. Solt was exonerated from water tax for the years '02 and '03, and the sale of the old Undine house was held over for future action. The following bills were approved: Street pay roll.....\$40.84
P. B. Crier & Son.....95.16
Police pay roll.....67.50
McCallum & Co.....15.65
Water pay roll.....92.00
F. L. Bullock.....5.35
W. T. Hillbliss.....2.00
P. R. E. Co. freight......39
J. V. Bauer.....47.00
Total.....\$355.79

K. G. E. MEMORIAL SERVICES.—For the first time in seven years memorial services for the deceased members of Bellefonte Castle, No. 357, Knights of the Golden Eagle, were held in the Lutheran church last Sunday morning. Dr. H. C. Holloway preached an interesting and appropriate sermon on the subject of "The True Knight," taking for his texts James 4: 14; Psalms 103:15-16, and II Timothy 2:3. The deceased members who were thus honored Sunday and the dates of their deaths are as follows:

- John Garbrick, July 21st, 1895; Dr. S. E. Noll, July 28th, 1897; E. L. Powers, July 17th, 1899; John Rountree, July 21st, 1898; Samuel Gheret, April 4th, 1899; J. W. Alexander, September 14th, 1900; A. V. Hamilton, October 6th, 1901; W. C. Irvin, December 21st, 1902; Wm. Hogarth, January 3rd, 1903; C. M. Bower, April 26th, 1903; John Anderson, September 15th, 1903; Edgar Gheret, January 23rd, 1904; W. C. Struble, March 19th, 1904; W. C. Bell, May 6th, 1904.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Caskey, of Oregon, Missouri, announce the approaching marriage of their daughter, Henrietta, to Mr. William Frank Bible, which happy event will take place in the Presbyterian church at Oregon, Wednesday evening, May 25th, 1904, at 8:30 o'clock. The many friends of Will Bible in this vicinity will learn with interest and pleasure of this nuptial event. He is a son of Frank E. Bible, of Valley View, Benner township and a highly respected young man.

TRUTH ABOUT THE FURNACES.—During the week there has been rumor after rumor circulated that both the furnaces here were to be closed down. The truth about the matter is, that the Bellefonte furnace will be shut down for repairs just as soon as the stock on hand is used up, which will be about June first. The needed repairs will be made at once and then, if the market shows improvement, the furnace will be blown in promptly. The Nittany furnace, however, will be run right along. The company has a number of orders for Nittany pig iron and to fill these the furnace will be kept in blast. The company will also operate all their ore mines at full capacity.

News Purely Personal.

Miss Nell Vanderville, of Bloomsburg, is visiting her friend Clara Anderson of this place.

Mrs. Mollie Valentine went to Pittsburg on Tuesday noon for a two week's visit at the home of T. K. Morris.

Mrs. David Haines, of Thomas street, is in Beaver Falls for a two week's stay with her son Charles and his family.

Ex-Judge Cyrus Gordon, of Clearfield, was in Bellefonte on a business trip Wednesday and favored this office with a call.

C. U. Hoffer, of Phillipsburg, spent several days here this week, coming over to attend the funeral of Col. Pruner, on Tuesday.

George R. Meek, is in St. Louis this week attending a meeting of the National Editorial association and seeing the exposition.

Mrs. William S. Cowdick, of Niagara Falls, was an arrival in Bellefonte Monday, called here to attend the funeral of her uncle, Mr. Pruner.

Two congenial souls who spent a couple days in Bellefonte this week were ex-Judge Bucher, of Lewisburg, and his friend, Dr. Rook, of Winfield.

L. O. Meek, who will have charge of the old coin exhibit of the Philadelphia mint at the Louisiana Purchase Exposition, left Tuesday for St. Louis.

After several week's treatment in the University hospital, Philadelphia, Mrs. Ella McGarvey returned to her home in this place Monday, somewhat improved in health.

Fred Kurtz Jr., who is making a success of the Lewisburg Journal and promises to become a power down in Union county, found time to pay his parents a visit on Friday last.

Mrs. George D. Green, nee Blanchard, of this place, stopped in town for a few hours the latter part of last week on her way from Lock Haven to Chicago. She is there visiting her sisters and brother.

Mrs. Christine Nagle, who has been visiting friends in Centre county, returned to her home in Harrisburg on Wednesday to make preparations for a trip with her husband to the St. Louis Exposition.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur F. Harris and their baby daughter, Elizabeth Petriken, of Mechanicsburg, are visiting at the H. P. Harris home on Howard street. They arrived on Monday afternoon for a two week's stay.

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Cherry were in Philadelphia over Sunday on account of the death and burial of their little grand daughter, Minnie Catherine Dawson, youngest child of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Dawson, of that city.

Dr. F. K. White, that staunchest of Democrats from Phillipsburg, came to Bellefonte on Monday on a little business trip, but while he was here we noticed that he still had his weather eye open to the interest of his party.

Dr. Laura Hafer, of Hartford, Conn., was an arrival in town on Wednesday morning to witness the graduation of her sister, Miss Alpha, who is valedictorian of this year's class, and enjoy the festivities of commencement.

Charles Cuneo, of Conneville, was an arrival in Bellefonte on Tuesday. Charlie looks as well and happy and even more prosperous than when he conducted the fruit and candy store in the Brookerhoff house block several years ago.

