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ADDITIONAL LOCAL NEWS.

BWARE OF FOREST FIRES.—The season of the year is here when there is the greatest danger of forest fires and now that the Pennsylvania Forest Fire Protective Association has been organized for the purpose of protecting the forests of northern Centre county all timber land owners should feel a personal interest in co-operating with the association as far as possible.

J. M. Hoffman, the secretary and fosterer of the association, and who initiated the movement for its organization, feels that the responsibility for the success of the association rests very largely with him. He therefore wishes to caution the public in general when in the woods to exercise great care in throwing away lighted matches, cigars or cigarettes.

By land owners showing these examples of carelessness others may be inspired to do likewise and great areas of young timber may be saved from damage or total destruction. Not only the directors of the new association but all land owners are invited to offer any suggestions they may feel like making in regard to the best way of protecting the young timber against the danger of forest fire.

To organize associations for the protection of mountain timber lands has been Mr. Hoffman's aim for a number of years and now that the Centre county association has been organized he is unusually anxious that it prove a success, as it will thus help along the work in other parts of the State.

TWO FERGUSON TOWNSHIP FIRES.—The Alice Johnson home in Ferguson township came near going up in smoke one day last week as a result of the act of an incendiary. Mr. and Mrs. John Snyder and family, who occupied the house last year, were moving out and took several loads of household goods away in the forenoon. When they went back in the afternoon for the balance of their stuff smoke was seen issuing from the house. The door was opened and the interior was filled with smoke, but on account of the house being tightly closed the flames had not gained much headway and they were soon extinguished. An examination disclosed the fact that the fire had undoubtedly been maliciously started by some one, as coal oil had been poured on the floor and other wood work.

On Friday evening of last week passers-by discovered J. H. Neidigh's hog pen at Struble to be on fire and gave the alarm. It was too late, however, to save three large hogs from being burned to death, but the bucket brigade succeeded in saving the adjoining buildings. How the pen caught is a mystery.

STATE COLLEGE GLEE CLUB.—The State College glee club returned on Tuesday noon from their trip to the Pacific coast. They left State College on March 15th and after a concert in Pittsburgh that night went through to Chicago where they became the guests of the Santa Fe railroad company. Between Chicago and Los Angeles they made thirteen stops for a concert and at each place had the satisfaction of being greeted by a large crowd. They left Los Angeles on the return trip last Thursday and made only one stop on the journey home, at the Grand Canyon, Colorado. Though they were a pretty tired lot of college boys, they reported having had the time of their lives and enjoyed every hour of the trip. State is the first eastern college to be thus favored by the Santa Fe railroad company and it may possibly prove a good advertisement for that institution.

THE THIRD DEGREE.—The plot of "The Third Degree" is built around a youth, the son of a man who is a great social and financial power. The father, a prominent man in the smart set, disowns his son on discovering he has married a girl whose father has gained much unpleasant notoriety in police annals of New York. The girl, realizing her position, has made a gallant struggle to win the respect of the world through her fine character and natural ability. For the first time on any stage, the audience is treated to a visual demonstration of the workings of the detective department of a large city. As clearly and distinctly as were the workings of the powerful finance and political bodies in "The Lion and the Mouse," so are the nefarious practices of the police discussed in "The Third Degree," even in a more vivid and interesting manner. At Garman's next Monday evening, April 14th.

W. W. Keichline received a car load of new Ford's on Tuesday, one of which has been purchased by Dr. W. U. Irwin, of Unionville; another by Fred Kratt, of the American Lime and Stone company, while there are several prospective purchasers for the third one.

MCCRACKEN.—Henry W. McCracken, one of the oldest and best known men of Ferguson township, died at two o'clock on Sunday morning. Four years or more ago he fell and broke his hip and while he recovered sufficiently to be up and around he never became strong and robust. Several months ago he suffered a stroke of paralysis and from that time he declined gradually but surely until death relieved his sufferings.

Deceased was born in County Derry, Ireland, on June 11th, 1829, hence at his death was 83 years, 9 months and 26 days old. When a young man he decided to come to America and took passage on a sailing vessel. The ship encountered much rough weather and the voyage was a perilous one, so that it was ten weeks before he finally landed in New York. He spent several years in that city, doing anything he could get to do, until the year 1850 when he contracted the gold fever and sailed around the Horn for California. Like many other misguided men of those days he failed to find the goddess fortune and returned east and coming to Centre county located in the Glades and went to work on a farm.

