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For the San Francisco Sufferers.

While every city and town in the United States are doing what they can for the relief of the unfortunate sufferers of the San Francisco catastrophe Bellefonte does not want to be behind and a fund has already been started for that purpose.

At the request of the secretary of the Pennsylvania branch of the Red Cross society the Centre County bank will receive all contributions of money made to it and forward the same. Now is the time to give whatever you feel you can, as it is now the sufferers of San Francisco need it.

The contributions to date are as follows: Centre County Banking Co. \$102.00. First National Bank 100.00. Col. W. Fred Reynolds 50.00. Bellefonte Trust Co. 25.00. Dr. Thomas R. Hayer 25.00. Mrs. H. P. Kurtz 10.00. Charles R. Kurtz 5.00. Mrs. N. J. Twimire 5.00. Dr. E. S. Dorworth 1.00.

Out of the Jaws of Scylla into Those of Charybdis.

If the question were put to me today: Who is the biggest man in the Republican party in Centre county? Without a tremor in voice, the finishing of an eye or an instant's hesitation I would answer: Senator HENRY CURTIS QUIGLEY! Schooled in the art of manipulation by those two past masters, the lamented HASTINGS and REEDER, incited by a very laudable ambition to get on top and not retarded by a twinge of conscience as to who is going down this young Napoleon of politics has catapulted himself into the position of a dictator with the rapidity of a cat shot in its therothmost portions with a load of crystallized turpentine.

He is second to none and the boss of all. The convention in session here Tuesday was full of the old war horses of the county, but they took orders and obeyed as if they never did expect to shed out again and get a running coat on.

Mr. QUIGLEY permitted Capt. FRYBERGER to be nominated for Assembly and it was done. Mr. QUIGLEY permitted GRAMLEY to be nominated for Jury Commissioner and it was done.

Mr. QUIGLEY permitted JOHN P. HARRIS, PHIL D. FOSTER and S. H. WIGTON to be named for State delegates and it was done. Mr. QUIGLEY permitted the convention to endorse JOHN G. LOVE for Congress and it was done.

Mr. QUIGLEY permitted the convention to endorse his candidacy for the State Senate and it was done. And, last of all, Mr. QUIGLEY permitted the convention to elect HARRY KELKER county chairman for 1907 and it was done.

Whoever has been laboring under the impression that the Republican party of Centre is without a leader needs but to look about him to be disillusioned. QUIGLEY'S name is on everybody's lips. He seems to have been the Moses they were looking for and LOVE and CHAMBERS and DALE and WOMELSDORF are in the LIGE DOWIE class now. He has them fraded into political mist that the favorite son of Liberty Twp. will draw up for use in his own reign.

Years ago, when the foot of a boss was on the neck of STEELE CRISMAN and VICTOR GRAY, when CLEM and AL DALE walked Spanish or any other old way they were told to; when LOVE and his friends couldn't even get a look in at party conventions and a few other worthies were called a "merg handful of political nobodies," it was thought that the Republicans of Centre county were being bossed. Today they realize that they were not. They were merely crazy with the heat. Mr. QUIGLEY has demonstrated to them what a real boss is and judging from the speech he made in the convention on Tuesday he proposes to extend his bossism over every voter in the Thirty fourth senatorial district; for did he not stand up and tell us how he expects to vote while in Harrisburg just as if there was nothing to intervene between his sovereign will and a seat in the Senate.

When Little PHIL rode over the Big Hill on his way home from the convention Tuesday night, and JOHNNY HURST was whispering soft words of consolation to him about his stolen hat, there was probably sticking in his ears great globes of lather that run something like this: "We most heartily endorse the action of our member of the general assembly, the Hon. P. E. WOMELSDORF, who has always shown the deepest interest in the welfare of this county," but he is like too many of those Philadelphia Republicans; he won't stand for being bossed and FRYBERGER can't use him in the Senate, therefore Mr. QUIGLEY told us to give him a swift kick over the breast works and, Selah, it was done.

