

To Correspondents.—No communications published unless accompanied by the real name of the writer.

THINGS ABOUT TOWN AND COUNTY

John Gowland has been reappointed postmaster at Philipsburg.

Miss Lillian Walker has been confined to the house with a slight illness this week.

L. C. Rerick is lying quite ill at his home on Willowbank street as the result of a stroke of paralysis.

Clyde Franks, of Milesburg, was taken to the Bellefonte hospital on Wednesday last week suffering with typhoid pneumonia.

The annual dinner was held at the Country club last night which was attended by the majority of the members with their wives and sweethearts.

The kind of weather we are having now is the kind that makes the coal man smile and the ice man begin to think of his next year's crop maturing.

R. Bower Holter, local editor of the Daily News, suffered a relapse on Sunday night and all this week has been critically ill at his home on Pine street.

The Bellefonte council are holding every other night meetings now for the purpose of fully considering that municipal electric light plant question.

Miss Violet Longacre, who several weeks ago was operated upon for appendicitis, in the Bellefonte hospital, recovered sufficiently to be taken home this week.

Esau G. A. Trood Bidwell, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Bidwell, of this place, has been transferred from the U. S. S. Montgomery to his old ship, the Mississippi.

John Swartz, of Milesburg, is lying seriously ill with Bright's disease with which he has been afflicted the past three or four months, and there are grave doubts as to his recovery.

James Corl has taken the agency for the Royal visible typewriter and after he gets out of office as commissioner's clerk will sell machines, at least until he finds some more lucrative job.

Enoy Matilda Schofield, who has been in Bellefonte the past two months assisting Captain Craig, of the local Salvation Army corps, left in the beginning of the week for Kane where she will be stationed indefinitely.

The Basket Shop will hold a Christmas sale in Petriken hall for one week, beginning Monday, December 14th. Baskets and Russia brass, Russian wooden toys, ranging in price from 25 cents upwards, will be on sale.

William Waddle, secretary and treasurer of the Nittany Iron company, who for a number of years past has made his home at the Bush house, on Tuesday morning changed his place of residence to the Brookborough house.

Though it is a little late in the season the trout in Spring creek are in the midst of their spawning period and every day they can be seen dispersing in the water opposite the WATCHMAN office, only about a fly cast from the writer's desk.

The ladies of the Methodist church cleared forty dollars at their exchange in Petriken hall last Saturday afternoon and the Woman's Guild of the Episcopal church made twenty-one dollars from the exchange they held the same day in Sheffer's store.

Now that the hunting season is over the mighty nimrods have nothing to do but talk of what they might have done, discuss how the hunting laws should be amended and then digress onto the probabilities of the trout fishing season next spring.

All the cases of diphtheria and tonsillitis in Bellefonte are getting along nicely and every patient is on a fair way to recovery. So far there has been no general spread of the disease nor is there much likelihood of its reaching the epidemic period.

Mrs. A. T. Parker, of Jersey Shore, will celebrate her ninetieth birthday anniversary today (Friday) with a home gathering of all her living children. A number of these live in Centre county, among them being Mrs. H. M. Bidwell, of Bellefonte.

It did not take Frank Sasseran very long to decide that Bellefonte was a better place in which to run a barber shop than State College and on Monday he reopened his shop under the Centre County bank. The room has been nicely repaired and with new furniture Frank has now a very nice place.

On Monday the venerable William Rees, father of G. Wash Rees, was just eighty-nine years old. For the past five months he has been confined to his room at the home of his son on Reynolds avenue as the result of a stroke of paralysis. Mr. Rees is one of the oldest, if not the oldest, man in Bellefonte.

Col. and Mrs. J. L. Spangler have sent out invitations for the marriage of their niece, Miss Helen Romella VanPelt of Centre Hall, to John Daniel Smithgall, of Austin, Potter county; and the ceremony to take place in the Bellefonte Presbyterian church at six o'clock on Tuesday evening, December 22nd. A reception will follow at the residence of Col. and Mrs. Spangler.

KILLED ON SNOW SHOE RAILROAD.