On October 7th, 1858, he was united in marriage to Miss Eliza Campbell, and the following year they moved to Missouri and engaged in farming, living neighbors to Hon. Champ Clark's father. When the Civil war broke out Mr. McCracken enlisted as a lieutenant in Company E, 66th Missouri cavalry, and was assigned to General Price's army. At the expiration of his term of enlistment he returned to his Missouri home and resumed farming but at the close of the war he sold out and returning to Centre county purchased the Campbell homestead in the Glades and located there. Seven years later he purchased the John Bailey farm adjoining his own and there he spent the remainder of his days.

Mr. McCracken was a man of great force of character, keen intellect and good judgment. He was a great reader and a good student of human nature. He never jumped to conclusions but was very conservative in forming an opinion, but once formed, and he believed himself right in his convictions, he was firm as the rock of Gibraltar. This very stability in his character gave confidence in his judgment and he was frequently consulted by his friends and neighbors on various important questions. As a husband and father he was kind and loving and there was no more hospitable home in Ferguson township than the McCracken household. Friend and stranger alike always found a hearty welcome there.

Politically he was a Republican and always stood up staunchly for the doctrine of his party, but he was a great admirer of William Jennings Bryan and later of Woodrow Wilson, now the President. He was a member of the Presbyterian church from early manhood and for years had been the ruling elder. He was a charter member of Leonard Grange and a strong advocate of grange principles. He was also a member of Capt. J. O. Campbell Post, No. 272, G. A. R.

He was the last surviving member of his father's family but is survived by his wife and the following children: Mrs. J. I. Campbell, of Wooster, Ohio; Rev. J. O. C. McCracken, of Johnstown; Clara, Mary, Lizzie and Harry at home. One son died when a youth. The funeral at ten o'clock Wednesday morning was one of the most largely attended held in that locality in years. The services at his late home were in charge of his pastor, Rev. R. M. Campbell, and burial was made in the new cemetery at Pine Grove Mills.

KUNES.—Mrs. Mary Catharine Kunes, widow of the late James Kunes, died at her home in Blanchard last Thursday evening after one week's illness with indigestion and heart trouble. Her maiden name was Mary C. Stover and she was born in Liberty township on June 12th, 1849, thus being in her sixty-fourth year. She was a member of the Baptist church for many years, and had a large circle of friends who deeply mourn her death. Her husband preceded her to the grave several years but surviving her are the following children: Mrs. Lee Stricker, Joseph, Frank, Mrs. Jacob Bowers, Clyde, Porter, Orville, Walter and Miss Mabel, all of Blanchard, and Mrs. Charles P. Lindsey, of Beech Creek. She also leaves the following brothers and sisters: Mrs. Sophia Linn, of Camden, N. J.; Mrs. Harry Glossner, of Liberty township; Orville Stover, of Blanchard; John, of Williamsport; Lewis, of St. Mary's, and William, of Thornton, New Mexico.

Funeral services were held in the Baptist church at 10.30 o'clock on Sunday morning by the pastor, Rev. S. S. Clark, after which burial was made in the Baptist cemetery.

BAILEY.—On Wednesday afternoon of last week Samuel Bailey died at the home of his son David, at Morrisdale, of general debility. He was born at Baileyville, this county, on March 9th, 1827, hence was 86 years and 23 days old. When a young man he became a stage driver and for years drove the Lewis-ton and Bellefonte route and later from Tyrone to Meadville by way of Philipsburg and Curwensville. At that time he moved to Clearfield county and most of his life since then has been spent in that section. His wife died eleven years ago but surviving him are four sons and three daughters. The funeral was held on Friday, burial being made at Morrisdale.