When JOHN A. DALEY struck back for the simple life among the jack-pines of Centre Twp., he knew, as he had never known before, how artfully a Cate boss can hand out the glad tidings to an old soldier and farmer with the right and at the same time snark him with a stocking full of sand with the left. But JOHN was not entirely without comfort, for did he not measure Curtin Twp. stones with the Black-stones of a juvenile jurist who is aspiring to a

position in his party that is sort of a cross between Col. JIM COBURN and private SAM MILLER with the result that there were one hundred and two votes for the Curtin Twp. lawyer and only ten for the Bellefonte lawyer.

When Judge LOVE gives himself an injection of Spanish-fly and moves fast enough to realize that Centre county can't have both the candidate for Senator and the candidate for Congress he will—no, it won't be the Judge who will squeal. It will be TOM HARTER who will raise a stink that will make his automobile smell like a meadow of Parma violets, for TOM wants the postoffice and he wants it so bad that he won't attempt to tell you.

When NED CHAMBERS thinks of the 250ts. that telegram to DUNWIDDIE cost him, and that he can never get to Harrisburg as anything else than Cousin SAM'S cousin he will spit a couple of times and tell you he doesn't care, but he does, all right enough. He has had to swallow his pride so often that he can swallow most everything but the sword that dangles at the side of one of the peachiest Colonels on Governor PENNY'S staff.

When all of these dear old political has-beens waken up on the shelf of party oblivion they will ask each other the question: Who put you here? Then they will answer in chorus: HENRY CURTIS QUIGLEY! and join in the good old refrain: While others bossed in Centre —Hastings, Love and Quay,— Of all us lesser fellows Each one had some say Till Henry Cass-in Quigley Stopped our little jig Now nobody's boss in Centre But Hen—ry Quig. The d—d big boss—er.

THE CONVENTION IN DETAIL.

County Chairman Quigley called the convention to order at 11.05 o'clock and the roll was read by the secretary, G. W. Rees. Harry Keller read the roll call of delegates and it was particularly noticeable that only one delegate from Philadelphia was present and only about half the delegation from Rush township.

Titus M. Gramley, of Spring Mills, was elected permanent chairman of the convention and John A. Daley had any lingering hopes of cutting very much of a figure during the proceedings he saw them all disappear then as mist before the summer sun. To complete the organization S. E. Goss, of Bellefonte, and J. Laird Holmes, of State College, were elected secretaries and Harry Keller reading clerk.

On motion of Hon. Harry R. Curtin the following committee on resolutions was appointed by the chairman: H. R. Curtin, of Boggs township; W. A. Hartsock, of Patton; W. S. Miller, of Miles; Hiram Thompson, of College, and James S. Reish, of Potter.

Chairman Gramley then announced the convention open to receive nominations for candidates for the Legislature and C. T. Fryberger, of Phillipsburg, and John A. Daley, of Curtin township, were named. To make it stronger Edmund Blanchard made a little speech seconding Mr. Fryberger's nomination and L. E. Boloopue, of Howard, did likewise for Daley. The convention then proceeded to ballot for the two candidates and when Phillipsburg was reached and only one delegate responded County Chairman Quigley's eulogium was fully revealed. Mr. Gramley, the presiding officer, had been properly coached and he ordered that the votes of the absent delegates be recorded according to their instructions and from the library came J. Thomas Mitchell, (who, by the way, has not appeared as an active figure in Republican conventions for some years past,) with a type-written tabulated sheet containing the vote cast and instructions all over the county and henceforth every ballot taken was simply superfluous work for the delegates as each vote recorded was just as it appeared on Chairman Quigley's tabulated sheet. For form's sake, however, the balloting was laboriously gone through with and when ended stood as follows:

Fryberger.....74 Daley.....58 The Frybergers cheered the announcement of his selection as the candidate for the Legislature, but none of the Daley backers made a motion to make the nomination unanimous. For Jury Commissioner the nominees were Clement H. Gramley, of Miles township, and Theophilus Pletcher, of Howard. The balloting resulted as follows: Gramley.....81 Pletcher.....48 The next in order was the election of delegates to the State convention, the following candidates being named: Phil D. Foster, of State College; John P. Harris and E. R. Chambers, of Bellefonte; Samuel H. Wigton, J. W. Dunwiddie and Thomas James, of Phillipsburg. Before proceeding to ballot a telegram was read from Mr. Dunwiddie withdrawing his name and this provoked the only real discussion of the convention. Edmund Blanchard made a motion to ignore the telegram and keep Mr. Dunwiddie's name before the convention as a candidate. In this he was supported by H. R. Curtin while John A. Daley and John Hurst, of Phillipsburg, argued that a man had a right to withdraw and the convention had no rights to inflict the humiliation upon him of voting for him and showing how little strength or support he had. The convention voted to allow the withdrawal of Mr. Dunwiddie's name. It took just one ballot to elect Foster, Harris and Wigton as delegates, the result being as follows:

Harris.....104 Foster.....101 Wigton.....80 Chambers.....58 James.....44 W. H. Musser named ex-Judge John G. Love as Centre county's candidate for Con-

gress, moved that his selection be made by acclamation and that he be empowered to select his own conferees. The convention so voted.

Seeing how slick Love got through Ed Blanchard doubtless thought he could do the same thing for Quigley for when nominations were called for candidates for the State Senate Blanchard arose and moved that Henry C. Quigley be nominated and empowered to select his own conferees. But the Womelsdorf people, even though beaten, were not to be throttled quite so quickly and John Hurst at once nominated P. E. Womelsdorf, of Phillipsburg, as a candidate. Quigley was nominated on the first ballot, which was as follows:

Quigley.....885 Womelsdorf.....435 On motion of Mr. Blanchard the convention empowered him to select his own conferees.

Harry Keller was, unanimously elected county chairman for the ensuing year. The committee on resolutions presented its report in which Thomas H. Murray, of Clearfield, was endorsed for Governor and the candidates for Senator and Representative were called upon to pledge themselves to support a two cent fare and trolley freight bills, if elected.

Both Love and Quigley were called on for speeches and they each responded with brief talks telling what they will do, in the event of their being elected,—perhaps. The resolutions follow:

CONVENTION RESOLUTIONS. We, the Republicans of Centre county in convention assembled, hereby affirm our allegiance to the traditions and principles of our party. We applaud and congratulate both the Governor and the Assembly upon the splendid results achieved; We approve the patriotic and careful course of our Senators and Representatives in Congress, who have discharged their duties to the nation and to their constituents with equal fidelity and ability; We reaffirm our approval of the State Senator from this district, Colonel E. A. Irvin, and most heartily commend the wisdom and statesman like course which he has always pursued and the investigations recommended by him of the Standard Oil corporation and other trusts that are unlawfully exporting money from the State.

We commend the wisdom of Governor Pennypacker in the calling of the special session of the Legislature, and congratulate both the Governor and the Assembly upon the splendid results achieved; We approve the patriotic and careful course of our Senators and Representatives in Congress, who have discharged their duties to the nation and to their constituents with equal fidelity and ability; We reaffirm our approval of the State Senator from this district, Colonel E. A. Irvin, and most heartily commend the wisdom and statesman like course which he has always pursued and the investigations recommended by him of the Standard Oil corporation and other trusts that are unlawfully exporting money from the State.

Recognizing that the Republican candidate for the high office of Governor of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania this year must be a man of preeminent ability, sterling character, undoubted integrity and stainless reputation, one who is free from factional entanglements, and represents the advanced thought and best impulses of the party at large; and knowing that the Hon. Thomas H. Murray, the candidate presented by Clearfield county for that nomination, possesses these qualifications, we heartily endorse his candidacy and instruct the delegates of this county to vote for him for the Republican nomination for Governor of the Commonwealth and to use all honorable means to have him nominated for that office.

