

### Bellefonte, Pa., May 18, 1906.

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#### Democratic Primary Election and Con vention.

The Democratic voters of Centre county will meet at the regular places for holding the general elections, in their respective election districts, on Saturday, June 2nd, 1906, to elect delegates to the County Convention. Under the rules of the party the officers for holding the primaries will consist of the committeeman and two assistants in each district, and the election will be opened at 3 o'clock p. m., and close at 7 o'clock p. m.

The delegates chosen at the above stated time will meet in the court house, in Bellefonte, on Tuesday, June 5th, 1906, at 12 o'clock noon and

nominate the following: One candidate for Congress. One candidate for Senate.

One candidate for Assembly. One candidate for Jury Commissioner

Three Congressional Conferees. Three Senatorial Conferees.

A Chairman of the County Committee to serve from the 1st day of January, 1907, to the 1st day of January, 1908, and transact such other busin as may come before the convention. APPORTIONMENT OF DELEGATES.

The number of delegates to which each election district is entitled based upon the vote for President in 1904, and as apportioned by the

BOROUGHS	Harris120
Bellefonte, N W128 3	Howard60
" S W1713	Huston57
" W W721	Liberty E66
Centre Hall822	" W64
Howard431	Marion69
Milesburg241	Miles East Co
Millheim1212	Miles, East66 " Middle141
Philipsburg, 1 W531	" West71
" 9 W 07 9	Patton 70
" 2 W972 " 3 W681	Patton70
South Philipsburg241	Penn
State College751	" South97
Unionville241	south91
TOWNSHIPS	West101
Benner, North641	Rush, North75
" South 561	" South32
Boggs, North221	
East361	Snow Shoe, East.101
" West481	West47
Burnside201	Spring, North57 South116
College601	South116
Curtin451	" West461
Ferguson, East1252	Taylor20
" West401	Union
Grand North 70	Walker, East58
Gregg, North701	" Middle81
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West	Worth431
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BELLEFONTE, PA., May 12th, 1906. I hereby certify that in accordance with the rules of the Democratic party of Centre county requiring the registration of all candidates three weeks prior to the primary election, the following named persons have duly registered and ar eligible to be voted for at the primaries :

Congress-H. S. Taylor, Bellefonte Boro. Senate-R. M. Foster, State College. Scnate-W. C. Heinle, Bellefonte Boro. Assembly-John Noll, Bellefonte Boro. Jury Commissioner-D. W. McCloskey, Boggs

Jury Commissioner-J. A. Hazel, Spring Twp. H. S. TAYLOR.