LOVE.—John A. C. Love, a former resident of Tyrone, died at his home in Denver, Col., on Tuesday of last week, of tuberculosis. Deceased was a son of Winfield Scott and Amelia Rider Love, and was born at Loveville, this county, about forty years ago. He was a nephew of the late Judge John G. Love, of this place. When a young man he took a course at The Pennsylvania State College and later graduated from Dickinson College, Carlisle. Later he entered the employ of Armour & Co., at Pittsburgh, and it was while there about ten years ago that he developed tuberculosis. He was at once transferred to Texas and later to Colorado where every care possible was taken of him by the company for which he worked. He was unmarried but is survived by his mother, Mrs. Amelia R. Love, who is superintendent of the Female College at Denver; one brother, Edgar R. Love, who is in the employ of the United States government on the Panama canal, and one sister, Mrs. Mary Collins, of Paducah, Ky. The remains were brought east and taken to the home of the deceased's aunt, Mrs. Joseph Hull, in Tyrone, where funeral services were held on Sunday, after which burial was made in the Tyrone cemetery.

MACKAY.—Martin H. Mackay, a former Centre countyman, died at his home in Altoona on Wednesday morning after several weeks illness. He was born in Milesburg, this county, on March 17th, 1832, hence was 81 years and 23 days old. He learned the carpenter trade under his father and worked at that until the breaking out of the civil war when he enlisted in Company F, 148th regiment Pennsylvania volunteers, and served until the close of the war. He then returned to Milesburg and engaged in the planing mill business which he continued until 1872 when he moved to Altoona and operated a planing mill and cabinet factory. His plant was destroyed by fire about fifteen years ago and for some time thereafter he was in the contracting business but of late years has lived a more or less retired life. He was vice president of the Union bank of Altoona and identified with various business interests. A wife and six children survive.

MEYER.—David B. Meyer, son of Henry and Hannah Bierly Meyer, was born in Miles township, September 15th, 1827, died April 3rd, 1913, aged 85 years, six months and eighteen days. He was married to Fietta M. Bierly, June 18th, 1879. To this union one son was born, Henry A., who now resides on the old Meyer homestead. There survive to mourn the loss of the deceased, namely: One sister Mrs. Judith Bierly, of Rebersburg, and two brothers, Daniel, of Dakota, Ill., and Henry, of Rebersburg; the widow, one son and fourteen grandchildren. He united with the United Evangelical church about thirty years ago and remained a faithful member of the Wolfe Store class until death. Funeral services were held Monday forenoon at Rebersburg. J. F. Bingham officiating.

LINGLE.—John C. Lingle, a veteran of the Civil war and a well known resident of Gregg township, died on Monday of heart failure, aged seventy-nine years. He is survived by his wife and the following children: Jonathan, of Gregg township; Harry, of Penn township; William, of Burnham; Mrs. Lydia Oxenrater and Mrs. Lizzie Bechold, of Berrien Springs, Mich., and Mrs. Louisa Confer, of Renovo. Funeral services were held yesterday morning by Rev. J. M. Price, of Spring Mills, after which burial was made in the Mountain cemetery.

MICHAELS.—Mrs. Amelia Michaels, widow of J. C. Michaels, died at the Blair county hospital, Altoona, last Friday morning as the result of cancer with which she had suffered for several years. Her maiden name was Amelia Quick and she was born at Centre Hall, this county, eighty-one years ago. She had lived in Altoona about ten years. Surviving her are two sons, Jesse, of Driftwood, and Harry, of Tyrone; also two brothers, John Quick, of Altoona, and Thomas, of Julian, Private burial was made in the Carson valley cemetery on Sunday.

STATES—BATHURST.—On Saturday of last week George States, of Graysville, and Miss Susan Bathurst, of Ferguson township, eluded their friends and going to Cumberland, Md., were united in marriage. They returned on Tuesday, received the parental blessing and are now at the bridegroom's home at Graysville. Both Mr. and Mrs. States are quite well known in their home community and they are now receiving the congratulations of their many friends.

FLACK—SHULTZ.—Willis W. Flack and Miss Dorothy May Shultz were married at the parsonage of the United Evangelical church, on Monday, by the pastor, Rev. A. F. Weaver. The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Shultz, of Milesburg, but for a number of years made her home in Tyrone. The young couple have the best wishes of their many friends for a happy married life.

—The three months old child of Mrs. Ethel Harpster, of State College, strangled to death on Tuesday while taking nourishment from a feeding bottle. The mother put the child in the cradle and gave it the bottle while she went out to hang up clothes. When she returned to the house the child was dead. Mrs. Harpster lives with her father, John Inhof and family, who for one year lived in Bellefonte.

