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THINGS ABOUT TOWN AND COUNTY.

The Varneys are coming. A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Eberhart, of Penn street, at the Belleville hospital on Monday morning. Herbert Auman had the third finger of his right hand badly mangled last Thursday by getting it caught in the linotype. Large supply of Easter lilies in pots and cut flowers. Also all other Easter flowers in pots and cut flowers.—CANDYLAND. Dr. and Mrs. J. E. Ward celebrated their silver (twenty-fifth) wedding anniversary last Friday by entertaining a few intimate friends at dinner. An orchard demonstration will be held on the farm of A. J. Gephart, at Millheim, at one o'clock on the afternoon of Friday, March 19th. The girl's basket ball team of Renovo will play the girls' team of the Belleville High school in the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium tomorrow evening at 8.30 o'clock. Only thirty-three more days until the opening of the trout fishing season, and piscatorialists are already haunting the streams to see what the outlook is for trout. The Hotel Haag and the Brant house, which have always been a dollar-a-day houses, have been compelled to advance their rates because of the high cost of everything. Frank Bradford on Monday purchased the flouring mill at Centre Hall from J. H. Weber, for \$11,000, the transfer to take place April first. Mr. Weber operated the mill eleven years. The Thespians, of State College, will appear at Garman's opera house Saturday evening, April 10th, in their annual production, "Miss Adam of Eden," a musical comedy by Arthur Lavino. Look at your dingy back fence and your dingy stable and resolve to join in the paint and white-wash campaign to be carried on in Belleville this spring. Doing your share is all that is asked. On Friday evening, March 26th, Hon. August Schuan, a Swedish diplomat, will lecture in the court house under the auspices of the Y. M. C. A., on the subject of "Conditions for Permanent Peace." Conductor William H. Hamilton, of the Central Railroad of Pennsylvania, is off duty this week on account of an injury to his back sustained last Friday afternoon, while endeavoring to fix the brake mechanism on a freight car. The second of a series of dinners, for which ten covers were laid, was given by Mrs. John I. Olewine, at her home on Spring street, Thursday of last week. The first of Mrs. Olewine's dinners had been given Tuesday of the same week. From Friday evening until Sunday night fully eighteen inches of snow fell in this vicinity, but about half of it melted as it fell. It froze up Sunday night but the high sun and warmer weather of this week have taken much of the snow away. The Ladies Aid Society of the Lutheran church will serve a baked bean supper Thursday evening, March 18th, at the home of Mrs. Thomas Hazel, on Logan street. The price of the supper will be twenty cents, ice cream and cake extra. The Passmore house at Philipsburg which during the past three years has been conducted by Albert Fasshauer, has been purchased by James Passmore, a son of the late James Passmore, who was proprietor of the hotel for many years. The large old stone house at Aaronsburg which has been the ancestral home of the Coburn family for generations, and where they always entertained their many friends in a lavish style, has been sold to Mrs. Emma Hess, of Aaronsburg. She will not be given occupancy of the property, however, until the first of October. A rumor has reached Belleville by way of Philipsburg that Christ Sharer, of Taylor township, has practically closed a deal for the sale of all his clay, coal and mineral lands in Rush township, east of Philipsburg, for \$275,000. The alleged purchasers are several capitalists who intend developing the various deposits on the land. The Ceader bakery having for several years made a specialty of supplying cakes and rolls for public sales, are preparing to do this on a larger scale than ever before. Farmers who are facing the hard work of a sale will do well to telephone their order at once, to save the work, and to give Ceaders the opportunity of supplying the demand. The forty-seventh annual conference of the Central Pennsylvania district Methodist Episcopal church will be held at Shamokin, beginning next Monday, March 15th. Arrangements have been made for the entertainment of 350 ministers and an equal number of lay delegates. Bishop Burt, of Buffalo, will be the presiding officer. Conference will be in session on—week.