We present to the conference of this twenty first congressional district the name of the Hon. John G. Love as our candidate for Congress; his continuing services to the party are well known and need no encomium, and we hereby instruct the conferees from this county to use all honorable means in the welfare of this county; We present the name of Henry C. Quigley Esq., as that of Centre county's candidate for State Senator from this district to the senatorial conference, and instruct the conferees from this county to earnestly support him for said nomination and to use all honorable means to secure his election to that office, and his selection will help to assure the continuance of Republican victories in this county.

We earnestly pledge our united and individual support to the whole Republican State and County ticket, together with our utmost efforts to secure the election of each candidate to be named thereon. We respectfully instruct our members elected to the Legislature and Senate to use their vote and influence to secure a two cent mileage rate on all railroads in the State of Pennsylvania; and further to use their vote and influence in establishing a law to carry freight by trolley or street railway.

H. R. CURTIN, JAMES S. REISH, W. H. HARTSOCK, HIRAM THOMPSON, } Committee.

LIST OF DELEGATES: (Absentees marked \*) Bellefonte North Ward—Edmund Blanchard, H. B. Taylor, George Kinsley, Benjamin Williams, W. H. Musser, J. John Harris, John Morrison.

South Ward—S. E. Goss, Henry Lowmy, Samuel Kline, Henry Brown, H. H. Montgomery. West Ward—Fred Reese, G. Edward Haupp. Centre Hall—J. R. S. Allison. Howard—John E. Foresman, Hayes Schenk, C. H. Pletcher. Milesburg—E. T. Kinnel, J. M. Green, P. H. Millheim—Wm. S. Shelton. Phillipsburg 1st Ward—Chas Hudson\*, John Hurst, Harry Hoffer\*, Fred Mattern\*.

2nd Ward—H. C. Warfel\*, Geo. Stott\*, W. E. Hurley\*, H. L. Goss\*, Wm. Miller\*, Charles Galko\*. 3rd Ward—C. W. Atherton\*, Thomas Motes\*, Wm. Powell\*, Harry Scott\*, G. Williams\*. State College—John L. Holmes, A. C. Boves, T. S. Miller. Unionville—John P. Harris, Jr. Jenner North Precinct—John Reierick, John Kelley.

South Precinct—H. E. Zimmerman, A. R. Housler, H. R. Curtin, Sherd White. Boggs E. P.—J. R. Curtin, George Summers, S. H. Orris, David Baldrige. N. P.—J. E. Rickard. Burnsides—Edw. Craft. College—Philip W. Fritz, Hiram Thompson, David B. Getz, Jacob Kling, J. Mann. Curtin—John A. Daley, Robt. J. Mann. Ferguson E. P.—J. E. Reed, M. E. Heberling. W. P.—E. B. Weaver, R. G. Goheen. Gregg N. P.—Isaac Smith. E. P.—S. M. Ulrich. W. P.—T. M. Gramley, Earle Bartley. Haines E. P.—C. D. Metz. W. P.—James S. Weaver. Half Moon—Isaac Beck, John P. Eves, G. W. Loner.

Harris—Frank McFarland, Frank Young. Howard—D. B. Schenck, L. E. Boloopue. Huston—A. C. Williams, M. Richards. Liberty E. P.—Michael Fravel, John Abbott, Samuel Smith, Thompson, Clark. W. P.— Marion—Robert H. Bension. Miles E. P.—M. W. Adams. W. P.—W. S. Miller. W. P.—S. R. Getz. Patton—W. E. Hartsock, G. C. Lykens, W. G. Murtorf. Penn—D. B. Metz. Potter—W. E. Tate. S. P.—James S. Reish. W. P.—R. E. C. Stark. N. P.—W. P.—Thomas Askey\*, John Erb\*, Elmer Johnston\*. S. P.—J. E. Miller, J. W. Kerr, John Thomas. Snow Shoe E. P.—Robert Cooper, Jas. Uzzie, D. K. Meredith, A. D. Schenck, Jenkin David. W. P.—Charles Fleming. Spring N. P.—Ed. Young, Isaac Miller, Wm. Swormer. S. P.—Albert Smetzer, Potter Tate, E. E. Sunday, Abe Miller.