MCMILLEN'S LOST EVERYTHING.—Bellefonte friends of Col. C. G. McMillen will regret to learn that he lost everything in the Dayton flood. The information was contained on a postal card received in Bellefonte on Monday, addressed "Brockerhoff House" it stated: Mrs. McMillen, Roxie, Mr. Moore and myself all safe. We lost our all, but hope to be back on top before long.

C. G. McMILLEN. Col. McMillen less than three years ago opened the Giddings hotel, near one of the railroad depots in Dayton, and was doing a nice business. He contemplated visiting Bellefonte during the coming summer but the disaster that overtook them in company with many other residents of that town may necessitate a change in his plans.

Mrs. J. L. Spangler this week received a letter from Mrs. McMillen in which she said that they were living in their residence and not at the hotel. Mr. McMillen got up about six o'clock on Wednesday morning and noticed the water overflowing the street. He called to her but so fast did it rise that they had no time to get anything of consequence out of the first floor rooms. They were forced to take refuge on the second floor and finally the water reached there and they were compelled to flee to the attic. They spent Wednesday and Wednesday night there and on Thursday were rescued by boats. Their hotel property, the Giddings, was under water up to the second story so that everything on the first floor was ruined. Mrs. McMillen stated that they had lost practically everything. Mr. and Mrs. Richard Moore, the latter prior to her marriage being Miss Roxie McMillen, had nine feet of water in their house and all the furniture on the first floor ruined. Mr. Moore is in the belting business and his entire stock of goods was also ruined. Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Dix lived only a short distance from the Moores, but on higher ground, and they had six feet of water in their house, so that their loss is heavy.

Word was received in Bellefonte on Wednesday that among the drowned in Dayton were Harry Thomas, Miss Emma Barnes and her sister, but so far it has been impossible to verify the report.

RELIEF FROM BELLEFONTE.—Always generous in their charities, the people of Bellefonte have responded to the appeal for the flood sufferers with a willingness and promptness that has never failed, when called upon to aid suffering humanity. Through personal work a committee representing the W. C. T. U., with Miss Rhoads as chairman, sent from Bellefonte two weeks ago, twenty barrels and more of new, or practically new, bed clothing, wearing apparel, kitchen utensils, groceries and vegetables, gathered from the homes and stores of Bellefonte. The money contributed to this committee, amounting to seventy-five dollars, was invested mostly in bed clothing, children's clothes and flannel shirts for men—the entire donation, which was sent free of charge through the Adams express, went to Zanesville, Ohio; two barrels only, one of clothing and one of groceries, going to the Red Cross workers at Dayton.

In addition to the food and clothing contributions, a sum amounting to \$125.00 was raised at a meeting of the citizens of Bellefonte, Monday night of last week, for which the Gregg Post No. 95, G. A. R., acted as a committee. From the benefit at the scenic the following Thursday night, when Mr. Brown divided the door receipts, \$20.40 was added to the fund, and on Monday night the concert given by Miss Bradley, Miss Dorothy Bible, of Philadelphia, and the Choral society of Philadelphia, in charge of a committee of recognized charity workers, netted the fund of \$106.50, \$11.50 of which was money contribution, the remainder being the returns from 458 tickets sold. The committee is indebted to Mr. Garman for the use of the opera house.

WATER COMPANIES MERGED.—Papers for the merger of the Barnesboro and Spangler water companies into the Northern Cambria Water company were filed at Harrisburg last week. The capital stock of the new company is given at \$125,000, and the officers are as follows: President, J. L. Spangler, Bellefonte; directors, Ellis L. Orvis, Bellefonte; Ross A. Hickok, Harrisburg; H. F. Bigler, Clearfield; James A. McClain, Spangler. C. H. Rowland, G. W. Zeigler and J. C. Hollenback, Philipsburg, have incorporated the Moshannon Central railroad company to construct and operate a five mile railroad in Rush Township, Centre county. The capital of the company is \$50,000.

