

Bellefonte, Pa., March 23, 1906.

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THINGS ABOUT TOWN AND COUNTY

- This is Spring.

-Rev. Ambrose M. Schmidt is recovering from his recent illness.

-Willis Wian and family moved to State College on Wednesday.

-Mrs. J. A. B. Miller is quite ill at

her home on east Curtin strret. -Mrs. Frank Kerns is confined to

house with an attack of tonsilitis. -Though the ground-hog has had his

day winter weather is still with us. -The country schools have only a

couple weeks yet until they will close. -Ex-Judge A. O. Furst, who was quite sick a week ago, is now recovering rapidly.

-Rev. C. C. Bingham, of Runville, will preach in the U. B. church Sunday morning and evening. All are cordially invited.

-James Coburn Musser, nephew of of the Edison party now traveling through | the church. the South

-The Lock Haven Y. M. C. A. basket ball team defeated the local Y. M. C. A. team, in this place, last Thursday evening, by the score of 32 to 30.

-Don't forget to attend the Round Table conference in Petriken ball this evening and tomorrow. It will not only interest but benefit you.

-Remember the Elwood company benefit for the Undine fire company at Garman's next Thursday night. You'll miss a rare treat if you fail to attend.

-McCalmont & Co's have decided to give up their town office in the Bush Arcade on the first of April and move into the office at their yards near the old glass works site.

-Miss Goldie Cain, who teaches the school at Wingate, brought her scholars on a sled ride to Bellefonte last Friday afternoon and entertained them at her mother's home.

-The Improved Order of Red Men of this place have leased the third floor lodge hall and rooms.

-Misses Lulu Harper and Grace Mitchell chaperoned a party of sixteen young ladies on a sled ride to State College, Tuesday evening, where they were most pleasantly entertained at the S. A. E. house.

--- The old lookup is now being used for common drunks and ordinary offenders of the peace of Bellefonte instead of the jail, where Burgess Walker invariably sent

at the birthday party given by the Mary Woods, the secretary, Muncy, and others. Ann Johnston Concert company, at the good things to eat.

-A bad freight wreck on the Bald Eagle Valley railroad east of Curtin, last Thursday evening, blocked the 8.16 train which lay there for nearly two hours until a train was sent up from Lock Haven and passengers transferred. The wreck was cleared up by Friday morning.

---Sunday Rev. John A. Wood will preach his last sermons in the Methodist church here before going to conference next week and Sunday evening his sermon will be for young men, and especially for students. For this sermon the students of the Bellefonte Academy will attend in a body and seats will be reserved for them in the front part of the church.

--- The plant of the McCoy-Linn Iron coal iron they are kept in blast.

-A. Linn McGinley slipped on the ice on his front steps, last Friday morning, hones were broken but he sustained a very uncomfortable most of the time since. On Sunday evening he slipped on the ice he is in a rather badly crippled condition.

years was Frank H. Clemson's right-hand man on his farm up Buffalo Run, has resigned that position and on Monday moved his wife and their belongings to this place, taking up their residence in Mrs. Bricker's house on Bishop street. It was a regular ald-fashioned flitting but the pleasure was marred somewhat by the heavy snow storm which prevailed that day.

-We all from the other churches of Bellefonte congratulate Mrs. Wilkinson and the Episcopal auxiliary in having such a friend as Mr. George Thomas, of Philadelphia, who recognizes even from the suggestion of two small calico birthday bags, and responds to the suggestion in such a liberal way as to increase their fund one hundred dollars with his contribution. Every church, however, does not have a his home several days the past week with committed in this county, and was bound Mr. Thomas.

PRESBYTERIANS SELECTED PASTOR .-After a church campaign that would not have shamed either political party the members of the Bellefonte Presbyterian church, at a congregational meeting held last Sunday morning, elected Rev. J. A. Platts, of the Central Presbyterian church, Allegheny, as their pastor to succeed Rev. William Laurie, D. D., LL, D. There were seven candidates on the ticket and it was thought the contest had simmered down to between Rev. Platts and Rev. Guy Louis Morrill, but the vote on Sunday showed the latter to have only a very small following. Quite a large congregation was present and 216 votes were cast.

