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THINGS ABOUT TOWN AND COUNTY

-Ma's New Husband" at the opera house next week.

-Men's \$5 18-inch leather top gums reduced to \$3 50 at Yeagers.

-A show worth seeing at the opera house next week will be "Ma's New Hus- to the check.

band "

-Men's knit felt boots the kind that come down over the gums \$1.48 a pair at Yeagers.

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--- A meeting of the local firemen's relief association was held at the Undine building on Tuesday evening.

-- "Ma's New Husband" will arrive in town next week and you are all invited to meet him at the opera house.

-Almost one month of the real winter season is gone and so far very little, if any, ice has been stored in Bellefonte. -Miss Bessie Cooney underwent a

slight operation in the Bellefonte hospital last week, and is now recovering nicely. -Lyon & Co., and Yeager's shoe store

have new advertisements in this issue of the WATCHMAN. Don't fail to read them. -Col. E. R. Chambers has recovered sufficiently from his recent illness to spend

a portion of the time each day at his office. -F. W. Crider has his two new houses the plasterers and carpenter work on the

-A marriage license was granted in Hollidaysburg on Tuesday to Edward F. McCoy and Miss Mary M. Woomer, both of Bald Eagle.

--- Andrew Knisely, of State College, is now the owner of a big yellow automobile in which he made a trip to Bellefonte on Wednesday.

-With earthquakes, mine horrors and other accidents the year 1909 is starting in with an appalling destruction of human life and property.

-S. D. Ray, Esq., who a week ago recovered and is again in active charge of the Beliefonte shirt factory.

-On Friday evening of last week the junior Y. M. C. A. basket ball team de- Post now has a membership of sixty-three feated the State College grammar school team by the score of 23 to 22.

-Quite a crowd of Bellefonte young evening to enjoy two hours skating on the park lake between the down and up trains.

-John P. Harris, treasurer of the Bellefonte Trust company, was confined to the house several days in the beginning of

-The property of the late William R. Jenkins, deceased, located on High street this place, was sold at orphans' court sale on Saturday to Mitchell I. Gardner, for six thousand dollars.

--- The postoffice department at Washington has granted the request of the people of State College borough for a free delivery mail service and the same will be put in force on March first.

-Don't forget that the Carroll Comedy company will have a night off tonight while Cohn, Coleman & Co's "3-of Us" will be the attraction at Garman's opera house. Prices 25 to 75 cents.

-State College is to have a telegraph office, which it is expected will be opened about February first, in the rear of the room occupied by Clyde Shuey as a jewelry store, with Miss Dreese as manager and operator.

-- The price of beef cattle and hogs has advanced in the local markets from one to two cents a pound, live weight, in the 1. A constitution and by-laws were to supply is nervously apprehending a proportionate advance on the part of the butcher.

-A freight wreck on the long siding between Snow Shoe Intersection and Unionville on Saturday evening blockaded the main track so that the night train east on the Bald Eagle Valley railroad was delayed three hours and did not reach Bellefonte until eleven o'clock at night.

-Most of the plants of the American Lime and Stone company in this vicinity have resumed work, if not in full, at least in the operation of some of their kilns and crushers. They are also booking orders company, the former operating in Centre right along and by spring they expect to be running to their full capacity.

-Following close on Tuesday morning's alarm of fire the stable of Reuben Kaup, in Bush's Addition, caught fire on Tuesday evening about nine o'clock and was entirely destroyed. Mr. Kaup had just gotten in a load of hay a day or two previous amd it was all consumed, but he managed to get out his cow and pigs. The origin of the fire is a mystery, as no one, so far as known, bad been near the stable with fire of any kind.