W. P.—W. W. Hampton, J. H. Olinger, Henry Bathurst. Taylor—C. Sharrer, Vinton Beckwith, W. T. Leggs. Union—E. M. Lucas, E. E. Erhard, R. T. Comley. Walker E. P.—James Irvin, J. E. Rossmann. N. P.—T. L. Kessinger. W. P.—J. J. Stine. Worth—Jacob Woodring, Wm. Bennett, H. C. Thompson.

ADDITIONAL LOCALS.

MUSSER—Wesley Musser died at his home in Warriorsmark, at 3 o'clock yesterday morning, of Bright's disease, with which he had suffered for months past. Deceased was fifty-six years old and was born in Schuylkill county but came to Centre county with his parents when but a boy, and for many years was a resident of Pine Grove Mills. Since living in Warriorsmark he has been the mail carrier there, conveying the mail from the post-office to the railroad and return. In that capacity he became well known to everybody in that community and was much esteemed by all. Surviving him are his wife, one son, Wallace, and one daughter, Miss Alice, all of Warriorsmark; also two sisters, Mrs. Ada Corl, of Peru, and Mrs. J. W. Houser, of State College, and one brother, Wallace, on the Branch. Two sisters and a brother died within a year. He was a member of the Lutheran church and the funeral will take place to-morrow afternoon.

WHARTON—Rev. Richard H. Wharton, one of the oldest and most respected members of the Central Pennsylvania M. E. conference, died at the Altoona hospital Wednesday afternoon of heart failure. He was taken sick in the morning at 8 o'clock and had gone to the hospital for rest and treatment, but died at 4:15 p. m. He was pastor of the Fairview church, having been stationed there since the spring of 1905. He was a native of Orbisonia, Huntingdon county, and was ordained a minister in 1868. Since then he has filled many important appointments in the conference. He was stationed at Milesburg for three years and it was then the people of Bellefonte got to know him best. He was one of the most prominent Masons in the State and belonged to both the Bellefonte Chapter and Constans Commandery. He was also an Odd Fellow.

DURST—Miss Lizzie Durst died at her home in Centre Hall on April 30th after a long period of invalidism. She was a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Durst, one of the early settlers of Potter township, and was aged seventy-two years. Surviving her are three brothers: Cyrus, of Boalsburg; George, of Centre Hall, and Philip, of Centre Hill. The funeral was held Thursday morning of last week. Rev. Gress officiated at the services and interment was made in the Lutheran cemetery.

FISHER—Mrs. Ezra Fisher died at her home in Boggs township, a half mile west of Snow Shoe intersection on Monday, of a complication of diseases. She was aged 79 years and was a woman who stood high in the estimation of all who knew her. Surviving her are her aged husband, two sons, James, of Halfmoon, and William, of Boggs township; and one daughter. The funeral was held on Wednesday and was one of the most largely attended held in the Bald Eagle valley in years.

KLINE—George Kline died at his home near Shiloh church, on Tuesday evening, at the advanced age of 86 years. He is survived by two sons and three daughters, namely: Rev. R. H. Kline, Allentown; Harrison Kline, of Spring township; Mrs. W. A. Ishler, of Bellefonte; Mrs. Harry Meese, of State College, and Miss Alice, at home. The funeral will be held this morning at 10 o'clock, interment to be made at Shiloh.

LAWSON—Robert Lawson, one of the representative citizens of Rush township, died at his home near Oceola Mills, last Thursday, after a very brief illness. For many years he was tax collector of Rush township and always did his work faithfully and well. He was aged sixty-five years and is survived by his wife and three children. The funeral was held on Sunday.

WOLFE—Oliver H. Wolfe died at his home at Wolf's Store Friday of last week of a complication of diseases, aged 60 years. He is survived by his wife and two children, Edward R., of Haines township, and Mrs. Joseph Myers, of Boalsburg; also by three sisters. The funeral was held on Tuesday, interment being made at Rebersburg.