These were distributed as follows:

Thus the summing up showed that Platts had received 129 votes to 87, the total of the other four candidates voted for, hence was declared elected. His salary was fixed at two thousand dollars per year with parsonage free of rent and four weeks vacation every summer.

A meeting of the trustees of the church was held Wednesday evening at which a formal call was prepared and forwarded to Rev. Platts and also a request to the Huntingdon Preshytery for permission to receive him. It will possibly be the first of May or later before Rev. Platts will be of-Col. James P. Coburn, of this place, is one ficially installed as the resident pastor of

> In speaking of his election Monday morning's Pittsburg Times said :

Mr. Platts was seriously ill at his home on Hawkins avenue, Allegheny, last night when he was informed that he had been elected pastor of the Bellefonte church. Since last Tuesday he has been confined to his room with a severe cold and his physicians fear that he is threatened with pneumonia. Mr. Platts said that he would hold the call of the Bellefonte church under con-sideration until his health would permit him to make a formal reply to the congregation. He thought, however, that in the event of his receiving the formal call this week he would endeavor to send his answer next

Mr. Platts came to the Central church in May, 1903, succeeding Rev. D. M. Skilling, D. D., who for many years was its pastor. The church occupied an edifice at Anderson and Lacock streets when Mr. Platts was chosen by the congregation and during his administration the present handsome new Central church was exected at a cost of new Central church was erected at a cost of about \$50,000. Mr. Platts is one of the most liked clergymen on the North side and is popular with churchmen of all denomina-tions. It is likely that his flock will try to dissuade him from leaving his present

THE BEE-KEEPERS.-Next Thursday and Friday the Pennsylvania Bee-Keepers association will hold its annual convention over the Centre county bank which will at State College and it is expected that a be remodeled and fixed up suitable for large number of apiarists from all over the State will be present. The first session will be Thursday evening with two sessions on Friday. Among those who will make addresses and give practical talks will be Prof. E. F. Philips, in charge of agriculture, department of agriculture, Washington, D. C.; E. R. Root, the famous beeman and editor of Gleanings, Medina, Ohio ; E. L. Pratt, the famous queen breeder, Swarthmore, Pa.; R. D. Barelay, scientific apiarist, Haverford, Pa.; L. R. those brought before him to serve out their White, of the division of zoology, Harrisburg ; Prof. H. A. Surface, Pennsylvania -About ninety dollars were realized state zoologist, Harrisburg; Rev. D. L.

There will be an exhibition of beekeephome of Mrs. Mary Ann Johnston, west ers' supplies and appliances, different kinds Linn street, last Thursday evening. There of hives, honey and honey-products, and was lots of music and an abundance of different races of bees. In the apiary of the President, at State College, there are all races of honey bees kept on the American continent. Manufacturers of supplies or dealers are invited to send material for exhibition, and all room needed for this will be given free of charge. There will be an exhibition of all the modern bee books and of the current American periodicals devoted to bee-keeping. The College will give free rooms for meeting and also for lodg-

ROUND TABLE CONFERENCE. -This evening and tomorrow the Round Table conference of school superintendents and principals for this district will be held in Petriken ball, this place. Teachers, directors, parents and all others who are interested in the cause of education are most company was put in blast on Saturday, cordially invited to attend the conference March 10th, and is now running along at and take an active part in the discussion of full capacity with every indication of a the subjects on the program. The discusgood ran ahead. There are now but two sions will be entirely informal-no set obaccoal furnaces in the county, the Cur. talks or papers-thus giving every person in furnace and the McCoy-Linn, and as present an opportunity to take part. Puthere is generally a good market for char- pils of the public schools will profit by attending the conference.