WILL PROBABLY BE RELEASED. - In last week's WATCHMAN was published an Yeagers. ecount of G. Melvin Nearhood, a bridegroom of two weeks, attempting to raise funds with which to purchase furniture to go to housekeeping at Hannah Fornace by forging a check for \$450 and trying to pass the same on an Altoona firm. Since the his father, J. B. Nearhood, of Spruce Creek, has been in Altoona interceding in his beagainst young Nearhood will not be prosecuted either by the City Furniture company, which he attempted to swindle, or William Zeigler, proprietor of the Altamont hotel, Altoona, whose name he forged

According to all reports young Nearhood has heretofore led a very conscientions and upright life, and was always regarded as a hardworking, honest young man. His parents are among the best known and highly respected by Spruce Creek and he has a number of well-to do relatives in Centre \$3.50 at Yeagers. and Blair counties. His trouble started, it appears, when he arrived in Tyrone upon his return from his wedding trip. There he got mixed up with a number of young men whose capacity to drink liquor was their best recommendation and in attempting to keep pace with them Nearhood became intoxicated. And he claims it was while in that condition, and in practical ignorance of what he was doing that he forged the check and attempted to pass it.

In view of the above extenuating circumstances the parties most interested expressed themselves as not averse to a settlement of the case, which will probably he the result, if it has not already taken place. and the young man released from custody upon the payment of the costs.

GREGG POST OFFICERS INSTALLED. -At the regular meeting of Gregg Post, No. 95, last Saturday evening the officers elected for the ensuing year were installed and, as has been the custom in the past, the members took advantage of the occasion to on Lamb street under roof and ready for regale themselves with a big oyster supper. In past years the members of the Womans Relief Corps had charge of the layout but this year it was served by caterer Joseph Alters and the only evidence needed as to his culinary skill was to watch the old soldiers eat for about five minutes. The installation of officers took place at eight o'clock, Captain Austin Curtin officiating as installing officer. Following is the list of officers

Commander. Thomas Donachy : senior vice commander, Amos Garbrick ; junior vice commander, John H. Bryan : officer of the day, Gen. John I. Curtin ; quartermaster, W. H. Musser; chaplain, Dr. James H. Dobbins ; adjutant, Emanuel was confined to the house with illness, has | Noll ; quartermaster sergeant, W. H. Derstine. Following the installation there at Yeagers. was a campfire at which a number of addresses were made by old comrades. The and is in a good condition financially

people went to Hecla park last Saturday Farmers Mutual Fire Insurance company was held in Petriken hall on Monday. The board of directors elected for the ensuing year included the following : J. B. Goheen, Frank McFarlane, J. B. Strohm, F. M. the week nursing a sprain he received in a H. E. Duck, G. B. Haines, George Mitchell, Frederick Kurtz, Z. D. Thomas and J. H. Beck. The board organized by electing Kurtz ; vice president, H. E. Duck ; secre- as usual. tary, D. F. Luse : treasurer, J. R. Brnn-

Applications for insurance aggregating fifty thousand dollars were passed upon by the directors. The annual statement showed the total of insurance risks carried by the company to be \$2,816,195, all in Centre county. It was decided to make an note for gasolene engines. The loss on the J. W. Lee barn was adjusted at eight hundred dollars on the building and one hundred dollars on his share of the contents.

MILLHEIM FIRE COMPANY ORGANIZED. -Profiting by the disastrous fire on Wednesday of last week and going on the basis of the old saw, "after the horse is stolen lock the stable door," the citizens of Millheim got together on Tuesday evening and organized a fire company to be known as the Millheim Fire company No. past month, and every man who has a table adopted and a charter will be applied for at once. A full complement of officers were elected and everything arranged to secure the necessary equipment as soon as possible. Now that they have organized a fire company the authorities of the borough want to be sure their water system is adequate to supply all the water as well as pressure needed in time of a fire and not wait until such a time to test it.

AFTER JOINT RATES -The first case brought before the state railroad commis sion on the question of joint rates was brought by the Hayes Run Fire Brick com pany and the Pennsylvania Fire Brick county and the latter in Clinton county, in both of which a number of Bellefonters are financially interested. Both companies are located along the line of the New York Central railroad and their claim is that they are compelled to pay fifty cents a ton more for shipments made to points along the Penusylvania railroad than do other plants located on or along the Pennsylvania lines. The commission heard both sides to the controversey but so far has given no decision.

-Subscribe for the WATCHMAN.

