

A Frank Confession that Proves a Greatly Appreciated Boquet for This Paper.

On Monday last the following letter was received from Prof. Edwin Twitmyer, an old Bellefonte boy, who for years had charge of the public schools of Seattle, and is now Inspector of High schools of the State of Washington. It fully explains itself, and shows to the many patrons of the WATCHMAN the value that is placed upon it by those who know what constitutes a good paper, as well as high standing it has among other papers of the country: Mr. Bowmer's statement should add to the pride that Centre county people have always taken in the WATCHMAN.

My Dear Mr. Mee:—A few days ago my duties called me to Oak Harbor, in Island county, Washington, Island county being located in the midst of, and surrounded by, the waters of Puget Sound. Oak Harbor publishes a weekly paper known as the *Oak Harbor News*, and its editor is one by the name of H. E. Bowmer, an aging "knight of the quill," who is purely a Pacific coast product. Mr. Bowmer was born and educated in California and has always lived on the Pacific coast, never in his life having been even so far east as the Rocky mountains. In my conversation with him I dropped the remark that I was born near Bellefonte, Pennsylvania, and had lived there until I had grown into manhood.

"Well," said he, "do you know anything about a Democratic paper published in Bellefonte called the *DEMOCRATIC WATCHMAN*?" "Yes," I replied, "I have known the *DEMOCRATIC WATCHMAN* ever since I have known anything about any newspaper and have also known it's editor since I was a boy." He then told me that when he was the editor of *The Statesman* nearly a quarter of a century ago, a Democratic paper published at Walla Walla, this State, he and his partner, in making search throughout the United States for a live, vigorous, ardent Democratic weekly from which they might gain ideas and inspiration to assist them in the publication of the *Statesman*, and from which they could also do some clipping. He found the *DEMOCRATIC WATCHMAN*, and that they had always found it a mine of good things and that it had relieved them from many a mental strain. "Why," said he, "we stole most of our editorials bodily from it, as well as many other articles. Sometimes when we got through clipping it there was not enough left of it to hang together. We subscribed for the paper. You see there were reasons why we did not care to have it come to us as an exchange." He said he had not seen the paper for many years and would really like to see it. I asked him if he would care if I told you about his thievery; he laughed, and said no. Mr. Bowmer is quite a good-humored and genial man. I thought you might be interested in knowing how far-reaching your political preachments were, even though you were not given the credit that was due you, and into what remote corners of the earth they had penetrated.

Very sincerely,
EDWIN TWITMYER.

FOR A SAFE AND SANE FOURTH OF JULY.—The Woman's Club will again have charge of the arrangements for a safe and sane Fourth of July in Bellefonte, and the committee in charge urges the patriotic people of Bellefonte and vicinity to join enthusiastically in a proper celebration of the day. A tentative program has been outlined as follows:

9 a. m.—Free automobile ride for the small children, starting from the Diamond. All owners and drivers are asked to contribute their machines and services.

10 a. m.—Big street parade to form and start from High school house commons. To make this the big event of the day individuals and organizations are earnestly requested to lend their co-operation. The parade will be led by the famous Coleville band and will include the Logan and Undine fire companies, Company L, civic organizations and secret societies, decorated automobiles from all over the county, decorated bicycles, floats, mums and school children. A prize of \$5.00 will be given for the best decorated automobile, for the best dressed bicycle rider, and for the best dressed mummer from Bellefonte and mummer from out of town. Men and boys entering this contest will please report to Dr. Weston, at the Y. M. C. A. Women and girls will please report to Mrs. Charles F. Mensch.

2-4 p. m.—Free matinees at the Scenic for women and children.

2.15 p. m.—Free baseball game on Hughes field between the Tyrone New Century club and Bellefonte. The Coleville band will furnish music.

4.15 p. m.—Swimming contests at the Y. M. C. A. for men and boys only.

7 p. m.—Drill exercises by the pupils of the public schools on the High school building commons, after which ice cream comes will be given the children free.

8 p. m.—Three short addresses and a musical program in front of the court house, to be followed with a concert by the Coleville band.

The Y. M. C. A. will be open to the public all day as a resting place, where everybody will be most welcome to spend as much time as they desire.

LEMONT.