QUICK WORK .- For some time past the Bellefonte furnace was not doing as good and fell striking his right shoulder. No as it could on account of the accumulation of slag in the stack, which in furnace parwrench and bruises that made him feel lance is called a "scaffold." The furnace was blown out last Thursday, allowed to cool and a gang of men put to work cutting and tore a ligament in his left leg so that out slag. The "scaffold" was removed, the stack filled and relighted and everything -J. C. Bricker, who the past couple running as usual by Monday morning, an exceptionally quick job which showed the good management of those in charge.

--- This has been a good week for sledding parties and Tuesday night seems to have been the banner night as sled loads went out from Bellefonte in various directions. Among the parties who took advantage of the first real snow of the season was Miss Carrie Weaver, who took her school to Hecla for an evening's outing. Mrs. Grimm and Mrs. Barnbart were the hostesses of a party of fifteen ladies who enjoyed a sled ride to Unionville where they partook of a chicken and waffle supper, and there is bardly any doubt but that the the needs of churches in country towns, ladies enjoyed their outing as it is one they had been planning for the past two years.

> -Hammon Sechler was confined to the grip.

-After being housed up a week with a ficiently to be at work again.

J. Thomas Mitchell has rented the Dr. Ward house on Curtin street and with his wife will move there April first.

-On Wednesday night Dr. H. W Tate treated all the nurses at the Bellefonte hospital to a very enjoyable sleigh ride.

----Rev. Dr. Boal, of Centre Hall, will preach in the Reformed church Sunday morning at 11 o'clock and at 7.30 o'clock in the evening.

----Announcement has been made the recent marriage in Allentown of Calvin | a license last year. The only place against Eby, of Woodward, and Miss Margaret which a remonstrance was filed where a li-Mays, formerly of Aaronsburg.

-This afternoon the property of Miss Jane Pearce, at Potter's Mills, will be sold at public sale by Harry L. Hutchinson, of this place, who has charge of her affairs.

-Next Friday evening, March 30th the Boalsburg High school will present the four act drama, "Uncle Rube," in Boal's hall, for the benefit of the school library. *Thad Longwells shipped their house-

hold goods to Belington, W. Va., yesterday and the family will leave for their new home in that place either today or to--Judge H. M. McClure, of Lewisburg,

was in Bellefonte yesterday and heard argument in the case of the Nittany Valley Railroad company against the Nittany Iron -The friends of Lot H. Neff and Miss Osa Bitner, of, Mt. Eagle, have been given

a surprise by the announcement that they were married in Elmira, N. Y., on February 20th. -George Dougherty, of Moshannon, was brought to the Bellefonte hospital on Monday and on Tuesday was operated

--- Charles P. Wagner and John Grubb of this place, decided to try making their fortune in another section of the Union and on Monday left for Marble Rock, Iowa, where they will engage in farming.

all that could be expected.

-E. R. Jones, of Port Matilda, who for two weeks underwent treatment in the Bellefonte hospital for rheumatism, was discharged last Friday and went to his home in a very much improved condition.

-Rev. W. H. Koehler, of Mt. Union. preached in the Presbyterian church here Sunday morning and evening: in the morning acting as moderator of the congregational meeting for the election of a new

-Miss Annie Weber, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Abraham Weber, of Howard, is in the German hospital, Philadelphia, sick with typhoid fever. For awhile her life was dispaired of, but lately her condition has been quite hopefully improved -The thirty-first annual meeting of

the Woman's Foreign Missionary society of the Huntingdon Presbytery will be held in the Presbyterian church at Hollidays. burg, March 28th and 29th. Mrs. Wilson and Mrs. Orbison, of this place, will attend and take part in the proceedings. -Last week Miss Roxanna Brisbin, of

Centre Hall, went to Philipsburg where she visited friends a couple days and Friday evening went to Allport where she instituted the Pink Lodge of Rebekahs, No. 115. The new lodge started with forty charter members and a number more in

-Berenice Faxon, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Faxon, of east High street, was taken to the Bellefonte hospital, Monday morning, suffering with a bad case of appendicitis. On Tuesday an operation was performed by Dr. Locke assisted by Dr. Kirk and at this writing the patient is getting along as well as can be expected.