- Ladies' \$4 shoes reduced to \$3 at

-Watch for him-"Ma's New Husband"-at the opera house next week.

With its issue of January 7th the Centre Reporter entered upon its eightysecond volume. In its four-score years of ant chief, Alexander Morrison; second asidentity of the young man became known existence the Reporter has met with the sistant chief, Francis Miller; third assistant success it has always merited and that it chief, Charles R. Hughes; chief engineer, and its present proprietor may continue James D. Seibert; first assistant, Harry half and the probabilities are that the case to prosper in like manner is the wish of Dukeman; second assistant, Thomas Caldthe WATCHMAN

-We have received from Prof. H. E. Van Norman, of State College, the program Orin Miller; trustees, Alexander Morrison, for the joint meeting of the State Board of Agriculture, the Pennsylvania Dairy Union and the Live Stock Breeder's Association, to be held in Harrisburg January 26th to 29th, inclusive ; and we regret the fact that it is entirely too long for publication in the WATCHMAN.

-Men's \$5 high top shoes reduced to

-The two college students who undertook to run things to suit themselves Friday night, or rather early Saturday morning, were given a short time in the coaler in which to shed tears of repentance over their unseemly conduct: but were liberated later on after they each separated themselves from a five spot with which to salve the injured justice of the borough

-- Men's \$4 rubber boots reduced to \$3.00 at Yeagers.

-In next week's issue of the WATCH-MAN we will begin the publication of a series of articles from our old friend, S. W. Baker, of DesMoines. Iowa, on Bellefonte landlords gave notice of an inbis "Forty Years in Iowa." Mr. Baker crease in rents for the ensuing year, giving -Ladies' \$2 50 shoes reduced to \$1.95 is an old Centre countian, having been born as a reason for the increase the advance in and raised at Howard, and his story of his price of everything else. While it is true life and knowledge of his adopted State that there has been an advance in the price should prove very interesting. In addition of almost every commodity, it is also true to that he is a versatile writer and his that such advance falls just as heavily on articles will undoubtedly be read with a the renter as it does on the landlord ; while great deal of interest by every subscriber the former has not had the benefit of any of the paper.

--Mr. Sayder, a strong baritone sing- it is the one thing more than another that er, has been the vocal musical attraction at the Scenic theatre this week and his singing has been pleasing to his hearers. In the matter of its motion pictures the Scenic has this week been up to if not a tidea, the institution paper published by little ahead of its standard reputation for the students of the Bellefonte Academy, excellence. Two big films every night- made its appearance the latter part of last two thousand feet of moving pictures-of week and if its increase in growth is as the best and most interesting educational. marked in the future as it was from No. 1 ly with just enough comic ones to make to No. 2 it will be a ponderous paper in a mirth for the fun-loving. Don't go wrong, year or two. From a strippling of four pages go to the Scenic. It's entertaining, edu- in its first issue No. 2 came out as an eight cational, elevating and entrancing. If page paper-magazine style-with a handyou don't know it, you ought to; and if some colored cover. It is also chuck full you don't believe it, ask Brown.

-Ladies' \$3.50 shoes reduced to \$2.75

--- A. R. Moon, the merchant of Blanchard, has about recovered from a peculiar the moving of Mrs. W. R. Jenskins from was cleaning the sawdust out of his ice Longwell property on Spring street. James FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY ELECTS house and while thus engaged struck a K. Barnbart and family will move from OFFICERS.—The annual meeting of the match to light his cigar. He threw the their present home on Thomas street to the lighted match away and by chance it struck house on west Linn street purchased some the bung-hole of a barrel in which there months ago by Mr. Barnhart. Mr. and ly there was an explosion, the barrel was house owned by Dr. Hayes, along the state blown to pieces and the flying staves literal-Fisher, Robert Reed, W. Fred Reynolds, ly tore the trousers from Mr. Moon and now occupied by Samuel Rine and family. badly bruised and lacerated his legs, so Mr. Rine has not yet decided where he that he was unable to walk. Fortunately no hones were broken and he has now so the following officers : President, Frederick far recovered that he is able to be around