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Precinct.	Name.	P. O. Address
Bellefonte N W	J. C. Harper,	Bellefonte
" SW	P. H. Gerrity.	**
" WW	Geo. R. Meek,	14
Centre Hall Boro	D. I. Money	(1 11 ·
Howard "	D. J. Meyer, Howard Moore,	Centre Hal
Howard "	Howard Moore,	Howard
Milesburg "	Ed Grove	Milesburg
Millheim "	Pierce Musser, Dr. F. K. White,	Millheir
Philipsburg 1st W	De F W White	Distillanten
	Dr. F. K. White,	Philipsburg
" 2nd W		20.44
a srd W	Ed. G. Jones,	- 11
8. Phalipsburg	Joseph Gates	11
State College Boro	D. G. Meek. P. J. McDonell,	State College
Unionville "	D. J. Meek.	State College
	P. J. McDonell,	Fleming
Benner Twp. N P	John F. Grove.	Bellefonte
" S P	John Grove.	" R. F. 1
Boses Two N P	John Grove, Ira P. Confer,	
E P	I C Power her.	Yarnel
" E P	J. C. Barnhart,	Roland
- WP	Seymore Confer,	Milesburg
Burnside Twp.	William Hipple,	Pine telent
College "	D. A. Grove, St.	College H F T
Curtin "	P A Possession	conege is F I
	K. A. Poorman,	Romole
	R. A. Poorman, Wm. H. Fry, Pin	e Grove Mills
" " W P	Sumner Miller, Pe	mus Furnace
Fregg Twp. N P	J. C. Rossman, H. P. Herring,	Spring Mill.
" EP	H P Harring	Done Hal
	n. r. nerring,	renn Hall
W. W. W.	John Smith,	Spring Mills
Haines Twp. W P	Ralph E. Stover,	Aaronsburg
	1. D. Orndorf.	Woodward
Haif Moon Twp.	Emory McAfee,	Stonmatown
Harris "	Isthory McAlee,	Stormstown
	John Weiland,	Boalsburg
arount a	A. M. Butler,	Howard
Huston "	Henry Hale,	Julian
Liberty Twp. E P	D. S. Smith,	Blanchard
Liberty Twp. W P	Albert Description,	
Manie Inp. n P	Albert Bergner,	Monument
Marion "	J. W. Orr,	Walker
Miles Twp E P	Thos N. Stover,	Livonia
" M P	Geo B Winters	Smulton
" WP	Geo. B. Winters, G. Ed. Miller,	
Patton Tue	G. Ed. Miller,	Millheim
Patton Twp.	Thos. M. Huey,	Waddle
renn	Al Auman	Cohnen
Potter " S P	F. A.Carson ,	Potters Mills
" " N P	Goo H Kroupiale	Contno Hat
" " W P	Geo. H. Emerick	, centre Hall
ADMINISTRAÇÃO DO CARROLINA DA PORTO DA CONTRACTOR DE CONTR	J. P. Spangler, Wm. E. Frank,	Insseyville
Rush " N P	Wm. E. Frank,	Philipsburg
" " EP		
" " S P	Henry G. Itannel	er Retori
Snow Shoe E P	Henry G. Dannek Lawrence Reddin James Culver	e Spout St
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WP	James Culver	Moshannon
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	John Multinger,	Pleasant Gan
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	D. J. Kelley,	Bellefonte
" WP	** * **	
Taylor Twp. WP	P. A. Hoover,	Port Matilda
Taylor Twp.	D. J. Kelley, P. A. Hoover, Mark Hall,	Port Matilda
Taylor Twp.	Mark Hall,	Port Matilda Fleming
Taylor Twp. Union "Walker Twp E P	Solomon Peck,	Port Matilda Fleming Nittany
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# For the San Francisco Sufferers.

H. J. JACKSON, Secretary.

H. S. TAYLOR, County Chairman.

While every city and town in the United States are doing what they can for the San Francisco catastrophe Bellefonte does ready been started for that purpose.

At the request of the secretary of the Penusylvania 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

The contributions to date are as follo	ws:
Centre County Banking Co	\$100,00
First National Bank	100,00
Col. W. Fred Reynolds	50.00
Bellefonte Trust Co	25.00
Dr. Thomas R. Hayes	25,00
Mrs. H. F. Kurtz	10.00
Charles R. Kurtz	5,00
Mrs. N. J. Twitmire	1.00
Dr. E. S. Dorworth	5.00
Bellefonte M. E. church	90,90
Bellefonte U. B. church	
Edward Richard	4.50
Mrs. Edward Richard	5,00
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Pine Hall Reformed church	10.38
Pine Hall Retormed church	9.62
C. H. Struble	1.00
Sarah Reed	1.00
Albert Bradford	1.00
Bellefonte St. John's Reformed church	20,65
Bellefonte Presbyterian church	100.00

#### ADDITIONAL LOCALS.

DEATH OF DR. CARL V. VISCHER .- In the death of Dr. Carl V. Vischer, at the home of Dr. M. J. Locke in this place, at 8:30 o'clock Suaday morning, Bellefonte and Centre county feels the loss of this EDITOR eminent surgeon almost as much as does Philadelphia, the city of his nativity. Dr. Vischer had been exceptionally successful in his brief career as an operating surgeon, a fact so well demonstrated by his work in this place. He was a man of untiring zeal and energy and, notwithstanding his large practice in Philadalphia, which overtaxed his strength, he was at all times ready to hearken to any call for his services which came from Bellefonte for, as he frequently expressed himself, he loved the town and the people; and more than once he said that when his time would come he hoped he could come here to die, a wish that was gratified to the meagre consolation, if such it can be termed, of his numerous friends here. From the Philadelphia Ledger we reprint the following sketch of his life :