An engine and two cars jumped the track and tumbled over the embankment at the big fill on the Snow Shoe railroad yesterday morning, so badly injuring Alonzo Bachman, the engineer, that he died at one o'clock in the afternoon. It is not definitely known what caused the accident as the train was not running at a high rate of speed. When the accident occurred the fireman was standing between the engine and tender and he was thrown a distance of thirty feet but fortunately escaped any serious injury. The engineer was caught in his seat by the tender crushing the cab upon him. He was brought on a special engine to this place and taken to the Bellefonte hospital where it was found that his injuries consisted of a fracture of the left leg below the knee, a fracture of the left thigh, badly lacerated scalp, nose torn off and scalded over the entire body. While none of the above injuries were necessarily fatal Mr. Bachman died at one o'clock from the shock. He was conscious to the last and told the physicians not to amputate his legs and to notify his wife of his condition.

He was twenty-seven years of age, married and lived in Tyrone. He had been promoted from a brakeman to an engineer only about two months ago and given the shifting engine on the Snow Shoe railroad. The body was prepared for burial and sent to his home in Tyrone on the evening train. The injured fireman was able to be taken to his home in Tyrone on the noon train yesterday. None of the brakemen were injured.

RAN NEEDLE INTO HAND.—One day last week while sewing Mrs. Bert Young, of east Bishop street, ran a needle into the fleshy part of the palm of her right hand and broke it off, about half the needle remaining in her hand. Her physician was somewhat baffled in definitely locating the broken needle and naturally did not want to perform an operation to extract the needle without knowing just where it was. In the meantime Mrs. Young could not use her hand and suffered considerable pain in addition.

On Monday it was decided that the best thing to do was to make an X-ray examination of her hand in order to determine just where the needle was located. This was done on Monday evening on the X-ray machine in the office of Dr. Locke. A photograph of the hand was taken which, when developed, plainly showed the course of the needle. With the photograph as a chart to go by it required only a slight operation to remove the broken needle, which was done on Wednesday. From the appearance of the needle in the hand, as shown by the photograph, it is evident that in the few days it was there it had worked its way into the hand almost a half inch deeper than it was when first lodged there. This has been one of the best and most successful X-ray tests ever made in Bellefonte and demonstrates the fact that it is not necessary to go away for such examinations.

HORSE AND BUGGY GET A FALL.—On Monday afternoon Joe Thal drove out on Willowbank street just over the borough line and hitched his horse to a telephone pole just opposite the residence of Charles Feisler. The telephone pole is right at the edge of a three foot embankment and in some way the horse got too close and slipped front feet foremost over the brink with the result that the residents of that section witnessed a most remarkable equine acrobatic exhibition. Going down head foremost the horse broke the boardwalk and falling along it and, tumbling two complete somersaults, both horse and buggy landed against the stone wall along David Miller's property down near the old car works dam site. Everybody who saw the accident naturally expected to find the horse badly crippled and the buggy smashed to smithereens but, remarkable as it may appear, the horse was not hurt in the least and the only damage done to the buggy was the spring of the dash outside in on one of the rear wheels, though the harness was pretty badly used up. The embankment at that place is about thirty feet high and so steep that it took six men to pull the buggy back onto the street, and it seems almost a miracle that the horse was not killed and the buggy smashed into kindling wood.

Men's heavy leather slippers, the kind that you can go out to the barn in to feed the chickens or dig a little garden, the kind that wear \$1.25 at Yeagers.

ANOTHER HYDRO-ELECTRIC POWER PLANT.—The Bellefonte Electric company recently purchased through Frank McCoy and John M. Shugert the water power rights of the old Bellefonte car works for \$8,000. It is their intention to put in a solid concrete breast at dam and then build a hydro-electric power plant. The power generated at the dam will be conveyed to their present electric light station at the foot of Lamb street. It is estimated that over one hundred horse power can be generated at the water power plant which added to their engine capacity of five hundred horse power will put them in a position to furnish power to any manufacturing concern of Bellefonte desiring it as well as have ample power for all lighting demands that may be made upon them. They expect to have the new plant in shape by July first of next year.

BIBLE DEPOSITORY.—The Bible Depository of the Centre County Bible society is always open in the Y. M. C. A. building, Bellefonte, where bibles and testaments can be had at cost, and a limited supply for grants to those unable to buy. Orders sent to Secretary Meserve or Missioner Crittenden will receive prompt attention.