-The proprietor of the Millheim knitting factory is now trying to locate another factory in Philipsburg and a committee of business men of that place composed of G. W. McGaffey, H. M. Walker and Chas. Gnelich spent Thursday of last week in Millheim inspecting the factory there. They were favorably impressed with the result of their investigations and a knitting factory in Philipsburg seems a probability.

-Dr. and Mrs. S. C. Ewing, who went from the western part of the State to Cairo, Egypt, as missionaries forty-six years ago, are now on their way home on a six months leave of absence, and expect to arrive in this country within the next month or so. Before the war of the rebellion Dr. Ewing was a class mate of Gen. James A. Beaver when they both attended Jefferson college. He is also a relative of the Ewings who a number of years ago lived in this county.

-Ernest Woodring was arrested in Tyrone on Wednesday charged with theft. Last fall the young man came from Elk county and went to work for Harry Nearhoof, near Centre Line, this county. A couple days ago he suddenly disappeared and with him Nearhoof's revolver, some clothing and other articles. When farrested in Tyrone he was wearing Nearhoof's overcoat, had the revolver, one hundred harness rings and a suit case full of sundry articles, some of which had been stolen from the barn of G. C. W. Buck. Yesover for trial at court.

CENTRE COUNTY LIQUOR LICENSES. bad cold Frank Woomer has recovered suf- Last Saturday Judge Orvis heard argument for and against the applications for liquor licenses against which remonstrances had been filed and on Tuesday morning handed down his decisions on all applications. Out of forty-eight applications thirty-two were granted outright and four held over for further consideration. In the number granted were three new ones, Andrew Hugg and A. B. Herd, Philipsburg, and Frank W. Hess, Sandy Ridge, while in the number refused were two old ones, Tempest Slinger and James Black, in Philipsburg. All of those held for further consideration are applicants who were granted cense was granted on Tuesday was Howard. In handing down his decisions the court made no further rulings or requests.

In the following list those marked with a (*) were refused and those with a (†) held over. All others were granted :

TAVERN LICENSE. Horton S. Ray...
C. M. & C. B. Garman
James A. Noonan
Frederick Mosebarger.
James W. Runkle
Edwin C. Henderson ...Centre Hall Bore Isaac A. Shawver. Andy M. Reeser.. Charles M. Waple Philipsburg Thos. Barnes Jr. Rapsey & Grebe..... Samuel Rogers.... †Christ North...... J. C. & W. H. Jones...

DISTILLER Noah W. Eby (Woodward) Haines WHOLESALE LIQUOR. .. Philipsburg on for appendicitis. His condition now is George Parks.

Philipsb'g Brewing Co., Philipsburg *Chas. Moerschbacher... Bellefonte

MARCH Snows .- Not for a number of years have we had such deep snows during the month of March as we have had the past two weeks. Not content with the two deep snows of last week the weather man poured down another one on Monday, about eight inches of the beautiful, and it is no exaggeration to say that the snow fall in ten days was over two feet. Of course some of it has melted but there is still a good covering on the ground and this week has witnessed the first good sledding of winter. And the farmers have taken advantage of it to haul as much of! their grain and corn to market as they possibly

Considerable wind prevailed with Moned roads. After the early trip on Monday morning the Bellefonte Central railroad was blocked by huge snow drifts between State College and Pine Grove Mills and the train was not able to get through to the latter place for a couple days. A number of big drifts on the Lewisburg delayed the train on Tuesday morning so that it did not reach here until almost twelve o'clock. Many of the public roads throughout the county are drifted shut and travel is through the fields. Such was the condition of affairs when Spring began on Wednesday morning, and even this was not all as the weather man, just to have things in keeping, sent us cold as well and Wednesday morning the mercury was down to within ten degrees of zero. Of course it has warmed up some at this time and the question which is now agitating the minds perating from a recent siege of poor health. of many is, will the snow go away with such a rush as to cause a big flood?