This town will have electric light in the near future.

Only seven from this place went to Gettysburg last Friday.

John Moke, of Howard, spent Friday in town attending Memorial day services.

Mary Eiters went to the hospital on Saturday, where she will undergo treatment.

Lemont's hanging painter, Ephraim Klingner, put a coat of paint on the D. H. Bortoff house last week.

Dr. W. H. Fry was in town Tuesday, and says he is as busy as can be, even though the Democrats are in power.

The ladies' Aid society of the United Evangelical congregation, had a concrete walk put down in front of their church.

PINE GROVE MENTION.

Charley Sunday spent Friday and Saturday in Tyrone.

Ed Bowerson, of Altoona, spent Friday at the G. W. McWilliams home.

Mrs. Alice Magoffin visited her brother, Dr. G. H. Woods and family, last week.

Ed Moore and wife, from Getzsburg, visited at the H. G. Bloom home Saturday.

James E. Lenker spent Decoration day at the home of his mother, at Aaronsburg.

Will Fry and family spent down from Altoona and attended Memorial day services.

John Hoy, ticket agent at Wadde, was here on Thursday looking after the family plot.

That prince of good fellows, Jim Watt, was here on Tuesday interviewing our merchants.

We are sorry to note the serious illness of Henry Fry, the popular lively man at State College.

The ladies' festival held at Pine Hall on Memorial day evening netted the treasury about fifty dollars.

Children's day exercises will be held in the Presbyterian church here next Sunday at 7.30 p. m. All are invited.

The Oak Hall Sunday school picnicked Saturday afternoon in the P. S. Dale orchard, and every one had a pleasant time.

E. L. Bricker, on the General Beaver farm, found one of his best horses dead in its stall, having died during the night.

Porter Lightner, on going to the barn Friday morning found that one of his horses had committed suicide by hanging itself.

Mrs. Annie Grove is visiting her parental home at Fairbrook. It is about her first visit to the old home since she has been married.

Dr. Miles Stover, a former Pine Grove boy, now an eminent physician in Pittsburgh, with his mother is visiting their many friends hereabouts.

Our popular and obliging miller and baker put a delivery wagon on the road Monday and hereafter his customers can have fresh bread and cakes delivered at their door.

Mr. and Mrs. Miff Campbell spent several days at Penn's Cave last week. Mrs. Campbell continued her journey on to Watsonstown to visit her sister, Mrs. Hutchinson, and other relatives.

Wm. W. Keller and son Paul and J. M. Keller, all of Pittsburgh, are visiting at the Judge Keller home. Will is holding down a hundred dollar a month job in the postoffice while Milton handles the saw and square.

Dr. J. E. Ward and W. B. Rankin, of Bellefonte, lent a helping hand at an old fashioned barn raising Tuesday, and thoroughly enjoyed the fine dinner and supper prepared by Mrs. Cronover and her assistants.

Mrs. Wm. H. Fry, of Tacoma, Washington, with her two boys, Donald and Edwin, left their home Sunday and will journey across the continent to Portland, Maine, where she will spend the summer months with her parents. On her home trip she will visit during September among Blair and Centre county friends, who hope for them a joyous and successful journey.

Memorial services were held at the Branch cemetery on Thursday evening of last week, at which time Rev. W. K. Harman and J. L. Holmes were the speakers. On Memorial day the turn out for the exercises here was unusually large.

Col. H. S. Taylor was the speaker and among those who took part was Rev. J. C. Chambers. Col. Taylor also spoke at Boalsburg, where an immense crowd was present. Rev. L. S. Spangler made a splendid address at Pine Hall. Rev. R. M. Campbell was the orator at Pennsylvania Furnace and Rev. J. R. Woodcock, of Birmingham, spoke at Graysville.

SPRING MILLS.

Lighting our streets is again talked about!

B. A. Donachy, of Lewisburg, was here a few days this week on a visit to his mother, Mrs. Maggie Donachy.

Hon. Wm. M. Allison has been seriously ill the last week or ten days. The latest report from the sick room is not of a very encouraging character.

All our merchants report a very good trade during May. Commercial agents stopping off here report business on the road as being quite satisfactory.