Peter J. Rothrock, a former Bellefonter and about two years ago driver of the Union Pacific tea company's wagon, was arrested at the home of E. I. Irwin, at Vail, on Wednesday, by deputy sheriff W. C. Rowe, on a charge of embezzlement preferred by Joseph Thal. He was brought to Bellefonte and the same evening Rothrock's son, who is employed in Altoona, and Mr. Irwin came to Bellefonte and settled the case by paying off the claim. The entire amount involved including the costs amounted to a little less than two hundred dollars.

The ladies of the Lutheran church will hold an ice cream and cake social at the home of Mrs. J. H. Garthoff, on Reynolds avenue, on Thursday evening, April 17th. Homemade candies will also be for sale. The proceeds will be for the benefit of the parsonage fund.

Jury List for May Term of Court.

The following list of jurors were drawn from the jury wheel last week to serve at the coming May term of court beginning Monday 19th:

Grand Jurors—Third Monday of May. Jas. K. Barnhart, cashier, Bellefonte; Jno. T. Beamer, stone mason, Philb; Wm. Bigelow, farmer, Taylor; Jno. H. Cole, agent, Philipsburg; Daniel Dorman, laborer, Walker; A. B. Davis, laborer, Rush; David Dutcher, painter, Philipsburg; Thos. Decker, laborer, St. College; Wilbur Deihl, carpenter, Miles; Chas. Dewey, laborer, Philipsburg; Samuel Faust, foreman, Rush; Wm. Gates, laborer, S. Philipsburg; C. G. Hassinger, laborer, Millheim; Elias Hancock, farmer, Bonnet; Frank Hassinger, farmer, Bonnet; R. R. Hartsack, laborer, Huston; N. H. Krape, farmer, Bonnet; D. M. Kline, farmer, Spring; Jno. Loder, laborer, Howard; Wm. C. C. Lucas, merchant, Howard; Jno. I. Markle, laborer, Ferguson; Dan'l Mussor, salesman, S. Philipsburg; T. B. Risher, gentleman, Miles; Peter Robb, Jr., farmer, Curtin.

Traverse Jurors—Third Monday. J. C. Auman, farmer, Miles; J. B. Alexander, farmer, Union; Paul Blinnow, marble dealer, Philb; A. E. Bower, merchant, Haines; M. A. Burkholder, farmer, Potter; Fred. J. Bryan, foreman, Bellefonte; Wm. C. Carter, farmer, Bellefonte; Harry Fravel, laborer, Marion; Pat. Gehrity, laborer, Bellefonte; C. E. Greist, clerk, Philipsburg; T. Hartschberger, butcher, Milesburg; D. B. Halt, agent, Philipsburg; Jacob B. Hazel, merchant, Miles; Thomas Houtz, farmer, College; H. D. Hunter, merchant, Bellefonte; Jno. Hutchison, agent, Bellefonte; Rash W. Irvin, lumberman, Bellefonte; D. M. Jones, laborer, Philipsburg; J. P. Kelley, contractor, Snow Shoe; B. Lambert, carpenter, Bellefonte; Wm. Long, farmer, Penn; W. B. Lucas, farmer, Union; W. J. Mussor, milk dealer, Bellefonte; Jno. A. Mann, farmer, Curtin; Thos. L. Moore, teacher, Centre Hill; R. H. Meek, carpenter, Snow Shoe; R. G. McClellan, farmer, Harris; P. E. Nagley, merchant, Bellefonte; J. H. Ollger, justice, Spring; J. P. Peters, farmer, Union; Jacob Robb, farmer, Howard; J. C. Rumberger, salesman, Bellefonte; Jas. Roush, blacksmith, Haines; Jas. Redding, laborer, Snow Shoe; W. I. Scholl, carpenter, Bellefonte; W. How, Sergeant, agent, Philipsburg; S. C. Stover, minister, Harris; J. F. Smith, auctioneer, Millheim; Harry Tressler, farmer, College; James Wilson, farmer, Liberty; Abe Weber, merchant, Howard; Jno. W. Wakely, laborer, Bellefonte; A. C. Williams, farmer, Huston; E. F. Wirt, farmer, Miles; M. P. Walker, collector, Bellefonte; George Weaver, farmer, Curtin; Jno. Whiteman, cook, Milesburg.