Dr. Carl V. Vischer was born in 1867 and was the son of C. A. Vischer, a druggist for twenty-four years at 1216 Girard avenue, he received his early training in the Philadelphia public schools. He studied at the academy of the New Church at Bethayres. Pa., and in 1887, at the age of 20, was graduated from Hahnemann college. During the next year he was resident physician at the Children's hospital. In 1888 he went to Europe and studied in the Universities of Heidelberg

and studied in the Universities of Heidelberg and Vienna, giving his attention particularly to surgery and pathology.

Returning here, he took the chairs of pathology and of surgery at the Hahnemann, and, then only 23 years old, introduced the study of bacteriology there. He was one of the organizers of St. Luke's hospital, and when the first trustees despaired of its success, did much to save it by sending his patients there and by other aid.

During this time he found hours to develo

During this time he found hours to devote During this time he found hours to devote to his duties as consulting surgeon at the McKinley Memorial hospital at Trenton, and to the Wilmington Homeopathic hospital, where he held the same position, as well as to write for American Medicine, Annals of Surgery and the American Journal of Homeopathy of Homeopathy. He was president of the Oxford Medical club and a member of the Homeopathic County Medical society, the American Institute of Medicine, the A. R.

Thomas Medical club. In social life he was just as active, being a nember of the Pennsylvania Historical member of the Pennsylvania Historical society, the Academy of Natural Sciences, the Navy League, the Automobile club and the Columbia club. An enthusiastic sportsman, who had hunted the moose in Maine and smaller game in the South, he was a member of the Nittany Rod and Gun club, of Bellefonte, and of the Philadelphia Athletic club. He was a member of the Royal Arcanum. In Masonic circles he was a member of Jerusalem chapter of the Royal Arch Masons, a senior warden of Concordia Lodge, a knight of St. John's Commandery, a member of the Phila-John's Commandery, a member of the Philadelphia Consistory and a Mystic Shriner, connected with Lu Lu Temple. Constant in his attention to these mani-

fold connections, he fell an easy prey to that dread disease, diabetes, when it suddenly made itself apparent a year ago last November, particularly, his friends say, because he continued, save for a trip to Georgia last January, when he spent several weeks hunting small game, to work as he had worked all his life. He was taken to Bellefonte on May first but was then beyond all medical

Doctor Vischer was an only child, and his death leaves his father without a relative. A widow, who was Miss Emily Pierce, daughter of Dr. Thomas Pierce, of Wenonah, Minn., and two small sons sur-

Brief funeral services were held at the bome of Dr. Locke, on Allegheny street, He was fifty-eight years of age and was a

on the 8:16 p. m. train Monday and taken to his late home on Poplar street from where the funeral was held on Wednesday.

s/mpathy and helpfulness, gone out, leaving a void that eternity alone can fill. Although-

"To live in hearts we leave behind is not to

longed illness with a complication of dis ple in this place, having frequently visited for interment. here in the past when her brother, John C. Miller, lived in Bellefonte.

She is survived by her busband and two children, Mrs. Martha G. Caldwell and by Register Earle C. Tuten. George N. Garretson; one sister, Miss Mary B. Miller, of Bellefonte, and two brothers, William, of Waterloo, Iowa, and John C., now of Barnesboro. The funeral was held | Clarence. on Wednesday afternoon, interment being made in the Fairview cemetery at Hunt-

READINGER.-Nicholas Readinger died at the home of David Kinkead, in Philipsburg, Tuesday of last week, of a general and Elizabeth M. Alexander, of Centre breaking down of the system. He was H-11. aged eighty-seven years and is survived by the following children : Mrs. David Kinboth of Spring Mills. kead and Miss Amanda Readinger, of Philipsburg; Mrs. Miller, of Reading; Henry, relief of the unfortunate sufferers of the of West Point, Neb., and Nicholas, of Allentown. He also leaves one brother not want to be behind and a fund has al. and a sister living at Fleetwood, to which place the remains were taken on Friday for

WISE .- H. I. Wise died at his home in Berwick on Saturday evening, May 5th, of apoplexy. Deceased was forty-three years of age and was a native of Centre county, now the sufferers of San Francisco need it. baving been born near Zion where he lived until about nine years ago when he movel to Berwick. He is survived by his wife and four children; his mother, one sister and a brother, all of Berwick.