The Spring Mills creamery plant has been treated to a coat of paint—a decided improvement. Why not paint or whitewash the pigs? The new pen will house a hundred or more pigs.

The festival at the Grange hall on the evening of Memorial day was an immense affair. The hall was thronged from early in the evening until midnight, at which time all the ice cream, fruits, etc., had been disposed of.

It is reported that the Continental Condensed Milk Co. will have a plant erected here and in full operation by fall—possibly. The station located here is certainly doing a very large business, shipping daily from 1200 to 1500 gallons of milk to the Mill Hill plant. The company collects milk by autos. The station is a model of cleanliness, all the utensils, cans and machinery are kept as bright and clean as the proverbial new pin. The floors are scalded and thoroughly scrubbed daily—a place for everything and everything in its place. Under the able and careful management of W. O. Gramley and Andrew Shook this healthy condition could hardly be otherwise. The station gives employment to over a dozen men.

Jealous Baby Kills Infant.

An unusual case of alleged pre-coocious violence is reported in Newark, N. J.

The authorities decided that the death of the two-day-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Pezzano was due to a fist blow on the head dealt by the infant's twenty-month-old brother, Angelo.

The boy had previously exhibited jealousy towards his new sister, and had scratched her face in the presence of witnesses. The baby died shortly after being alone with her brother, from a hemorrhage at the base of the brain.

Confesses Murder.

David Everitt made a written confession to District Attorney Strauss in Sunbury, Pa., that he murdered Henry E. Miller, in that place, last year.

When on trial for his participation in the crime he placed the blame for the murder upon Frederick Nye, who was his companion, and Nye was sentenced to be hanged, Everitt receiving a sentence for manslaughter.

The case was taken to the supreme court, which declined to interfere, and an appeal is now pending before the pardon board. Robbery was the motive for the murder.

Find Decapitated Woman.

The body of a young woman, from which the head had been severed and replaced, was found on a vacant lot in Bloomfield, N. J.

By means of a handkerchief upon which her name was written she was identified as Mrs. Alvira Cercello, the wife of a Newark storekeeper.

Two hundred dollars which the husband said she carried in her stocking was missing. Her fingers had been severed from her hands, and the ground in the immediate vicinity gave indications of a terrific fight for life.

Pope Pius is 78.

Pope Pius was seventy-eight years old on Monday, and innumerable telegrams and messages from all parts of the world arrived at the Vatican, felicitating the pontiff and wishing him many years of life.

New Advertisements.

CHARTER NOTICE.—Notice is hereby given that application will be made by J. P. Blair, F. H. Clemson and R. R. Blair to the Governor of Pennsylvania on the 1st day of June, 1913, eleven o'clock a. m., under the provisions of an act of Assembly, entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation of certain corporations," approved the 29th day of April, 1912, and the supplements and amendments thereto, for a charter for an intended corporation, to be called "Centre County Clay Company," the character and object of which is the mining of clays and other mineral matter incidentally developed, preparing the same for market and for these purposes acquire, lease, own and hold lands, and for these purposes also to have, possess and enjoy all the rights, benefits and privileges by said act of Assembly and the supplements and amendments thereto conferred.

TRUSTEE'S SALE.—The undersigned Trustee appointed by the Orphans' Court of Centre county to sell the real estate of William G. Browne, late of Bellefonte borough, deceased, will offer at public sale at the court house at Bellefonte, Pennsylvania, on

SATURDAY, JUNE 14th, 1913, at 10 o'clock a. m., the following piece of real estate, situate in the borough of Bellefonte, county of Centre and State of Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a post on the east side of Ridge street eighty feet north of Burrows alley, thence by lot heretofore sold to James Caldwell sixty feet to a post, at proposed alley, thence by said proposed alley, thence north eighty feet to a post at Hale alley, thence by Hale alley west sixty feet to a post, corner of Hale alley and Ridge street, thence by Ridge street south eighty feet to the place of beginning, fronting on Ridge street eighty feet and extending back sixty feet in depth to said alley.

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Another house can be built on the same lot, a desirable location. House has two rooms upstairs and two rooms down-stairs and out-kitchen. Lot in good state of cultivation and in good condition, needs very little repairing. Property will be sold cheap; heirs want their money. If you do not attend to this, you will miss a good bargain.