> -Ladies' \$3 shoes reduced to \$2.25 at Bellefonte Academy and who has been in

-Beginning on or about the first of the year the Pennsylvania telephone company taken to his home at Taylor, near Scranton, inaugurated the system of charging five on Tuesday morning. He was accompacents to all persons using a telephone booth nied by his mother and a nurse. Mr. whether it he at a pay station, in a hotel Thomas was a member of the Academy increase of two per cent upon the premium or the public booth at the exchange. The system, of course, is all right so far as non- students at that institution, and all hope subscribers are concerned but it seems that he will soon recover his health so that almost an imposition to charge subscribers; he can return to school. as frequently a booth is the most accessible phone they may have when away from nome ; and it is almost a travesty on good service to compe! a subscriber to go into nother man's place of business to telephone to his own home, pay a nickle to talk from a public booth or else walk home and tell it and not have the use of the phone service for which he pays a monthly rental. Up to this time the United American telephone company has not promulgated any such ruling or adopted the nickle-in-the slot system.

> --- In the old days of primitive railroading it was not an uncommon thing to ose a car or two or even an entire train but with the present day up-to-date methods it would seem almost an impossibility to lose a train and yet, literally speaking, that is just what happened on the Baid Eagle Valley railroad on Thursday morning of last week. Mail train east, which leaves Bellefonte at 9:32 a. m., passed turough Beech Creek on time at 10:08 after which it was practically lost to the officials and operating force of the railroad for an hour and a half. When two miles east of Beech Creek one of the driving rods on the engine broke causing the cylinder head to blow out. Supposing he would be able to run into Lock Haven "on one side" the engineer disconnected the broken side but when he came to start his engine it wouldn't start and no amount of "coaxing" would make it run. In the meantime over an hour had elapsed and the only thing to do then was to send a brakeman to the Mill with a matinee tomorrow afternoon and a Hall tower and telegraph for another regular performance in the evening. The engine, so that it was one o'clock when the train finally reached Look Haven. resume business next Monday evening.

News Purely Personal

LOGAN FIRE COMPANY OFFICERS .- At

recent meeting of the Logan fire company

the following officers were elected for the

ensuing year: President, J. C. Harper;

financial secretary, Benton D. Tate; record.

Marks; chief, Benton D. Tate: first assist-

well; fireman, John Coldwell; first assist-

ant, Arthur Brown: second assistant, Elmer

Yeager; plugmen, Samuel Guisewhite and

James Hull and Allen Waite; delegate to

State convention, Fred Reese; delegate, to

-- Two weeks ago we made mention of

the fact of Philip Beezer celebrating his

birthday by entertaining his boarders and

friends at a big dinner on December 27th

the ladies present thought him younger

gathered around the table. Since that,

dinner are considered good judges too.

is an advance in rent cry in Bellefonte and

-The second number of The X(cellen-

road, to the bonse on south Spring street

-Boy's \$4 high top shoes reduced to

the Bellefonte hospital the past six weeks

or longer for treatment for rheumatism, was

football team and one of the most popular

-- James Lowery, son of Henry Low-

ery, formerly of this place but now of State

in Pittsburg, whither he has already gone.

He has broken up housekeeping in this

forenoon, however, the rain and sleet had

turned to snow and about an incb of the

and Tuesday night was quite cold.

ceautiful came down. This was followed

-Big lot of men's working shoes \$1 a

-Prof. Sherwood E. Hall is now at

work drilling the Bellefonte Academy min-

strels for their annual appearance here.

Tuesday evening, February 23rd, is the date

set for this entertainment and the people of

Bellefonte can look forward to an evening

of rare enjoyment when they do appear.

Everything this year will be entirely new,

-The Carroll Comedy company will

even to the music. Wait for them.

bers of the faculty.

will locate.

\$3 at Yeagers.

the Smoky city.

pair at Yeagers.

trol, Homer P. Barnes.

to meet him at the opera house.