> GIBBONEY.-Frank Gibboney, a former resident of Philipsburg, died in a Pitts-, burg hospital on Wednesday morning after big plate glass windows in some of the pleasure and enjoyment. Refreshments of a an illness of three weeks. He is survived store rooms in the Brockerhoff house block by one daughter, Mrs. Nellie Troutman, of have been sinking and to avoid any broken late hour, and after being delightfully en-Philipsburg; his mother, three sisters and glass by their giving away entirely car- tertained, all retired to their respective

HAUPT .- Simeon Haupt, one of the oldest and most familiar figures of Bellefonte, died at his bome on west Logan street, at 10 o'clock Friday evening, after a few day's illness. He had not been in the best of health for some time though able to be out and around until a week ago last Sunday evening when he was stricken with paralysis. He was rendered unconscious

and in that condition he lingered until the end came. Deceased was the son of Henry and Mary Campbell Haupt and was born in Treverton, Pa., January 20th, 1827, thus making his age 79 years past. He came to Bellefonte while yet a young man and lived here ever since. For many years past he was one of the tipstaves in the county court. rine Yarger, of Hartleton, who survives with the following children : Alfred B., Mrs. Emanuel Klepper and Mrs. Melton Sample, of Philadelphia; Henry and Mrs. G. F. Musser, of Bellefonte; Mrs. Phil D. Foster and Mrs. Frank Crosthwaite, State College; he also leaves one sister, Mrs. Louise Yolton, of Treverton.

The funeral was held from the house at and interment was made in the Union Philadelphia.

RUTTER. - A very sudden death in Patton township, was that of L. C. Rutter, which occurred on Saturday afternoon while he was engaged at his work as superintendent at the Red Bank ore mines of the Bellefonte furnace company. Mr. Rutter was apparently in the best of health and had eaten a hearty dinner. About four o'clock in the afternoon he suddenly fell to the ground and by the time some of the workmen got to his side he was dead. Heart disease was the cause.

Deceased was born at Bloomsburg and was fifty-six years of age. He came to Centre county about twenty years ago and for many years worked in some capacity at the ore mines at Scotia or Red Bank. He was a man possessed of an exceptionally genial character and had hosts of friends who keenly feel his untimely death. He is survived by his wife but no children. The remains were taken to Bloomsburg on Tuesday for interment

BARR .- Fountain C. Barr died at his home in Altoona, last Wednesday afternoon, of hemorrhages of the stomach, after an illness of six days. He was forty-two years of age and a native of Centre county, having been born in Ferguson township. A number of years ago he located in Altoona where he was employed as a plasterer by the Knickerbocker Construction company. He is survived by his wife and two funeral was held on Saturday.

HOLLIDAY .- Robert L. Holliday, super-Dover, Del., last Saturday, of apoplexy. monument. son of Flemming Holliday, having been two sons.

WALK .- Michael Walk died at his home at O-ceola Mills last Saturday, at the age GARRETSON. - Mrs. Caroline Miller of forty-nine years. He was a son of the Garretson, wife of deputy sheriff George late Benjamin and Sarah Walk, and was Highway act, from Fryberger's mill to W. Garretson, died at her home in Hunt- born in Taylor township, this county. He Troy's bridge, near Philipsburg, and work ingdon on Sunday afternoon, after a pro- is survived by his wife, six sons and one on the same will be begun soon. In the daughter; also two sisters, Mrs. Thomas meantime the move started in this place eases. Deceased was born in Huntingdon Snyder, of Vail, and Mrs. Mary J. Han- last fall for a state road between Bellefonte sixty-seven years ago and lived all her life cock, of Windber. The funeral was held and Milesburg seems to have gone the way there. She was a most estimable woman on Tuesday, the remains being taken to of the Bellefonte-State College trolley and was well known by a number of peo- Mt. Pleasant cemetery, in Taylor township, road movement, as neither one has been