-The thirty-eighth annual session of Central Pennsylvania Methodist Episcopal conference will convene at Tyrone on Wednesday of next week, March 28th, with Bishop Joseph T. Berry, D. D., LL. D., of Buffalo, N. Y., presiding. The conference this year will be one of unusual interest for the reason that there will be at least one new presiding elder to select, that for the Danville district to take the place of Dr. W. P. Eveland, resigned to accept the presidency of Williamsport Dickinson Seminary, and in addition there will be at least three important vacancies to fill, namely: Bloomsburg, Mulberry street church, Williamsport, and Bellefonte, the latter because of the intention of Rev. John A. Wood Jr., to go to California immediately after conference. As these three appointments are regarded among the desirable ones it may necessitate considerable moving around of ministers to get every place filled satisfactorily.

METHODIST CONFERENCE NEXT WEEK.

So far as can be superficially learned the past year has been one of satisfactory conditions throughout the entire conference. There has been a steady growth in church and Sunday school membership, a number of new churches have been built while the finances are in as good a condition as ever. The reports at the last conference showed a church membership of 65,900, with 6,484

total contributed for all benevolent pur--The Central Railroad of Pennsylvania officials are beginning to make preparaterday Woodring was brought to Port Ma- tions to move from their present offices in tilda for a hearing, the theft having been Temple Court to the new offices on the second floor of the new station building, corner of Lamb and Water streets.

News Purely Personal.

-Charles Lukenbach spent Sunday with friends

-S. H. Donachy made a business trip to Lewis burg on Monday.

-S. E. Goss transacted business in Philadel phia the past week.

-Mrs. J. J. Kilpatrick and children are visit ing her parents in Philadelphia.

-John S. Furst, of Curwensville, spent part of Monday with his parents in this pla -Mrs. J. A. Aiken returned on Wednesday

from a trip to New York and Philadelphia. -Mrs. William Dawson is in Philadelphia risiting her daughter, Mrs. Thomas Moore,

-Ross A. Hickok, of Harrisburg, was a busiess visitor in Bellefonte a couple days this week. -Mrs. John F. Harrison, of Jersey Shore, is guest of Mrs. Cheney K. Hicklen in this place. -Frank Graham, clerk at the Brockerhoff nouse, is away on a little business trip to Sharon,

-Mrs. W. R. Gainsfort spent several days in Williamsport this week undergoing treatment for her eyes.

-Miss Mable Otto left at noon on Tuesday for Johnstown where the Otto family will reside in the future.

-Mrs. U. H. Reamer has recovered from her recent illness and gone to Williamsport for a short visit.

-Mrs. D. H. Hastings and daughter Sara have returned from a fortnight's visit with the Hickoks in Harrisburg.

-Mrs. Elijah King, of Sunbury, spent Sunday with her parents in this place, Mr. and Mrs. -Miss Eleanor Harris, a student in the Wom-

an's College, Baltimore, came home last Friday for a brief stay. -Miss Julia Curtin, daughter of James Cartin'

accompanied her uncle, on Monday, on the trip [:-Rev. William Laurie, D. D., L.L. D., and Mrs. Laurie left on Tuesday for a short visit with the Eldredges at Cape May.

-Miss Regina Ceader, of McKeesport, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Ceader in their ome on Allegheny street.

-Miss Rebie Noll, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Emanuel Noll, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Chauncey F. York, at Warriorsmark. -Mrs. Annie Longwell and daughter, Miss

Lizzie, returned on Saturday from a visit with friends at Washington, D. C. -Mrs. William Bell returned on Monday from a very pleasant visit at the home of her son. Dr Finley Bell, of Englewood, N. J. 37-George Smull, of Rebersburg, left last week for Chicago where he has secured a good positio

and expects to locate permanently. -After a very enjoyable visit of a week with friends in Altoona, Miss Ella McClain returned to her home in this place Saturday.

-Mr. and Mrs. Jones Wistar, of Philadelphia made a business trip to Bellefonte on Wednesday and were quartered at the Brockerhoff house.

-Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert A. Beaver, of New York, are now in Bellefonte, guests at the home of the former's parents, Gen. and Mrs. Jas. A. Beaver. -Joseph Rhoads, who holds one of the very responsible positions on the Pennsylvania rai road, spent Sunday with his mother in this place -Mr. and Mrs. Richard S. Quigley, of Lock Haven, were over Sunday guests at the he the former's brother, H. C. Quigley Esq., in this

-Messrs, Emil Joseph and Harry Holz return ed last Saturday from a week's stay in New York city, their trip being one of business and pleasure

-That genial good fellow, J. H. Martin, of Clearfield, visited friends in Bellefonte this week and was one of the much appreciated visitors at the WATCHMAN office

'Squire Michael Hess, of this place, and Newton Hess, of Ferguson township, accompanied the old soldiers on their trip to Vicks burg, Miss., this week.

-Mrs. Emma Yeager, who had been ill at the ome of her daughter, Mrs. Bentley, in Pittsburg has so far recovered that she was able to return home this week.

-Mrs. Edward F. Richard accompanied by her niece, Miss Sarah Hill, left on Monday for a visit with friends in Philadelphia, Mr. Richard went downito join them yesterday.

-C. N. Meserve, secretary of the Y. M. C. A. went to Clifton Springs, N. Y., last Saturday to get things in readiness for moving his family and household goods to Bellefonte.

-Mrs. John I. Curtin accompanied the General as far as Annapolis, on Monday, where she will visit her son Roland until the return of her h usband from his trip to Vicksburg, Miss. -Joseph McMahon, an employee of the Stand-

ard Scale works at Beaver Falls, is in Bellefonte visiting his mother, and at the same time rect -Miss Emily Valentine, who has been a gues

at the home of her aunt. Miss Emily Natt. since the death and burial of her mother, Mrs. Robert Valentine, left last Friday for her home in Balti--Thomas F. Uhl. of Romola, drove to Belle fonte in a sleigh on Wednesday remaining until

today. While in town he did not forget to call at

the WATCHMAN office and renew his subscription for another year. -Capt. H. S. Taylor went to the western part of the State last Friday and that same evening presided at a court martial held for a soldier in the National Guard. He returned Saturday morn-

ing but his report has not yet been made public. -Mrs. Louisa Bush returned to Bellefonte Tuesday, accompanied by her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Harry P. Bush, of Punta Annas, Chile, who was in the town but two days, leaving Thursday for Chicago where she will be joined by her thus band on a business trip to the Pacific coast.

-Capt. W. H. Fry came down from That very omfortable home of his near Pine Grove Mills Monday evening, to be on hand to leave on the 1:23 train Tuesday afternoon with the delegation of old soldiers bound for the dedication of the Pennsylvania monuments on the Vicksburg battle

-On Monday Jim Decker, James B. Tanyer and J. W. Kepler left Bellefonte at three o'clock in the afternoon on the Bellefoute Cen tral railroad train to go to their home in Pin Grove Mills but because of a sncw blockade in he cut at Struble's siding the train could not get through and so they came back and it was close to 9 o'clock when they reached Bellefonte, Of course the trio were in none the best of humor when they reached here but after they got something to eat they were all around shaking hands with their friends as genial and agreeable as ever.

-C. G. McMillen, who will be remembered by most Bellefonters as landlord of the Brockerhoff house from 1882 to 1888, spent from Friday even. probationers, while \$104,149 was the sum ing until Tuesday in Bellefonte, the same genna Mac he was when he lived in Bellefonte, and looking hardly a day older. He still lives in Dayton Ohio, a place he avers he will never leave unless it is to "come home" to Bellefonte, as he still reta ins the warmest spot in his heart for this little mountain town and the friends of almost ; score of years ago. He has given up the managership of the Neil house in Columbus because i was too much of a strain on his health and just now is on the road introducing a new line of canned goods and a relish for an Illinois firm.