-Thomas A. Shoemaker spent all of last week with his family in this place.

city, are in Bellefonte for a brief visit, ing secretary, Rash Irwin; treasurer, Jacob -Mrs. Wister Morris, of Overbrook, is a guest of Mrs. Eliza Blanchard, on Linn street,

-Mr. and Mrs. Harry Keller have been enter taining the Misses Harvey, of Lock Have -Hon. Robert M. Foster, of State College, was

-Mrs. Sarah Etters, of Lemont, was in Bellente on Wednesday, doing a little shopping.

Tyrone, were Bellefonte visitors over Sunday. Clearfield last Saturday, remaining over Sunday. Centre Hall, was a Bellefonte visitor on Wedne

district convention, Allen Waite; alternate, -Miss Helen Bible, daughter of Prof. and Mrs. Rash Irwin; member of the board of confriends in Bellefonte. -- "Ma's New Husband" will arrive

-Mr. and Mrs. Harry Badger and children re in town next week and you all are invited urned on Monday from a few day's visit with friends in Mifflinburg. -Irvin M. Harvey, of State College, transacted

usiness in Bellefonte on Tuesday and made a brief call at this office. -James H. Corl, ex-commissioner's clerk, is

rving as a juror in the United States district and at the time referred to the fact that looking than some of the other gentlemen

Mrs. Clement Dale, and John H. Clark, of Pittshowever, the fact has leaked out that not burg, were over Sunday visitors at the Dale home one of that list of eligible widower and in this place. bachelors, such as Billy Runkle, Matt

Dooley and Mr. McAvoy, were excepted as of Reading's big department stores, arrived being younger looking or handsomer than home last Friday evening for a month's visit. Mr. Beezer. And the ladies present at the -George W. Clark, proprietor of the Musser

house at Millheim, which was totally destroyed in last Wednesday's big fire, was a Bellefonte -- With the new year a number of visitor Friday night on his way to Williamsport. -Mrs. Gochnaner, nec Miss Margaret Brachbill. was in Bellefonte a few days the past week visiting her mother and numerous friends, leaving on Wednesday for her home at Gap, Lancaster

increase in his wages. Every spring there -'Squire Fergus Potter, of Linden Hall, was a Bellefonte visitor on Saturday and among his indimultitudinous business affairs he came over to attend to was to fix himself solid with the prevents the coming here and locating of WATCHMAN for a year to come.

> Wilhur Twitmire left for Philadelphia on Sunday to resume his studies in the dental department of the University of Pennsylvania. -John D. Meyer, late supervising principal of

usiness in Bellefonte on Wednesday and made a brief call at the WATCHMAN office. His little son of live matter of unusual interest to the

students of the Academy as well as memworried as to the outcome of the disease. -Miss Laura Harrison, one of the efficient eachers in the Jersey Shore High school, was an --- Among the changes in residence over Sunday visitor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. which will take place this spring will be Cheney K. Hickien. Her father, John T. Harri- chimney on the house occupied by a Mr.

all the time -Samuel D. Gettig and Mr. and Mrs. J. Ken nedy Johnston left on Monday morning on a business and health seeking trip south-western New Mexico. They expect to be gone three weeks or a month and naturally was a small quantity of gasolene. Instant- Mrs. Edward Robb will move from the with the business end of their trip as it will be will combine as much pleasure and sight-seeing possible for them to do in the limited time at

> -N. D. Buckman, the new secretary of the eighteenth anniversary services of the Renovo Y. M. C. A., in place of Dr. Edwin Erle Sparks, who was unable to attend. Roy S. Fleck, of this place, is now physical director of the Renovo as --- Thomas Thomas, a student at the sociation and is very much liked by members of

-W. C. Kress Esq., one of the best known attorneys at the Clinton county bar, attended argument court in this place on Tuesday. Twelve years or more ago Capt. Kress was stricken with paralysis and the result was that he has been omewhat crippled, physically, ever since, but his mind is just as bright and his argument before a court and jury just as logical and convincing as it was in the days when he was in the flower of his manhood.