TERMS OF SALE.—One half of the purchase price to be paid on the day of sale, the other one half on the confirmation of the sale.

J. M. KEICHLINE,
58-23-5t Trustee appointed by Orphans' Court.

New Advertisements.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR CHARTER.—Notice is hereby given that application will be made to the Governor of Pennsylvania on the 27th day of June, 1913, under the provisions of an Act of Assembly approved the 29th day of April, A. D. 1912, and the supplements thereto, for a charter for an intended corporation, to be called "THE BELLEFONTE AUTOMOBILE MANUFACTURING COMPANY," the character and object of which is the manufacturing, repairing, buying, selling and dealing in automobiles, motors, motor wagons, commercial trucks, motor cycles and other self-propelled vehicles, their parts and accessories, and conducting in connection therewith a general machine business, and for these purposes to have, possess and enjoy all the rights, benefits and privileges by said Act of Assembly and the supplements thereto conferred.

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New Advertisements.

FOR SALE.—A Weaver Organ, almost as good as new. A rare bargain for anyone wanting a good musical instrument. For particulars inquire at this office.

SHERIFF'S SALE.—By virtue of a writ of Levari Facias issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Centre county, to me directed, there will be exposed to public sale at the court house in the borough of Bellefonte, Pennsylvania, on Saturday, June 21st, 1913, at 1.30 p. m., the following described real estate, to-wit:

All that certain message, tenement and lot of ground or parcel of land situate in the borough of Bellefonte, bounded and described as follows, to-wit: On the north by the Brisban, now or formerly Snyder property, on the east by Bishop street and an alley and Logan street; on the south by Friend's Meeting house property, and on the west by land formerly of Harris heirs. Said premises being known as the Bellefonte Academy property. Containing about two (2) acres more or less.

Seized, levied upon, taken into execution and to be sold as the property of the Trustees of Bellefonte Academy.

TERMS OF SALE.—No deed will be acknowledged until purchase money is paid in full.

ARTHUR B. LEE,
58-22-4t Sheriff, Bellefonte, Pa., May 28th, 1913.

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New Advertisements.

FOR SALE.—A good-sized safe in excellent condition, cheap.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.—Letters of administration upon the estate of Sarah A. Love, late of Potter township, deceased, having been granted to the undersigned, all persons knowing themselves indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment and those having claims against the same to present them duly authenticated according to law for settlement.

N. B. SPANGLER,
58-18-6t Administrator.

NOTICE TO THE STOCKHOLDERS OF THE E. L. AUMAN MILLING COMPANY.—Notice is hereby given, that a Special Meeting of the Stockholders of the E. L. Auman Milling Company will be held at the principal office of the Company in the Borough of Millheim, County of Centre, and State of Pennsylvania, on Monday, July 7th, 1913, at five o'clock p. m., for the purpose of voting for or against an increase of the indebtedness of said Company, from nothing to fifteen thousand (\$15,000) dollars.

EZRA H. AUMAN, Secretary.
CLARENCE L. PEASLEE, Att'y., Williamsport, Pa. 58-18-9t

New Advertisements.

FOR RENT.—The Alfred Bezer property, located near the Jewish cemetery. A house of six rooms, three up and three down. A nice large garden in the rear and a small yard in front.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.—The undersigned executor of the last will and testament of Henry Heaton late of Boggs, Twp., Centre county, Pa., deceased, hereby notify all persons knowing themselves indebted to said estate to make immediate settlement of such indebtedness and those having claims to present the same, duly authenticated, for payment.

O. J. STOVER, Executor, Blanchard, Pa. 58-21-6t

NOTICE TO THE STOCKHOLDERS OF THE E. L. AUMAN MILLING COMPANY.—Notice is hereby given, that a Special Meeting of the Stockholders of the E. L. Auman Milling Company will be held at the principal office of the Company, in the Borough of Millheim, County of Centre, and State of Pennsylvania, on Monday, July 7th, 1913, at five o'clock p. m., for the purpose of voting for or against a reduction of the capital stock of the said Company from forty-five thousand (\$45,000) dollars to twenty-five thousand (\$25,000) dollars.

EZRA H. AUMAN, Secretary, Williamsport, Pa. 58-18-9t

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