Dr. Judson P. Welsh, president of The Pennsylvania State College, is now entitled to write LL. D., after his name as the Temple University of Philadelphia has conferred upon him the degree of Doctor of Laws.

James H. Potter recently purchased from the Stetsons, in Philadelphia, a Thomas Forty automobile and is now having the same put in first class shape at Keichline's garage and machine shop on Water street. Though the machine is a second hand one it has not been run very much and when Mr. Potter gets it overhauled he will have an automobile that will go with the best of them.

The attention of the people of Bellefonte and Centre county is called to the large number of advertisements in this issue of the WATCHMAN. A number of them offer holiday goods at holiday prices while others offer big bargains in their various lines. We call your attention to them in this way because every business man or firm who advertises in the WATCHMAN is worthy of your patronage.

Ladies good warm slippers 65c. at Yeagers.

Dillon, the star right halfback, has been elected captain of the Bellefonte Academy football team for the season of 1909. Though this was his first year on the Academy team he has the distinction of scoring on every team against which he played and the additional honor of making one hundred of the one hundred and fifty seven points scored. This is a record not equalled by any football player in the county.

The Lightner hunting crew of Charter Oak, Huntington county, took home from their hunt on the Seven mountains the deer fawn of the season. Instead of wearing a nice looking, gentlemanly pair of antlers it had but a single horn, which had grown out from the top of the head. It was between six and eight inches long and shaped like a saw. The Lightner party are very proud of their freak trophy which they are having mounted.

The death of Col. James P. Coburn, president of the First National bank of Bellefonte, leaves a vacancy in the list of officers of that institution. Inasmuch as the annual meeting of the stockholders will be held early in January the board of directors do not deem it necessary to call a meeting for the election of a new president until that time. Until a new president is elected Dr. George F. Harris, vice president of the bank, will be acting president.

At the regular meeting of the school board on Monday evening Miss Rose Fumble, who has been acting as substitute teacher during the absence of Miss Sallie Fitzgerald, was elected as the regular substitute. Supervising principal John D. Meyer reported the attendance at the schools during the past month as very good. In order to safeguard the schools from the spread of any contagious disease the board decided to have all the buildings fumigated frequently.

Men's good warm slippers 75c. at Yeagers.

On Tuesday Col. W. Fred Reynolds and Edward Richard, with Howard Best as chauffeur, left Bellefonte in the former's big Franklin touring car for Syracuse, N. Y., where the Colonel will have his machine thoroughly overhauled in the Franklin manufacturing. While that is being done Mr. Richard will take a look around and inspect the various makes of Franklin automobiles and there is every likelihood that before he leaves he will place an order for one of their best cars to be delivered early next spring.

Up to this time not a case of aphthous fever, or mouth and foot disease, has appeared among the cattle in Centre county, and in this respect the community is very fortunate. Individuals who have been shipping cattle into the county have been very careful where they purchased the same, and especially outting into the Buffalo, N. Y., market, from where it is imported the first cases of the disease were believed into this State. By continuing to exercise the same precaution there is hardly any possibility of the disease breaking out in this county.

The Scenic theatre has been showing some unusually fine pictures this week, a goodly number of which were the world-famed Pathe films. These are regarded the world over as the best films made and are mostly taken in France, though the large majority of those exhibited in the United States are developed and finished in Pathe's American factory at Bondbrook, N. J. In addition to the Pathe pictures exhibited the Scenic has the best and latest put out by the Essany Film company, the Edison company and Labin. You can always find the best and very latest pictures at the Scenic and hear good singing as well. Try it tonight.

A delightful birthday surprise party was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Osman, at Pine Hall, last evening, in honor of their daughter, Miss Esther's twentieth birthday. The young lady had been away on a week's visit and during the absence her mother planned and prepared for the party, and as she did not return home until yesterday she knew nothing about it until a large number of her young friends made their arrival last evening. In addition to the congratulations showered upon her she was the recipient of a large number of very pretty presents. Mrs. Osman had prepared a bountiful supper which was served the young people during the evening.

THE GINGERBREAD MAN.