-On Saturday Dr. John Sebring, T. S. Strawn and H. S. Ray went to see the new 1909 model G Franklin runabout which the Keeler company, dealers in automobiles, of Williamsport, had ust received for demonstrating purposes. College, has decided to locate permanently The three of them were not only well pleased but very much impressed with the makeup, power and running of the machine and it need not be atall surprising if three or more of them are place and as soon as his wife can brought to Bellefonte in the spring.

dispose of their household goods she with -Clyde Oberlin, a student at the Bellefont her two children will spend a month Academy, left on the afternoon train Monday for visiting friends in Harrisburg and other his home in Johnson City, Tenn., called there by the serious and prolonged illness of his father. places before joining Mr. Lowery in Oberlin has been one of the most popular students at the Academy. He is an all around athete, having played on the baseball, football and -Following Monday's mild and rainy basket ball teams, and a large delegation of Acadweather it grew colder that night, with a emy students accompanied him to the train to fall of rain and sleet mixed, so that the see him off on his journey home; and naturally pavements on Tuesday morning were alit is the hope of all that he will be able to return to the Academy, if not soon, at least in time to most impassible. By the middle of the take his position on this year's ball team.

-Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gates, of Gatesburg, were in Bellefonte on Saturday. They now occupy the old Dr. Bates farm, now owned by Mrs. Frances by a considerable drop in the temperature Knoche, of Harrisburg. In addition to farming Frank has one of the largest steam threshing outfits in the county and during the past season he in just sixty-three days. He is now considering proposition to put up a chopping mill at the Dempster Meek farm at Buffalo Run and it is farmers of Buffalo Run valley to get their feed ground without hauling it so far, as they are now

John "W." Beck, and since that so many of his friends and acquaintance, have been asking him ing by the quarter, half year, or friends and acquaintance- have been asking him close their week's engagement at Garman's how he is getting along with the auditing of the county's accounts that he is almost beginning to believe that it is he that is the auditor and not John W. Beck; and if he has many more expla-Electric theatre motion picture show will nations to make he ought to be entitled to part of

-Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Brown, of New York

-Mr. and Mrs. John Nolan and little son.

-Sheriff W. E. Hurley made a business trip to -Ex-county commissioner Philip H. Meyer, of

George P. Bible, of Philadelphia, is visiting

-Miss Fannie Confer, of Yarnell, spent last Friday night with friends in Bellefonte and went to see Quincy Adams Sawyer at the opera house. -Samuel Wilt, of Philadelphia, a brother of

-Miss Ione Donachy, who the past three

-Charles Bell, instructor in bricklaying at the Huntingdon Reformatory, and C. C. Bell, of Altoons, were in Bellefonte over Sunday attending the funeral of their brother, the late Samuel An-

-After spending his holiday vacation very easantly at the home of his parents in this place

the Bellefonte schools, shipped his belongings to Mrs. Dan and Mrs. John Hall, of Unionville Altoona on Friday and on Saturday left for the

-William Carson, of Centre Hall, transacted of Englewood, N. J. James, eight years old, is lying quite ill with pneu. nonia and naturally the parents are considerably

son, who has not been in good health for some

State College Y. M. C. A., was in Bellefonte be. ween trains on Monday on his way! home from Renovo where he was the principal speaker at the that association.

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threshed the crops at sixty-five barns and did it very likely he will do so. This would enable the Straw... compelled to do

-John H. Beck, one of Walker township's most the salary, at least, for answering fool questions.

-Mrs. Jonathan Harper was a pleasant caller at the WATCHMAN office yesterday

-Miss Carrie Spicher, of Centre Hall, was in Sellefonte shopping on Wednesday.

-Mr. Frank H. Clemson, of Buffalo Run, ransacted business in Bellefonte yesterday.

-Mrs. Aaron Katz left on Wednesday for a visit with her son, Joe, in Lewistown, and friends in Philadelphia. -Dr. W. S. Glenn, of State College, was in

Bellefonte yesterday assisting in an operation at the Bellefonte hospital.