> MARRIAGE LICENSES.-The following marriage licenses were issued the past week

W. T. Vail, of Moshannon, and C. M. Burns, of Snow Shoe.

John Dauko and Mary Belks, both of

Clarence E. Miller, of Pittsburg, and Anna M. Brungart, of Rebersburg.

Millard B. Albright and Della Mullinger, both of Yeagertown.

Sumner W. Eisenhuth, of Mifflinburg, Foster S. Heckman and Masy A. Long,

-Leo Stevens, the balloonist, had a narrow escape from death on Tuesday afternoon. With Tracey A. Tisdell he made an ascent in New York for the purpose of taking moving pictures. With a gas balloon of 25,000 cubic feet capacity, they arose to delphia and Pittsburg. a height of twelve hundred feet and were sailing through the clouds on a course directly up the Hadson river when their the Evangelical church building? This walk rapidly into the river at a point at the foot | night simply a dangerous trap for some peof the Palisades, opposite Yonkers. They destrian to meet with a serious accident. were dragged over rocks and islands until utterly exhausted when they were rescued they lost their camera and other parapher-

nalia

-Clement Dale E-q., will be the Memorial day orator in Bellefonte.

John G. Platt and family have moved from Philipsburg to Atlantic City. -On Wednesday State College defeated the Army base ball team at West Point by

the score of 9 to 2. --- Hezekiah Sproul, of Mingoville, has had his pension increased from ten to twelve dollars a month

-The entertainment given by the gymnasium classes at the Y. M. C. A. on Tuesday evening was well worth the price of admission.

-George Tanner got quite a bad fall He was united in marriage to Miss Catha- in the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium last Saturday and as a result is now nursing a badly bruised head and shoulders

> The Samuel Musser farm located near Penn Hall was sold at executor's sale last week and bought by the two sons, John and Samuel Jr., for \$61.55 an acre.

-Announcement has just been made of the marriage in Atlantic City, on April 2 o'clock Monday afternoon. Rev. James 21st last, of Miss Eleanore Kathryn Burns, B. Stein, of the Methodist church, officiated of Howard, and Edwin Forest Watt, of

> new flag, one twelve by twenty-five feet in size, which he intends unfurling for the first time on the morning of June 8th, the day of the dedication of the soldiers' monu---- It is said that the same parties who

built the new Dimeling hotel in Clearfield have secured an option on a very desirable location in Lock Haven with a view of erecting a hotel similar to the Dimeling in Presbyterian church here at 10.30 o'clock a. m., May 27th. Rev. W. K. Harnish, of State

-Mrs. McIlnay, wife of Rev. G. W. serious operation in the Lock Haven hos. city before returning home pital about ten days ago but at this writing is reported as getting along as well as can be expected.

--On Monday Charles Woodin, of Ty rone, went to Clearfield, took a look at the Windsor house, asked the proprietor what he would take for the place, closed the deal in less than half an hour and took charge on Tuesday morning.

-Mr. A. G. Morris, of Tyrone, on Tuesday completed ten years service as a member of the board of managers of the Huntingdon reformatory and Wednesday morning he received notice that he had been appointed for another ten years' term by Governor Pennypacker.

--- Don't forget that there has been a change in the dates for "The Drummer children, six brothers and four sisters. The Boy of Shiloh." Instead of May 29.h, 30th and 31st, it will be given on Thursday, Friday and Saturday, May 31st and June 1st and 2nd, with a probability of its intendent of the Delaware division of the being repeated on the night of June 8th, Pennsylvania railroad, died at his home in the day of the dedication of the soldiers'

--- The latest reports from Lock Haven born in Blair county. He had many are to the effect that the condition of Judge The remains were taken to Philadelphia friends in Bellefonte and Centre county as C. A. MAYER, of that place, is such that well as in various parts of the State. He there is grave doubt of his recovery. He entered the railroad service in 1869 and rallied so nicely from the operation he unsince that had risen from a rod-man and derwent in the Germantown hospital sev-A life well rounded out, full of nobility, surveyor to the position of division superintendent. He is survived by his wife and well, but he has not been gaining strength lately; in fact he has been losing and the worst is feared.