WALKER—Mrs. Jonathan Walker died at her home near Wolf's Store last Friday night of neuralgia of the heart. She was aged sixty-six years and is survived by three sons and three daughters. The funeral was held at 1.30 o'clock Monday afternoon, interment being made at Rebersburg.

RAYMOND—Isaac Raymond, one of the old-time settlers of Pennsylvania, died at Farmers' Mills, Thursday of last week, aged 89 years. He is survived by one son, Jacob Raymond, of Millheim. The funeral was held on Sunday.

MCCAIN—Mary Ann McCain, the eldest sister of the late ex-Governor Daniel H. Hastings, died at her home in Akron, Ohio, last Saturday and was buried on Tuesday. No further particulars were obtainable at this writing.

BOROUGH COUNCIL—Every member of borough council was present at the regular meeting Monday evening. D. P. Fortney presented a petition asking for a brick crossing from the First building across High street to the court house. The matter was referred to the Street committee. The Street committee reported the repairs on the road to Coleville about completed. The Water committee reported that the fountain in front of the court house yard would have to be moved but no definite location was decided upon. The Finance committee made its monthly report which showed a balance due the borough treasurer of \$723.

The walk in front of the house on Thomas street occupied by A. M. Arney was reported in bad condition and the property owners are to be notified to fix it. The bond of W. A. Ishler, the new water tax collector, in the sum of \$5,000, with the Bellefonte Trust company as bondsmen, was approved.

The following bills were approved and orders drawn: Police pay roll.....\$50 00 Bellefonte Electric Co..... 50 00 Bellefonte Electric Co..... 14 00 Bellefonte Gas Co..... 48 10 W. T. Kelly, 1 month as clerk..... 12 50 B. F. Williams..... 2 25 Bellefonte Electric Co..... 268 00 Bellefonte C. R. R..... 49 39 J. H. Wetzel..... 14 60 Street pay roll..... 169 16 R. B. Taylor..... 12 30 H. B. Postius..... 23 03 Water works pay roll..... 81 25 John I. Owsine..... 7 85 W. T. Kelly..... 2 20 Bellefonte Electric Co..... 4 35 Jenkins brothers..... 14 20 Consolidated Oil Co..... 16 74 Garbrick & Co..... 7 50 J. Thomas Mitchell, auditor..... 30 00 C. K. Hicklen, auditor..... 30 00 Maurice Jackson, auditor..... 39 00

MONUMENT DEDICATION PROGRAM.—The following program of exercises has been arranged for the dedication of the statue of the Hon. Andrew G. Curtin and the monument to the soldiers and sailors of Centre county on Friday, June 8th, 1906: 10:30 a. m.—Grand Military, G. A. R. and Civic parade. 1:30 p. m.—General meeting. Singing—"America," by the pupils of the public schools. Invocation.—Rev. H. C. Holloway, D. D. Introductory Address.—Gen. James A. Beaver, presiding.

Presentation of the Curtin Statue on behalf of the State Commission.—Hon. Samuel W. Pennypacker, Governor of Pennsylvania, chairman of the Commission. Reception on behalf of the County Commissioners.—Hon. Wm. C. Helmle. Presentation of the Soldiers' and Sailors' Monument on behalf of the contributors and people of Centre county.—Hon. John G. Love.

Reception on behalf of the County Commissioners.—Col. J. L. Spangler. Singing—"The Star Spangled Banner," by the schools. Address—"The Life and Character of Hon. Andrew Gregg Curtin," Hon. Alexander K. McClure, of Philadelphia. Tribute to Gov. Curtin on behalf of the Soldiers' Orphans.—Jacob A. Cramm, of Harrisburg. Address—"The American Private Soldier," Gen. Thomas J. Stewart, Adjutant General of Pennsylvania.

Singing—"We are Tenting on the Old Camp Grounds Tonight," by the schools. Benediction.—Rev. Father Meardie. NOTE.—The exercises will close before the departure of the 4:44 p. m. train.