-Miss Lillian Walker left yesterday afternoon for Lock Haven, where she has been engaged to sing at one of the motion picture shows - Willis Reed Bierly Esq., formerly of Wilamsport, but whose home now is mostly on the

road in his work of selling law books, etc., was in

ellefonte yesterday and a brief caller at this of

-One of our pleasant callers yesterday was M H. C. Huey, of Buffalo Run, who acted as the messenger from Mrs. Dorsey Green in enrolling the names of ter two sons for a year's subscrip

-Grover Glenn, of State College, who has been or some time working in the vicinity of Pittsburgh, left for New York Monday, with Dr. Nannie M. Glenn, where he will enter for a full course

-the Eclectic Medical School of New York city. -George, Charles and Albert Rhoads, Clayton Abner and William Rider, Thomas Shaughensey Jr., and William Dukeman, a contingent of Bellefonte glass workers, left last Thursday for Shinglehouse where they have all secured e

ployment in a large window glass factory.

-Dr. M. A. Kirk is making preparations to nake a trip to Texas and, if his plans do not miscarry, expects to leave Bellefonte within the next two or three weeks. And his trip will not be extirely for pleasure, either, for if he comes across any good investments he is quite liable to rick

-D. H. Bottorf, of College township, was in town on business yesterday; having sleighed down from his home near Lemont. Quite to our surprise he said the sleighing was not good, but that was owing to the fact that many of the roads in the county were badly cut up before Wednesday evening's snow fall.

-Oscar M. Bowersox, of State College, was a aller at the WATCHMAN office yesterday and enrolled his name as a subscriber to the paper. It was not a pleasact duty, either, that brought him to Bellefonte, as he was here because his wife, the was brought to the Bellefonte hospital on Wednesday, was compelled to undergo a very serious operation yesterday morning and her condition is such as to cause some alarm; though we trust not as bad as appearances would

-The out-of-town people who were in Belle. fonte attending the funeral of S. A. Bell last Sunday were : Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Bell, Earl Bell and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Patton, of Huntingdon; Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Bell, Harry Bell, Mrs. Schroyer and her sons, Robert and Gray, of Altoona; Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hall and their daughter Jennie, of Aaronsburg; Charles Speaker, of Williamsport; Mrs. Pletcher and Miss Ella Hall, of Howard Frank Crosthwaite and son, of State College; Mr, Mountain city where he entered upon the duties and Mrs. Harry G. Shearer, Wm. Van Dyke and of his new position with the Bisir county Title Mr. and Mrs. David Salmon, of Lock Haven, and Trust company on Monday.

Mrs. Hardy, of Tyrone, and Mrs. J. Finley Bell

> -The blowing of the fire alarm on Tuesday morning caused considerable apprehension as a high wind was blowing at the time and a fire, once rightly started, would have been hard to overcome. Fortunately it proved to be only a burning George Wian and family near the old glass works site and it soon burned itself out. Both fire companies responded very promptly and had there been need of their services would have been on the ground in very good time.

> --- Centre County Pomona Grange will meet in Centre Hall Thursday, January 21st, at 10 a. m. All 4th degree members are cordially invited, 5th degree meeting in afternoon session. As there is business of importance to be brought before this meeting we want a good turnout from all parts of the county. D. M. CAMPBELL.

Sale Register.

MARCH 15th-Thursday, The Noll Bros. will offer at public sale at Pieasant Gap, 3 work horses, a team of fine mules, 15 head of cattle, 2; sheep and a tuil line of farm implements, all in good condition. Sale at 10:30 a. m. A. C. McClintick, auctioneer.

Corrected weekly by R. S. Bronse, groce	r.
e prices quoted are those paid for produ	ce.
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Corrected weekly by C. Y. WAGNER,

Philadelphia Barkets. The following are the closing prices of the Philadelphia warkets on evening. Wheat-Red Corn -Ye -Mixed new

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ar-Winter, Per Br'

The Democratic Batchman Published every Friday morning, in benefonte Published every Friday morning, in benefonte page friday morning, in benefonte page and a brief caller at the Watchar office; and to him we owe an apology. In referring to the county auditors several weeks ago we in advertently wrote it John "H." Beck instead of John "W." Beck, and since that so many of his

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