Fred J. Nice, as "The Gingerbread Man," supported by a competent cast of characters and a commendable chorus gave a very creditable performance of Frederick Rankin and A. Baldwin Sloane's festive musical fantasy, "The Gingerbread Man," to a five hundred and fifty dollar house at Garman's on Tuesday evening. The very fact that the company was under the management of Nixon & Zimmerman gave the amusement lovers of Bellefonte confidence in the merits of the performance and they were not disappointed. There was little or no plot in the play but from the rise to the fall of the curtain there was a delightful jingle of music, wit and humor without a tiresome minute. While the cast was all good those who took the prominent parts were naturally the favorites were Fred Nice, as "The Gingerbread Man," Carrook Major, as "Machavalus Fudge," John J. McCowan, as "Wondrous Wise," Maurice Holden, the "Fairy Queen," Fred Holmes, as "Simon Simple," Adele Aroher, as "Jack Horner," Lola Renard, as "Mazie Bon Boo," and Rose Murray, as "Margery Daw." The singing of Miss Renard, Miss Murray, Carrook Major and the "Bob White Quartette," composed of Messrs. Landis, Heine, Clay and Miller, and the comedy parts of Mr. McCowan were among the features. The entire play was beautifully costumed and the stage settings quite elaborate.

Patent leather cloth top baby shoes 25c. at Yeagers.

PECULIARLY AFFLICTED.—Harris Sourbeek, son of Mr. and Mrs. John D. Sourbeek, is suffering from a peculiar ailment. When he went to bed last Friday evening he complained of having a pain in his back. Towards morning the pain grew so bad that his mother did all she could to relieve him. Feeling some better Saturday morning he got up and intended going to the store but while walking through the house sank to the floor, his limbs paralyzed from the hips down. It was at first feared that he had spinal meningitis but fortunately the ailment has not developed into that disease. Monday afternoon he was taken to the Bellefonte hospital and though every possible treatment has been resorted to there is as yet no noticeable improvement. He does not suffer any pain and has a fair appetite, but his legs are as useless as if he didn't have any. The attending physicians are inclined to believe his condition was brought on by a walk of over thirty miles he took the last day of the hunting season, and they have confidence to believe that eventually he can be cured.

Misses and childrens fur trimmed slippers 48c. at Yeagers.

IN MEMORY OF COL. COBURN.—Out of respect to the memory of the late Col. James P. Coburn, who was a member of the Centre-county bar association, the regular business of court was suspended at 2.15 o'clock on Monday afternoon and a brief memorial meeting was held. Very appropriate talks on the life and character of Col. Coburn were made by Hon. John G. Love, Hon. W. C. Heine and Col. D. F. Fortney. Judge Ellis L. Orvis then appointed Hon. John G. Love, Col. D. F. Fortney, Harry Keller, John Blanchard and Hon. W. C. Heine a committee to draft a fitting minute on the life and death of Col. Coburn and present same to the court.

Children's Jersey leggings 48c. at Yeagers.

TEACHER'S INSTITUTE.—County superintendent D. O. Eters has practically completed arrangements for the sixty-second annual teachers' institute which will be held in the court house the week beginning December 28th. As instructors he has secured Dr. Henry R. Stanford of New York; Dr. Urie N. Roark, of Richmond, Ky.; Prof. Harland E. Hall, of Mansfield, Ohio; Dr. Edwin Eric Sparks, president of the Pennsylvania State College, and Dr. F. A. Ott. The principal lecture of the week will be delivered by Hon. Thomas A. Gore, the blind Senator from Oklahoma. It will be on Thursday evening, December 31st, and the subject, "Abraham Lincoln and Jefferson Davis."

DEPUTY RECORDER.—Though the fact had been pretty generally known for a week or more Recorder-elect William H. Brown on Monday officially announced the fact that he had appointed Walter Armstrong of this place, his deputy. The appointee is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Armstrong and a graduate of the Bellefonte High school. Until the closing of their office in the Bush Arcade he was messenger for the American Express company on the Central Railroad of Pennsylvania. He is a pleasant and affable young man and should make an obliging official.

Men's leather slippers 3c. at Yeagers.