> -Engineers have completed the survey for a piece of state road under the State heard of for a long time.

## Spring Mills.

J. H. Hoch and T. B. Smith, of New Berlin, were here last week visiting friends in

The cold wave which struck the valley the forepart of last week with a slight frost and some ice, apparently did no particular damage.

The Spring Mills team was again the victor in the game with the Centre Hall nine on Saturday last, the score being 17 to 12. On Saturday next the Spring Mills nine will play a game with the Millheim team.

John Snavely is making arrangements to turn his building, formerly occupied as a tin shop, and will remodle it entirely. He intends opening a photographic gallery. Mr. Snavely understands the business thorough-

D. H. Schlegal deals very largely in wall paper, and is kept very busy hanging it. Mr. Schlegal says that he has now on file He is sole agent for firms in Chicago, Phila-

Whose duty is it to repair the board walk from the iron bridge over Penns creek to balloon suddenly collapsed and they fell is in a deplorable condition, and on a dark

A very large surprise party greeted Mrs. Braucht, on Friday evening last, it being by some fishermen in boats. The injuries the anniversary of her birthday, and it was sustained by the two men were slight but certainly much to that lady's astonishment, as she had not the remotest idea that any thing of the kind was in contemplation. Eighty or ninety were present and the even--For some time past the sills of the ing was passed in one continual round of choice and substantial character were served to which all did ample justice. At quite a three brothers. The remains were brought penters this week removed the old sills and homes wishing Mrs. Braucht many returns of the day.

Pine Grove Mention

Miss Ada Gardner has been under the doctors care the past week On account of the drouth many farmers

John D. Dreiblebis and wife Sundayed with relatives in Bellefonte.

Ed. Woomer, of Graysville, enjoyed drive Sunday to friends at Benore. James Keller, farmer and lumberman of Stone valley, was here on Wednesday.

Sanford Wilson, of Charter Oak, was looking after a little business here on Monday. Jay Schruders left on the Monday morn-ing train for Alexandria, where he has a fat

Emory Johnson sold his team, of sorrels to the deputy sheriff of Clinton county Sat-

Gordon E. Harper is attending the annual O. O. F. grand lodge meeting in session in Pittsburg this week.

Jacob McClellan, of Bellefonte, was shaking hands with old cronies here in the beginning of the week. Emory Johnson hied himself to the Mountain city Tuesday in quest of a situa-tion in the furniture business.

Tommy Glenn with his baby girl came up from Bellefonte Monday for a days outing at grandpa Glenn's just west of town.

Lloyd Barr who has been a student at a Pittsburg commercial college, is home at Gatesburg, in bed with typhoid fever. Homer Walker was recently appointed roadmaster of the east precinct of Ferguson and Chas. Meyers in the west precinct. -- James R. Hughes has just bought a

Harry Rossman and Harrison Brown, who pent Sunday with their parents, returned their studies at Selinsgrove on Monday. Grandmother Houser, of Houserville, is

enjoying a visit to her son, Dr. Houser, at Baileyville. Although 87 years of age she is quite brisk. Harry Walker had hard luck Tuesday. While hauling a load of lumber one of his horses dropped dead in its tracks on the

Spruce creek pike. Memorial services will be held in

College, will officiate. Newton Weaver, of Philadelphia, who has McIlnay, of Spring Mills, underwent a been visiting friends in Centre county, left on Monday for a brief stay in the Lumber

> Rev. A. A. Black is absent from his charge this week attending Classis in session in Lewistown. He is accompanied by L. Mothersbaugh as lay delegate.