Traverse Jurors—Fourth Monday. Robt. Askey, farmer, Burnside; Robt. Auman, blacksmith, Penn; W. A. Bowes, dealer, Liberty; J. C. Brooks, farmer, Potter; Harry Dixon, miner, Spring; R. C. Gilliland, clerk, Snow Shoe; Geo. L. Goodhart, gentleman, Cen Hall; R. J. P. Gray, gentleman, Half Moon; Geo. L. Graham, merchant, St. College; Alex. Garrett, mechanic, Marion; Jas. Garland, laborer, Rush; Jas. Gault, mechanic, Howard; N. J. Hoekman, farmer, Walker; Jacob Hoy, farmer, Bonnet; Wm. Hornum, carpenter, St. College; Frank Hoffman, laborer, Philipsburg; Alex. Hoover, farmer, Patton; Milford Kreamer, farmer, Haines; E. L. Loe, farmer, Walker; L. A. Miller, gentleman, Spring; A. E. Markle, ice dealer, St. College; J. L. Murphy, laborer, Ferguson; J. M. Morrison, laborer, Philipsburg; David Miller, merchant, Spring; Jas. B. Noll, lime burner, Spring; Thos. Norris, merchant, Philipsburg; Daniel Poorman, farmer, Boggs; Francis Poorman, foreman, Curtin; A. R. Price, laborer, St. College; Wm. Ralston, laborer, College; Jacob Royer, farmer, Miles; Geo. B. Simler, laborer, Philipsburg; Great Struble, plumber, St. College; J. W. Sunday, laborer, Ferguson; Jno. Snyder, laborer, St. College; C. E. Shuey, jeweler, St. College; R. B. Smeltzer, huckster, Potter; B. Wolf, farmer, Miles; George Vaux, miner, Rush; Edward Zerby, laborer, Gregg.

—Among those who are changing their homes and could not for various reasons do so the beginning of the month are Mr. and Mrs. Paul Sheffer, going from the Hastings house on Spring street, to the Orison house next door; C. M. Hanna, in charge of the new meat market of Allegheny street, will bring his family from Lock Haven, to occupy the Bayard home on Spring street; Mr. and Mrs. William Sager, who have lived in the McQuinn house on Thomas street, have shipped their household goods to Niagara Falls, and that house will be occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Zimmerman of Co.; Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Laird, of Thomas street, are leaving Bellefonte to make their home in Tyrone, and a family by the name of Neese have come from the country up about Rock View, to occupy one-half of the Garbrick house, on east Curtin street.

Potatoes are selling for sixty to eighty cents a bushel in Bellefonte, but the outlook is for a big drop soon. In the eastern part of the State they sold as low as twenty cents the past week. This is because new potatoes are already in the market and selling at from \$3.00 to \$5.00 a barrel. Southern vegetables and fruits are abundant this year and the indication is they will be low in price. In Philadelphia nice, big new tomatoes can be bought for fifteen cents a dozen. It is the first season for some time when the outlook for cheap foodstuff was so encouraging.

At a session of juvenile court on Tuesday Aldine Chatman, a twelve year old girl who had been living in the family of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Flick, at Julian, was adjudged an incorrigible and was sentenced to the reform school at Glenn Mills. Mrs. J. Thomas Mitchell, secretary of the Children's Aid society of Pennsylvania, was assigned by the court to take the girl to the institution and left with her charge yesterday.

—The Y. M. C. A. was re-opened on Wednesday morning after being closed for a month on account of smallpox. The building was thoroughly fumigated and cleaned throughout, the swimming pool was also drained and cleaned.

—David LeRoy Rider, aged eight months and six days, died at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Rider, near Meyer's cemetery, on Tuesday. Funeral services were conducted by Rev. Wincy, of the United Brethren church, yesterday morning, and interment was made in Meyer's cemetery.

—The county commissioners have been holding appeals this week on the value of real estate and personal property as returned by the triennial assessment. There is more than the usual number of complainants, and especially from Benner township, which is accounted for by the taking over of so much land for the new penitentiary site.

—James Kilgallon, of Wilkes-Barre, an old umbrella mender who frequently visited Bellefonte, was murdered in a drunken brawl among a gang of tramps at "Boni's Hole," Williamsport, on Saturday night. Five tramps, all of whom are suspects, have been arrested but so far none of them are identified with the murder.