WOODMEN ELECT OFFICERS.—The Bellefonte Camp, No. 5683, Modern Woodmen of America, on Monday evening elected the following officers for the ensuing year: Venerable consul, George T. Bush; past consul, E. O. Struble; worthy advisor, William H. Lyon; clerk, J. Kennedy Johnston; banker, A. C. Mingle; escort, Harry D. Gehret; physician, Dr. M. J. Locke; sentry and watchman, Edward Cooke; board of managers, M. R. Johnson, George T. Bush and E. O. Struble.

Mrs. Louise VanTries Harris has decided to close her house the first of the year and take rooms in the James Curtis house on the corner of Allegheny and Howard streets. As a sort of preliminary farewell she gave a dinner last night to twelve of her intimate friends.

ELKS HOLD MEMORIAL SERVICE.

The Bellefonte Lodge of Elks, No. 1004, held memorial services in their lodge room opposite the court house on Sunday afternoon. Though the meeting was open to the public it was not made the occasion of a public gathering owing to the fact that the service was merely in accord with the customs of the Elks, as so far the Bellefonte Lodge is fortunate in not having any deceased members. The speaker for the afternoon was Hon. John G. Love and his remarks were both fraternal and impressive. The next annual memorial service of the Elks will be held the first Monday in December, 1909, and it is hoped that they will be able to show as clear a roster then, so far as death is concerned.

Court again next week.

News Purely Personal

Mrs. George Grim spent the week in Centre Hall.

Miss Carrie Harper is spending a few days in Williamsport.

Mrs. Albert Peters and daughter Helen, of Unionville, spent Sunday in Bellefonte.

Mrs. Dave Kelley and her little daughter Mary are in Baltimore, the guests of Miss Emily Polk.

John S. Rowe, of Centre Hall, transacted business in Bellefonte on Monday and was a caller at this office.

Mr. A. Grove went to Altoona on Tuesday to visit relatives for a few days, expecting to return today.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Clayton Brown, were in Aaronsburg Wednesday attending the funeral of Thomas Frank.

Mrs. William Harper, of Thomas street, favored the WATCHMAN with a brief but pleasant call on Wednesday.

W. B. Mingle, cashier of the Pennsylvania Banking company, at Centre Hall, transacted business in Bellefonte yesterday.

A. A. Aike of Curtin was one of the very much appreciated callers at the WATCHMAN office the latter part of last week.

Mrs. R. G. Larimer left Bellefonte yesterday for her home in Empire after spending a week with her son, John Larimer.

Mrs. LeRoy Fox and little daughter Dorothy, of Lock Haven, spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Haupt, on Allegheny street.

Squire W. J. Carlin, of Rebersburg, was in Bellefonte on Monday on business connected with the settling up the estate of the late Samuel Strober.

Miss Beasle Cooney who has been during the Fall in Middletown, Pennsylvania, will be home for Christmas, expecting to spend the remainder of the winter in Bellefonte.

Fred Montgomery dropped in last Friday as the messenger of his sister, Mrs. C. J. McHugh, of East Liberty, to see that she doesn't miss a copy of the WATCHMAN for the year 1909.

R. M. Foster and son Robert, spent last week in New York and Philadelphia. As a wholesale grocer in Philadelphia and a retail merchant of State College Mr. Foster is obliged to step lively.

All of Harry Lyon's family, of Zion, is as bright and interesting as the young son he sent in yesterday to pay for his paper. It is no wonder he is getting along so prosperously in this world.

Elmer Boyer, who eight years ago clerked for Joseph Broth, but who is now farming on the Alexander farm near the Old Fort, was a Bellefonte visitor yesterday and a caller at the WATCHMAN office.

Miss Ellen Downing Valentine left for Pittsburg on Wednesday where she will join Miss Mary Blanchard to assist in The Basket Shop sales that are now going on at the hotel Schenley in Pittsburg and Sewickley.

Miss Fannie Confer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jerome A. Confer, of Yarnell, was a Bellefonte visitor on Saturday but as her trip was principally one to the dentists that portion of it, at least, could not be designated as very delightful.

Edward Loughery, of Tyrone, was a Bellefonte visitor on Monday and a caller at the WATCHMAN office. His visits to this place are as frequent as they were when he lived at Unionville and worked for the Bald Eagle Valley railroad company.