J. W. Halman, of Pittsburg, with a corps of engineers are quarted at the St. Elmo. The men have been at work west of this and are leveling up and staking a line practically on the old survey of two years ago. They expect to join the corps east of this near the Red mill inside of ten days.

Memorial day services will be held May 30th under the auspices of Capt. J. O. Camp-bell Post, 272, G. A. R. Fairbook cemetery will be decorated by detail at 10 s. m., at 2 o'clock p. m. o'clock p. m., the services will be held here. John L. Holmes, of State College, will be the orator of the day. At Pine Hall at 6 p. m. Rev. R. M. Campbell, of Graysville, will make the address. Everybody is cordially invited to be present and assist in the observance of this day. observance of this day.

On Sunday noon the steam saw mill be-longing to J. D. Nearhood at Guyer burned together with a lot of carpenter tools, boardtogether with a lot of carpenter tools, ing shanties and stables. While the watchman had gone to dinner the high wind blew sparks of burning sawdust causing a conflagration, which soon made its way in to the adjoining timber lands destroying some fonces and wood. Mr. Nearhood's loss is fences and wood. Mr. Nearhood's loss is over one thousand dollars with no insurance. The mill will be replaced with a new one at

## Howard.

Miss Sarah Lucas took her little niece to the Lock Haven hospital for treatment. Merchant N. H. Yearick, of Walker, and his daughter, Miss Alta, have returned from

a trip to Philadelphia. Ellis Pletcher, of Buffalo, who was among the strikers of the longshoremen, was home until matters were adjusted.

Centre Brick company have men employed grading for a railroad and getting the foundation ready for the building.

Abe Weber is keeping pace in modern improvements, having completed a new brick walk in front of one of his properties.

Miss Catharine Kling and sister, Mrs. Walter Yearick, two pleasant ladies of Walker, did shopping in our town this week.

Rev. Dudley, of Blanchard, preached in the Christian chapel, and a very pretty duet was sung by Misses Nannie Lucas and Bessie Pletcher.

H. A. Moore, the hustling manager and salesman for the Howard Brick company, returned from eastern cities, where he closed several large contracts for brick.

The new hotel proprietor is remodeling the hotel in this place which when completed will be one of the finest equipped for convenience of guests in the county.

Eugene Kliue, of Coalport, who is check weighman at the mines, was laid off a few days last week and spent the time with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Kline.

W. B. Henderson, one of Howard's up right citizens is enjoying the sights of Pittsburg while representing Lick Run lodge No. 311, at the meeting of the Grand Lodge. Interesting exercises were held in the church last Sunday evening. At the Epworth League anniversary in M. E. church the

exercises were conducted by the young people. At a special meeting of borough council, last Monday evening, bids were received for the laying of 700 feet of water pipe. George enough orders to keep him busy 'til July. Leathers being the lowest bidder was awarded the job and is rapidly pushing the work

## Hublersburg.

to completion.

Mrs S. S. McCormick visited friends at Howard on Tuesday.

We are sorry to note the illness of John Gentzel, but hope for his speedy recovery. Joseph Dunkle and family, of Howard, were guests of the former's mother, Mrs. Rebecca Dunkle, on Sunday.

Harry Yearick, having recovered from the injuries received in the wreck near Altoons, returned to his work on Saturday.

Rev. H. I. Crow departed on Tuesday morning for Lewisburg where he will attend the annual meeting of the west Susquehanna Classis.

Prof. Gerhard accompanied Rev. Crow to Tylersville on Sunday afternoon, at which place the latter preached the sermon for the corner stone laying of the Reformed church.

#### Yarnell Personals.

George Walker visited his sister, Mrs. J. Poorman, of Snow Shoe, last week. Mrs. Tom Miller, of Marsh Creek, Sundayed with her father, Hezekiah Walker.

Wm. Malone, of Pitcairn, after a two week's visit with friends at this place, has returned home.

Baptism will be held at this place Saturday afternoon, May 26th, by C. C. Bingham, pastor of the U. B. church.