—Lock Haven city council has authorized the purchase of two car loads of crude oil to oil the streets of that city, and the question is already being asked what is Bellefonte going to do in the matter? Bellefonte council has never purchased the oil for the streets but has had it put on after it was purchased by the citizens. The same thing will probably be done this year and from the amount of dust that is already blowing around the streets it ought to be done as soon as possible to avoid as much as possible the dust nuisance.

PINE GROVE MENTION.

J. W. Sunday is laid up with lumbago. E. S. Tressler shipped a car load of cattle to Altoona butchers last Friday.

Prof. Geo. W. Johnston is aiding C. C. Johnston in tilling the soil.

Mr. and Mrs. Levi Fairhurst Sundayed at the Charles Colbine home on the Pike.

Lucella, baby girl of Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Garner, is very ill with stomach trouble.

For the third time the late Chas. D. Miller sale has been adjourned until next Saturday.

A. W. Dale and wife spent several days last week among their friends in the Glades.

Our mutual friend, James Howser, recovering from an attack of erysipelas and able to go about.

Milliken and Taylor, the popular drovers of Reedsville, are circulating among the farmers in quest of stock.

The Lutheran church at Gatesburg is being removed and the erection of a new edifice will take place this summer.

Orrie Daugherty is J. F. Kimport's right bower on the farm this season, and seems to be the right man in the right place.

Edward Decker and sister Maude are both home, the former with tonsillitis and the latter suffering with stomach trouble.

J. S. Miller is breaking ground for a new barn, to go up with a rush as soon as the weather permits. Howard Barr has the job.

Wm. Biddle, one of the representative citizens of Stormstown, is spending a week with his sister, Mrs. Ellis Lytle, at Baileyville.

Emery McAfee is spending some time in Gary, Indiana, where he is looking after the affairs of his son Hugh, who was killed recently.

The John F. Garner livery sale of horses at State College Saturday afternoon was well attended. Everything brought good prices.

After six weeks treatment in a New York hospital for a diseased ankle Miss Sara McWilliams returned home Saturday but still improved.

The Ferguson township high school exercises will be held this (Friday) evening, the 11th, and not the 15th, as stated in our last week's "Mentions."

The weather man got the elements badly twisted lately. Snow flurries all day Sunday. Just two weeks too late for Easter, but it might be credited as the onion snow.

Another big real estate deal at State College was pulled off Monday when W. L. Foster sold his property on College avenue and Pugh streets, to Homer Getzel, of Selinsgrove.

John M. Campbell, of Tyrone; Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Meek, Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Hess, Dr. Thos. C. Van Tries, Col. D. F. Fortney and Hon. James Schofield were among the mourners at the funeral of the late Henry W. McCracken on Wednesday.

A large attendance of members was present at the regular meeting of Pennsylvania Lodge, No. 276, I. O. O. F., on Saturday evening, when the newly elected officers for the ensuing year were installed by district deputy grand master, R. M. Krebs, as follows: Noble grand, J. W. Sunday; vice grand, James Howser; financial secretary, J. H. Meyers; corresponding secretary, Samuel Elder; wardens, W. H. Fry; conductor, J. H. Bailey; chaplain, Dr. R. M. Krebs; R. S. to N. G., J. W. Fry; L. S. to N. G., J. E. McWilliams; R. S. to V. G., W. H. Glenn; L. S. to V. G., C. L. Irwin; inside guardian, A. S. Bailey; outside guardian, A. S. Walker. Following the installation the fifth degree was conferred upon a number of candidates and this was followed by a smoker. The Lodge is in a flourishing condition.

LEMONT.

Most of the schools of College township closed this week.

Morris Klinger and wife visited at the home of his mother last week.

The farmers are busy getting the fields ready to put out their spring seeding.

The social held by the Centre Furnace Sunday school was a success in every way.

Simon Kline, of Ohio, circulated among his many friends in these parts last week.

The state road men are about ready to renew work on the road between here and State College.

The boys of the Y. M. C. A. club were very much pleased with the sermon preached for them by Rev. W. K. Harnish, of the Presbyterian church. Sunday was a rough day, as it snowed most of the time and was accompanied by a very cold west wind, and on Monday morning the mercury stood at 2 degrees below freezing.

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