WILL GO TO ENGLAND.—Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Bradley, of this place, are completing arrangements for a trip to England to visit their old home. It is now between thirty-five and forty years since the Bradleys left their native land and came to America to locate and in all those years they have never gone back to the olden shores. And now they are to be given this pleasure through the kindness and generosity of their sons, Robert and Benjamin and their son-in-law, Prof. George P. Bible, who will bear the expenses of the trip. And to make it even more pleasant Prof. and Mrs. Bible will accompany them and perhaps their son Robert may also go along. They will sail from New York on the June 9th and will go direct to their old home in Gloucestershire, England, where Mr. Bradley has a sister living and Mrs. Bradley also has one. They expect to be gone two months and while the Bradleys spend the time with their relatives Prof. and Mrs. Bible will tour Europe.

Spring Mills. William Pealer had his fine residence very handsomely painted last week. Our farmers are very busy just now, garden planting and white washing fences, while quite a number have their potatoes ready for the patch. The "juvenile nine" of Centre Hall, played a baseball game with the same caliber of Spring Mills on Saturday last. The score was 10 to 0 in favor of Spring Mills. Try again boys; don't be scared at a defeat, that's nothing—when you get used to it. The Pennsylvania railroad company will soon commence building the bridge over the tracks from Allison's grain house, a considerable elevation, to meet the road on the opposite hill. Several serious accidents occurred at this crossing. It is a dangerous place at any time. On Tuesday evening last a surprise party astounded Mrs. C. P. Long by taking possession of her parlors and dining room and making preparations for a grand feast. Of course Mrs. Long was ignorant of anything of the kind being in view, but she soon entered into the spirit of the occasion, and an evening of great pleasure followed; about seventy-five were present. At rather a late hour all retired to their respective homes, expressing themselves as having been delightfully entertained, and wishing Mrs. Long many returns of the day.

The return game played here ten days ago between the Spring Mills and Centre Hall teams was rather an idle pastime, the score being something like the handle of a jug, all on one side—16 to 34 in favor of Spring Mills. The Centre Hall team can play better but on this occasion evidently left all their skill at home, as they displayed very little of it on the diamond. The honors are now even, the Spring Mills team being defeated in the previous game, now for the deciding battle. Let both teams put a little more dash and vim in the game then it will be exciting and of course more interesting.

Earl Bathgate, one of the sons of Centre county who is taking a course as a trained nurse in the hospitals of the United States, was sent to San Francisco to help care for the sick in that city. Mrs. Anthony Knopf passed away Saturday, of dropsy and old age. Deceased was 75 years, 2 months and 9 days old. The funeral services were held Monday and were conducted by Rev. Walter Harsh. Interment was made in the Boalsburg cemetery.

Yarnell Personal. Ellis Powell, of Altoona, spent last week at his home here. Miss Lenore Thompson, of Pittsburg, is visiting her many friends at this place. There will be preaching services in the U. B. church, next Sunday evening, and in the U. B. chapel in the afternoon, at the usual hour. D. W. McClosky, of Wingate, Mrs. Welsh, of Clearfield, and Mrs. Johnson, of Zion, were callers at the home of A. G. Walker last week.

Pine Grove Mentions.

Dr. G. H. Woods is remodeling his home on Main street. Mrs. D. H. Krebs, who has been ill for some weeks, is better. G. E. Corl and wife visited relatives in the Mountain city last week. Jack Frost laid his hand heavily on vegetation Tuesday morning. Farmer Frank Fishburn transacted business in Boalsburg Monday.

The venerable W. H. Brown is so much improved as to be able to walk out about the yard. Alf. Bowersox, a salesman in the Mountain city, was here the early part of the week. Mr. Gettig, of Lemont, has just completed the roofing of Jacob Bottorf's barn on the Branch.

Ed. Decker, J. A. Fortney's right bower on the farm near Tusseyville, was home over Sunday. Samuel Hazel, the wool man from the Houserville woolen factory, is on the road buying wool.