Callers at J. A. Confer's Sunday were: R. S. Confer and wife, J. Ed Confer and family, Charles and Earl Brown, Lawrence Croft, Orin Heaton, Miss Sara Watson, Lorene Thompson, Nina Woomer, Samantha Pownell and Mrs. J. E. Rickard.

### "AN IDOL OF MAN'S INVENTION"

New York, May 12.-The question of disciplining or of trying on heresy charges Rev. Dr. Samuel T. Carter, who several years ago became prominent in an effort to have the Westminster confession revised, was taken up by the presbytery of Nassau at Jamaica, L. I. The meeting was called because of a letter, in which Dr. Carter declares that he does not believe the Westminster confession to be the truth of God, but "an idol of man's invention as truly as any worshipped in Delhi, Pekin or Africa." This letter is addressed to the general assembly of the Presbyterian church, which meets May 18 in Des Moines, Ia. The writer enters a "protest and confes-

The letter is as follows: "Fathers and brethren: The presbytery of Nassau overturned the general assembly a year ago, asking that the brief statement of doctrine be substituted for the Westminster confession as the confession of our church. By a practically unanimous vote the general assembly rejected this overture and retained the Westminster confession. By this action of the assembly many ministers are compelled to declare their acceptance of a confession which they do not heartily believe, and many of our best members to acknowledge a creed of which they are ashamed. I appeal from this action of the assembly to the manliness and honesty of the ministry and membership of the Presbyterian church.

"Many years ago, when I was ordained to the ministry of the gosnel I declared in the most solemn manner that I believed the Westminster confession to be the truth of God. I now, in an equally solemn manner, declare that I do not believe it to be the truth of God; that I utterly reject it is a setting forth of the character of the heavenly father.

"There never was, there is not now, and there never will be such a God as the God of the Westminster confes-

sion. "It is an idol of man's invention as truly as any worshipped in Delhi, Pekin or Africa. I believe that the great and true God is infinitely and exquisitely good and gracious; that the one thing that we can neither fully receive nor declare is the boundless love of God: that all the noblest exhibitions of human love are but bright and beautiful sparks from that intense and divine flame-the love that through ages and generations has been leading men by the fullest wisdom and most tender providence to heights of knowledge. love and boundless hope that far transcend all human thought. I lift up this overwhelming divine love before my fellowmen, believing that this alone

will draw all men unto him. "I believe that the Westminster confession darkens and denies this great love of God, and should not be retained as a confession by any church today, and that our church is false to its great duty of being a true witness for God so long as it retains this confession.

"I send this protest and confession to the clerk of the general assembly, and I invoke upon it the blessing of Almighty God and the kindly judgment of all honest men."

The presbytery was in session only two hours. Upon its adjournment it was stated that the Carter case had been acted upon, but all the members were pledged to secrecy in the matter. FOUR HURT IN MINE EXPLOSION

Portion of Parrish Colliery at Ply-

mouth, Pa., Badly Wrecked. Wilkes-Barre, Pa., May 15 .- By the lightling of a feeder an explosion of gas occurred at the Parrish mine in Plymouth. It took place in No. 1, west slope, of the five-foot vein. Four miners were badly injured. The victims are: H. H. Hughes, burned about face, hands and arms: Robert Blakslee, burned on face, hands and legs; Walter Patton, burned on face and hands, and August Grablemis, fatally burned about head, face and other parts of the body.

The force of the explosion was felt throughout the mine, and much damage to the portions of the working wherein it took place.

There was great excitement for fear that many others had been injured, but this proved untrue when the rescuers went to their aid. The colliery laid idle for the balance of the day.

Labor Union Rejects Preacher.

St. Louis, May 14.-After a prolonged discussion, the Central Trades and Labor Union, by a vote of 48 to 74, rejected the application of Rev. E. W. McClusky for membership, representing the Presbyterian Ministers' Association, Rev. McClusky said that the object of his application for membership in the union was in pursuance of the action taken by the national body of the Presbyterian church ir having adopted a department of church and labor in the interest of fraternity and courtesy and religious

opportunity.