Hamilton B. Humes, of Jersey Shore; William K. Foster, of Millburg; Capt. W. C. Patterson, of State College; Hon. William M. Allison, of Spring Mills, and John Foster, of Aaronsburg, attended the funeral of the late Col. James P. Coburn, in this place, last Saturday.

Mr. John W. Fry, of Ferguson township, was a traveler in court this week and the fact that he did when he arrived in town on Monday morning was to come into the WATCHMAN office as the messenger of Mrs. James Fortney and pay for her paper for another year.

James H. Heberling, of Pennsylvania Furnace, was a traveler in court this week and a pleasant visitor at the WATCHMAN office on Monday afternoon. He stated that in the immediate neighborhood in which he lived they have had plenty of water so far, even to a good supply in the cisterns.

There was quite a bunch of Phillipsburgers in attendance at court this week and among the number we noticed burgess Stein, chief of police Samuel Sankey, Adam Moyer and Sol Schmidt, Robert Kinkead, and councilmen Reed and Atherton, most of whom were here on the case against Galatasburg borough.

Uriah Pines, of Warriorsmark, transacted business in Bellefonte on Saturday and was a pleasant caller at the WATCHMAN office. He is a native of Centre county, having been born and raised in the neighborhood of Gatesburg, and is now regarded as one of the most prosperous farmers of Warriorsmark valley.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel F. Eldredge, who were here to attend the funeral of Dr. William Laurie last Thursday, left for their home in Cape May, N. J., on Saturday. Durbin Gray also left the same day for Long Island, where he is assistant to the chief engineer in building trolley lines to the Vanderbilt automobile coast.

John Sausserman, of Hastings, Neb., and W. A. Sausserman, of Altoona, were callers at the WATCHMAN office on Saturday while on their way to visit friends at Pine Grove Mills. John Sausserman went west twenty-seven years ago and this is his first trip back to the scene of his birth and boyhood in Ferguson township.

Mr. George Smith, of east High street, was a pleasant visitor on Monday though he was somewhat flustered because the subscription to his daughter's paper had expired about two weeks ago and had not been promptly renewed. If every subscriber would only be as prompt as Mr. Smith in running a newspaper would be practically on a cash-in-advance basis.

Messrs. A. C. Mingle, George T. Bush, J. S. McCargar, Frank Warfield, M. I. Gardner, Robert Cole and Dr. D. G. Stewart, of this place, and Howard, members of Company 2, of the 6888 Central Postal Directory, went to Williamsport last Thursday where they were guests of Baldwin Commandery No. 22, and assisted in conferring the Red Cross degree upon six applicants. The work was done in the afternoon and in the evening the Temple degree was conferred upon eight candidates.

STRUCK BY TRAIN.—Morris Loder,

the eighteen year old son of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Loder, of Howard, is at his parents' home at Howard suffering quite serious injuries as the result of an accident on the New York Central railroad at McCalmont's crossing, about a mile east of Beech Creek. Young Loder had been working for John and Frank Fearon, on their farm in Beech Creek township, Clinton county. Last Thursday he and Frank Fearon were driving a team hitched to a heavy wagon. At the McCalmont crossing the public road crosses the railroad track at an angle of about thirty degrees and on account of the noise made by the rumble of the wagon and the men's own conversation they did not hear the approach of a train from the rear and the first intimation they had of their danger was when their wagon was side-swiped and the horse nearest the train torn loose and virtually ground to pieces beneath the wheels of the train.

Mr. Fearon was not injured in the least but young Loder was thrown from the wagon and sustained three broken ribs, a badly lacerated hand and internal injuries the extent of which have not yet been determined. The other horse was not hurt in the least and the wagon was very little damaged. Young Loder's injuries were dressed at Blanchard's after which he was taken to his parents' home at Howard.

McCLINTIC—BENNINGSON.—A wedding announcement that occasioned considerable surprise among the many friends of the bride in this county was that of Harry McClintic, formerly of Ridgway, Elk county, but now of Atlantic City, and Miss Emma Mae Benningson, daughter of Capt. and Mrs. S. H. Benningson, of Howard. The wedding took place at Atlantic City on Wednesday, November 25th. They are now at home at 123 South Belmont avenue, Atlantic City. The bride is an accomplished young woman and is very well known in Bellefonte, Howard and Nittany valley, and the young couple have the hearty congratulations and best wishes of all their friends.