J. B. Ard, wife and son were royally entertained at the cosy home of Ed. Duff, in the early part of the week. Oscar Stover, the bustling implement man of Boalsburg, purchased a handsome driving horse from M. O. Dreiblebis last Friday.

Alex McCoy, one of Potter township's successful farmers and stock raisers, spent Sunday at the J. A. Decker home on Main street. Thomas A. Frank, mine host of the Red Lion hotel at Baileyville, was introducing Jim Linn, of Carlisle, to our merchants on Monday.

J. H. Oaks, one of the most successful farmers in Shaver's Creek valley, was around among the farmers on Wednesday in quest of good stock cattle.

Mrs. J. H. Neidigh and Thomas Kustaborder, who visited Dr. David Kustaborder, who will soon go to a hospital in Chicago to undergo treatment for tuberculosis. Owing to the absence of Mary Ward, who is spending some time in Bellefonte, Miss Annie Fortney presided at the organ in the Presbyterian church Sunday evening.

Emory Johnson has sold his large furniture store at Jersey Shore and is casting his eyes around for a new location. For the present he and his wife are rustating among their friends hereabouts. Postmaster J. G. Hess is spending his spare moments raising fancy fowls. Among his fancy broods is one with four full developed legs, and the chick walks on three of them. He expects to have it at the Centre county fair in the fall.

After thirty years service in Lahore mission fields in India, Rev. William Goheen and family returned home on Friday. After a brief visit with his aged father, J. J. Goheen, at Rock Springs, they will spend several months in Wooster, Ohio. Bob, one of the large and beautiful mated grays used in the mill wagon, took sick on Friday evening and died the next morning. The team was driven to Bellefonte on Friday as usual, no ailment was noticeable until the horse was in the stable when he refused to eat. The team was owned by Kepler and Musser and was valued at \$500. The mate is now for sale.

Lemont. Lemont was well represented in Bellefonte on Tuesday. The farmers hesitate to put in the corn, owing to the cold weather. Thomas E. Mays, of Bellefonte, Sundayed at the home of his father. Mr. Jacob Bottorf, who has been on the sick list, is improving slowly. Tuesday morning brought us a heavy frost and the thermometer stood at 33°. Carrie M. Williams and sisters visited the county seat Friday to do some shopping. The Whittanywills are making it real lively along Nippaw mountain these evenings. Prof. George Bible, of Philadelphia, enjoyed a day at Houserville, his old home, last week. Wesley Decker and wife, of Altoona, were seen pass through town Saturday on their way to the home of Fred Decker, on the Branch. Jonathan Shuey and wife, and C. D. Houtz and wife spent Sunday with George Williams. Houser Bros., of State College, are doing some papering in town and report business booming. Angus Ewing, a fireman on the Pittsburg division of the Penna. R. R., spent a week at the home of Samuel Ewing, in the Barrens. John E. Williams and wife drove over to Pine Grove Mills, to call on Mr. and Mrs. William Brouse, who have been on the sick list for some time. The Pennsylvania Telephone company is having their lines in these parts put in first class order, with new poles and two extra copper wires, from Bellefonte to State College.

Earl Bathgate, one of the sons of Centre county who is taking a course as a trained nurse in the hospitals of the United States, was sent to San Francisco to help care for the sick in that city. Mrs. Anthony Knopf passed away Saturday, of dropsy and old age. Deceased was 75 years, 2 months and 9 days old. The funeral services were held Monday and were conducted by Rev. Walter Harsh. Interment was made in the Boalsburg cemetery.

Yarnell Personal. Ellis Powell, of Altoona, spent last week at his home here. Miss Lenore Thompson, of Pittsburg, is visiting her many friends at this place. There will be preaching services in the U. B. church, next Sunday evening, and in the U. B. chapel in the afternoon, at the usual hour. D. W. McClosky, of Wingate, Mrs. Welsh, of Clearfield, and Mrs. Johnson, of Zion, were callers at the home of A. G. Walker last week.