Elwood Mateser, who during the winter filled a position with the Penna. Telephone company here, and who went from there to Lock Haven as manager of the exchange there, has again been promoted and transferred to Lebanon as manager there.

William H. Brouse, who is now employed in the testing department of the Westinghouse Airbrake company at Pittsburg, came home Monday on a visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Brouse, and incidentally to attend the commencement of the Bellefonte High school.

F. C. Thomas, Superintendent of the Bellefonte Central railroad, accompanied by Mrs. Thomas and their two interesting children, are Mr. Thomas is attending the meeting of the Freight Claim Association (whatever that may be) of which he is a member.

Mrs. A. O. Furst, her daughter, Miss Jane, and Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Furst, of Philadelphia, sail for Europe on June 1st. They expect to be away the entire summer, but they are going for the benefit of Mrs. Furst and Will's health and their stay will depend entirely upon how the change agrees with them.

Mr. and Mrs. John Meese, both very much improved in health, are at home from a three week's stay at Atlantic City. They were there trying to recuperate, the former, from a serious attack of the grip, and the latter, from rheumatism, and the change was of considerable benefit and pleasure to them.

Among the guests at the Bouse-Garman wedding in Tyrone on Wednesday evening were Mrs. Edward P. and Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Garman, of this place, and Mr. and Mrs. Ira R. Garman, of Philadelphia. They arrived home yesterday noon, accompanied by Mrs. Al. Garman, who came down on account of the unexpected death of her brother-in-law, Hamilton Otto.

A MAY WEDDING.—A veritable May festival and a pleasing social event was celebrated on Wednesday at noon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Bennell in Abdera, when their daughter, Nellie Elizabeth, was united in marriage to William J. Torrence, of Belle Centre, Ohio. Although the invitations were limited to the near relatives and more intimate friends of the bridal couple more than thirty-five guests were present and the house was decorated beautifully with apple blossoms and spring flowers for the occasion.

Rev. Brown, of the Mill Hall Presbyterian church, pronounced the ceremony and the wedding march was played by Miss Susan Warrick, of Mackeyville. In the processional she was accompanied by McDowell Tibbens. The bride's sister, Miss Emma Benniss, was maid of honor and William McDowell was best man. The bride, who is a very charming young woman, has spent most of her girlhood in Ohio, where she resided with her aunt, Mrs. J. W. Blair, and attended school until her graduation last June. Her bridal gown was of white organdy handsomely trimmed with lace. She carried Brides roses and white carnations. The maid of honor wore blue organdy and carried a bouquet of pink carnations. At the conclusion of the ceremony and congratulations a delicious wedding breakfast was served and Mr. and Mrs. Torrence left on the afternoon train for their home in Belle Centre, Ohio, where the groom is well established in business.

Deering binder twine and harvester repairs at the Potter-Hoy Hardware Co.

BOTH PROMOTED.—About six months ago Charles Larimer left Bellefonte to accept a position with the Huntingdon and Clearfield Telephone company. Last week he was promoted to the position of manager of the Clearfield and Curwensville exchanges. The same day Charles Lukenbach, another Bellefonte young man, was appointed manager of the Phillipsburg and Winburne exchanges of the same company. This not only speaks well for the ability of the two young men, but shows that the Huntingdon and Clearfield company do not hesitate in pushing good young men to the front.

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A SAD DROWNING.—Little Louis Fere, only child of Mrs. S. E. Fere, who was Belle Holter, of Howard, before her marriage, was drowned in a sewer near the family home at Encampment, Wyoming, on last Friday afternoon. He was just a little over six years old and had been to school that afternoon. Not returning home as early as usual, search was made for him, which resulted in the finding of his body, in a sewer near-by. His mother's friends in this community were exceedingly sorry to hear of his fate for he was a bright, active, promising little lad and then the consequence on her health will likely be most serious for she has never been well since the death of her sister, Mrs. Martin Reese.

WILL CHANGE LOCATIONS.—Mr. Charles Miller, the cigar manufacturer, and Mr. James Harris, the tailor, will exchange their locations of business, Miller moving to the corner room in the Crider building, now occupied by Harris, and Harris coming down on High street to the room where Miller is. The change will take place just as soon as the necessary arrangements and improvements can be made.

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Philadelphia Markets.

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

Table with 2 columns: Commodity and Price. Includes Wheat, Corn, Oats, Flour, Rye Flour, Baled Hay, Straw, etc.

Bellefonte Grain Market.

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

Table with 2 columns: Commodity and Price. Includes Red wheat, Rye, Corn, Oats, Barley, Ground Plaster, Buckwheat, Cloverseed, Timothy seed, etc.

Bellefonte Produce Markets.

Corrected weekly by Sechler & Co. Potatoes per bushel..... 15
Onions..... 10
Eggs, per dozen..... 10
Lard, per pound..... 12
Country Shoulders..... 10
Sides..... 10
Hams..... 12
Tallow, per pound..... 4
Butter, per pound..... 22

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Table with 2 columns: Space Occupied and Price. Includes One inch (12 lines this type), Two inches, Three inches, Quarter Column (5 inches), Half Column (10 inches), One Column (20 inches), etc.