GACHNANER—BRACHBILL.—A quiet little wedding was celebrated at 8:30 o'clock on Monday morning at the home of Mrs. T. A. Ardel, on north Spring street, when her daughter, Miss Margaret Louise Brachbill, was united in marriage to Clarence Swarr Gachnauer, of East Petersburg, Lancaster county. Rev. James B. Stein, of the Methodist church, performed the ceremony. There were few guests present and no attendants. After a delicious little wedding breakfast Mr. and Mrs. Gachnauer left on the 9:28 train for a brief wedding trip before going to their home at Gap, Lancaster county.

BATHURST—HAINES.—On Tuesday evening Earl Bathurst, of Curtin, and Edna May Haines, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Haines, of this place, were quietly married by Rev. F. W. Barry, at his residence on Spring street. The bridegroom is employed in Altoona where the young couple will make their home.

COL. COBURN'S WILL.—The will of the late Col. James P. Coburn was probated this week. In it the testator bequeaths three thousand dollars outright to Mrs. Evelyn Rogers and the balance of his estate to his wife, Mrs. Coburn, during her life, and at her death everything to go to his nephew, Dr. Coburn Rogers. H. C. Quigley Esq., and Dr. Coburn Rogers were named as executors. The estate is estimated at from \$35,000 to \$45,000.

Bush's post card store has over 3000 varieties of Xmas post cards, and stock of 5000 on hand, 1c. to \$1 each. Wholesale and retail. Also 2000 albums. Bargains for schools. 49-21

The snow helped a little but not nearly as much as if it had been rain.

Bellefonte Produce Markets.

Corrected weekly by R. S. Brouse, grocer. The prices quoted are those paid for produce. Potatoes per bushel 85, Onions 75, Eggs per dozen 19, Lard per pound 10, Country Shoulders 8, Sides 8, Hams 11, Tallow per pound 3, Butter per pound 30

Bellefonte Grain Market.

Corrected weekly by C. Y. WARREN. The following are the quotations up to 11 o'clock, Thursday evening, when our paper goes press: Red Wheat 1.00, White and Mixed Wheat 95, Rye per bushel 70, Corn, shelled, per bushel 60, Corn, ears, per bushel 60, Oats old and new, per bushel 50, Barley, per bushel 50, Ground Flaxseed, per ton 8 50 to 9 50, Buckwheat, per bushel 2.75-3.25, Cloverseed, per bushel 7 00 to 8 20, Timothy seed per bushel 32.00 to 32.25

Philadelphia Markets.

The following are the closing prices of the Philadelphia markets on Wednesday evening. Wheat—Red 1.05 1/2 @ 1.06, No. 2 1.03 1/2 @ 1.05, Corn—Yellow 67 1/2 @ 68, Mixed new 54 1/2 @ 55, Oats 45 1/2 @ 46, Flour—Winter, Per Br'l 3.75 @ 3.80, Penna. Roller 2.70 @ 3.25, Favorite Brands 6.75 @ 6.85, Rye Flour Per Br'l 4.15 @ 4.25, Baled Hay—Choice Timot No. 1 8.00 @ 8.20, Mixed 10.00 @ 11.00, Straw 8.00 @ 11.00

The Democratic Watchman.

Published every Friday morning, in Bellefonte Pa., at \$1.00 per annum (if paid strictly in advance) \$1.50, when not paid in advance, and \$2.50 if not paid before the expiration of the year; and \$5 paper will be discontinued until all arrearages are paid, except at the option of the publisher. Papers will not be sent out of Centre county unless paid for in advance. A liberal discount is made to persons advertising by the quarter, half year, or year, as follows:

SPACE OCCUPIED 3m 5m 1y. One inch (12 lines this type) 1 1/2 3 10. Two inches 2 10 15. Three inches 3 15 20. Quarter Column (6 inches) 12 20 25. Half Column (10 inches) 20 35 50. One Column (20 inches) 35 55 100