MILESBERG STORE COMPANY ROBBED.—Robbers forced an entrance to the Milesburg Store company on Saturday night by prying a strip off at the front door and forcing the bolt. They secured between three and four dollars in change, some boots and shoes, several watches, etc. The loss will be less than one hundred dollars, according to the owners. No person heard the robbers. The Belleville police were put upon the case and on Monday evening officer Dunlap went to Milesburg and began an investigation. He soon learned that Joseph Wagner and Henry Gordon, of Belleville, were seen in Milesburg at a late hour Saturday night, and knowing the reputation of these young men the police believed that they were implicated in the robbery. On Tuesday afternoon Wagner was arrested on suspicion and after being put through the third degree by chief of police Dukeman finally confessed and implicated Henry Gordon, of Belleville, and George Wyland, of Milesburg, as having been his confederates in the job. Gordon was arrested the same afternoon, but declared he had not taken part in the robbery, despite Wagner's assertions. Wagner also told the officers where his part of the booty was hidden and securing a search warrant the officers went to the Wagner home on Tuesday afternoon and secured one watch and a few other articles. Up to this writing Gordon has refused to tell where he hid his portion of the stolen goods and the police have been unable to find it. Wyland was taken into custody on Wednesday afternoon. The robbery was planned by the three young men, according to Wagner's confession, while they were in Moerschbacher's pool room. When they decided to pull off the job they went down Water street to the Central Railroad of Pennsylvania and followed it to the McCoy & Linn iron works where they took the public road. At the store Wagner and Gordon pulled off the robbery while Wyland declares that he went away and had no part in it. Wyland didn't return to Belleville but remained in Milesburg. On their way back to Belleville Gordon lost a box of cigars, which were found Sunday morning, showing that the robbers came this way. Gordon is an old offender, having served time in the Huntingdon reformatory, the western penitentiary and the federal prison at Atlanta, Ga. He is still on parole from the latter place. Wagner has been in one or more scrapes before but has always escaped prison. PREPARING FOR BIG INRUSH OF WORKMEN.—All the available space in the Garman residence on the corner of High and Spring streets is being fixed up into rooms for lodgers only, and William McClure is also converting his building on Bishop street into a lodging house. This is being done in preparation for the demand for lodging places which is sure to come as soon as work begins at the penitentiary. If the Thompson Starrett company puts on in the neighborhood of three hundred men and the State almost as many there will be a big demand in Belleville for lodging room, and wise will be the man who has prepared to meet it. With hundreds of the penitentiary workmen making their headquarters in Belleville an effort will be made to have the Pennsylvania railroad company put a workmen's train on the Lewisburg and Tyrone railroad, to leave Belleville at seven o'clock and arrive at Rockview in time to start work at 7.30; returning leave Rockview about 4.45 and get in Belleville about five o'clock. This would be more convenient than the regular train schedule and would enable the railroad company to better handle the large crowd of workmen. NAGINEY WINS INSURANCE CASES.—Frank E. Naginey won all his insurance cases in court last week. When the WATCHMAN went to press last week the jury was out in the case against the Fidelity Phenix Fire Insurance company, the London Assurance Association and the Delaware Underwriters, all tried as a blanket case. Friday morning the jury returned a verdict in favor of Mr. Naginey for \$1272.00, the court reserving the right of decision on one point of law and also the proper apportionment of the verdict between the three companies. The second case tried was against the Teutonia Fire Insurance company, the jury in this case returning a verdict of \$1042.50. The North-western National Insurance company, and the Insurance Company of North America settled, though the amounts paid Mr. Naginey do not appear upon the record. The latter, however, claims he will get between four and five hundred dollars more than he originally agreed to settle for, or a total of \$3573.00. HAYES SCHOLARSHIPS.—By means of a donation made to The Pennsylvania State College by Dr. and Mrs. Thos. R. Hayes, of Belleville, five scholarships worth \$85 each are given to the five counties of the state showing the highest ratio of students in the college to the total population of the county. The successful counties for 1915 are: Cameron, Center, Dauphin, Forest, and Wyoming. The county superintendent of schools together with the high school principals of each county constitute a governing board to make the appointment before June 1st. Center county has held one of these scholarships each year since their inauguration. Among the holders have been: Benjamin G. Hunter, Raymond Jenkins, P. E. Thomas, L. D. Whiting, and Ellis O. Keller, all of Belleville, Pa.