-After spending the winter with her sister in Du Boise Mrs. M. Harper has returned to her

home in Centre Hall -Mrs. Edwin F. Garman left, on Wednesday for Atlantic City where she will stay at the

Irvins cottage for the benefit of her health. -Isaac Mitchell, trust officer with the Bellefonte Trust company, is now off on a month's vacation. At present he is visiting his son Joseph and family at Burnham and from there he will

go wherever his fancy leads him. -Robert F. Hunter, J. C. Meyer Esq., and T. M. Stevenson, of Lock Haven, returned on Wed nesday from a ten days trip to Joplin, Mo., where they were looking after the interests of the Pennsylvania Mining and Smelting company.

-W. F. Smith, of Millheim, spent Wednesday night in Bellefonte, coming here from Pleasant Gap where he auctioneered a public sale that day. Thursday morning he drove to Tusseyville and did the "Oh, yes!" business and today he is doing the same thing at a sale below Penn Hall.

-Mrs. C. T. Aiken, of Selinsgrove is visiting Mrs. J. A. Aiken in this place. She says the ru mor that her husband intends giving up his new position as president of Susquehanna University and returning to his former labors at Pine Grove Mills, is entirely without warrant as t hey like the new work very much and are quite content to continue at it.

-After several years experience on a Centre county farm Mr. Thaddeus Cross and his family have returned to Clearfield county and will reside at Woodland. They came here to operate the large Gordon farm at Hecla Park and were successful in that as well as in making themselves very much liked by all who knew them, but ill health has compelled them to give up farming and we regret their loss as residents of the

SENIORS TOOK A SLED RIDE. -The majority of the members of the Senior class of the Bellefonte High school took a sled ride on Tuesday night to the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Miller, near Hublersburg. On account of the deep snow, huge drifts and a couple upsets the party was a little late arriving at their destination but once there they bad a delightful time of it. It was quite late Wednesday morning when they arrived home. Those in the party were Myrtle Barnhart, Helen Robb, Lizzie Barnbart, Mildred Ogden, Anna Keichline, Edna Koontz, Maud Johnston, Nettie and Hellen Bair, and John Rankin, Milan Walker, Paul Wetzel, John Smith, Lawrence McClure, Charles Barnes, William Kuhn and James Harshberger. At the Miller home the party was joined by Misses Lilae Deitrick, Edna Decker and Ethel Miller.

-The annual commencement exercises of the Walker township High school will be held at Hublersburg Monday evening, April 9th. Ex-Judge John G. Love will deliver the commencement address and Superintendent David O. Etters will present the diplomas to the graduates.

-Edward Smith and family, of Coleville, left on Tuesday for Loquin, Bradford county, where Mr. Smith will be head cook in a big lumber camp.

--- John S. Hosterman has rented the house on Allegheny street now occupied by G. M. Gamble and family and will move there April 1st.

-Mr. Thomas A. Shoemaker was at

home the past week doctoring for a severe old, but was well enough yesterday to go to Philadelphia. -A \$500 Stieff piano, resewood case, can be bought for \$75 cash from Rev. John Wood, on Linn St. It has been an elegant

to California with him. If you want a piano it would pay you to look at this one. FOR RENT.-The Dental offices now occupied by Dr. Ward, in the stone building, corner of High and Allegheny streets, also

one store room in the Exchange building.

instrument but he does not care to move it

Apply to F. W. Crider. Sale Register.

MARCH 27TH.—At the residence of J. H. Neidigh, four miles west of State College. Horses, young cattle, milk cows, sheep, pigs, farm implements of all kinds and household goods. Sale

Wednesday, March 28th.—At the residence of Mrs. C. L. Rote, at Coleville, horses, wagons, brick, lumber and household furniture. Sale at 10 o'clock a. m.

Philadelphia Markets.

The following are the closing prices of the Philadelphia markets on Wednesday evening. lour-Winter, Per Br' -Penna. -Favorite Brands. Straw.

> Rellefonte Grain Market. Corrected weekly by C. Y. WAGNER, e following are the quotations up to six ck, Thursday evening, when our paper goes

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A liberal discount is made to persons advertising by the quarter, half year, or year, as follows:

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