The University of Pittsburgh wrestling team did not score a point in their contest on the mat with the Penn State team at State College last Friday night. Lamb, State's heavy weight, threw his man in one minute and seven seconds. A number of Belleville went up to the College to see the contest. Capt. George M. Boal last week sold his farm west of Centre Hall, now tenanted by Richard Brooks, to his son-in-law, D. A. Booser. The farm contains 202 acres and the purchase price was \$12,750. Capt. Boal also sold his farm along the pike east of Centre Hall to his daughter, Mrs. Charles W. Slack, for \$5,500. This farm contains ninety-eight acres and has been tenanted by Mr. and Mrs. Slack. Hon. Charles H. Rowland, of Philipsburg, went to Washington last Thursday, where he was sworn in as Congressman from this, the Twenty-first, congressional district. He was accompanied to Washington by George W. Zeigler Esq. Unless President Wilson calls a special session of Congress Congressman Rowland's duties will be merely perfunctory until the opening of the next session of Congress in December. Mr. Warwick in "The Man of the Hour," at the scenic last Friday evening, was a picture worth seeing, and those who failed to see it missed something really fine. This emphasizes the fact that if you don't want to miss the good things in motion pictures you should be a regular patron. Manager Brown aims to give the people of Belleville the best he can secure and his efforts should be appreciated by all lovers of motion pictures. The Belleville school board has received a promise from Hon. C. LaRue Munson to deliver the commencement address at the graduating exercises of the Belleville High school the last week in May. An effort has been made for a number of years to secure Mr. Munson but there was always something to intervene. This year the board decided to go after him early and thus was able to secure his promise. Mr. Munson is an able speaker and the graduating class as well as Belleville generally can expect something fine in his address. The Emerick brothers, W. J. Emerick, of Belleville, and H. C. Emerick, of Philipsburg, who operate the motor bus line between Belleville and Milesburg and Belleville and State College, have taken the agency for the White car and expect to open head-quarters in Altoona. They have already made plans for the erection of a big building there during the summer. On Monday H. C. Emerick came to Belleville in one of the 1915 double cowl model White cars, which attracted considerable attention. The car is unique in that there is not an angle to be found on the body, which consists of a full streamline design. The Public Service Commission at Harrisburg on Monday dismissed the complaints of the Lehigh Valley Coal company and the Kelley Brothers, of Snow Shoe. The latter alleged in their complaint that the respondent refused to install a telephone station in their office and the grievance of the Lehigh Valley was that the Bell refused to continue service at an annual rate of \$48 because those rates are below the standard rates charged elsewhere. With a view of reaching an amicable settlement, the Bell submitted some propositions but they were ignored by the complainants and the action of the Commission followed. MUTT AND JEFF IN MEXICO.—The best evidence a theatre manager can offer his patrons as to the actual merits of an entertainment that he is offering for your approval is undisputed facts concerning its success elsewhere. What is said concerning the success of Gus Hill's production of Bud Fisher's great cartoon play, "Mutt and Jeff in Mexico" coming to Garman's on Tuesday evening, March 16th, can easily be verified in the news columns of almost any newspaper. In New York City, Chicago, and Boston, the play had large runs, and wrung from the most conservative critics the enviable title of being the greatest financial and artistic success in a quarter of a century. You don't want any better evidence than this, do you? The big New York company with all of the arguments that won its success will be here. Get seats now. Prices, 35, 50, and 75 cents and \$1.00. BELLEVILLE GOT THEIR MONEY.—On Monday morning district attorney D. Paul Fortney received a check from H. E. Campbell's Sunbury lawyer in full payment for the money the latter received on passing worthless checks in Belleville, as well as the costs. It will be remembered that some two months ago Campbell came to Belleville on a proposition to start the Belleville furnace and during the two days he was in town got two checks cashed, one for \$35.00 and one for \$50.00. He then suddenly disappeared. Of course the checks were no good, one of them having been forged. Campbell later worked the same game in Sunbury and when he was caught at Lancaster several weeks ago the Sunbury authorities got him first. Though his friends have made good all the money he secured on bogus checks Campbell will be given a trial in Northumberland county. It is hardly likely, however, that the Belleville interested will bother any more about him, now that they have gotten their money back.

ANOTHER GARAGE FOR BELLEVILLE.—Last week F. S. Knecht, who the past year has conducted a vulcanizing establishment in a basement room of the Bush Arcade, and Louis Hill purchased the Palace livery stable from the Stewart heirs and as soon as they can get possession, which will be on or before the first of April, will open up a new garage. They will conduct a storage and repair establishment and do upholstering and painting. A room will be fixed up and furnished as a ladies waiting room for the accommodation of ladies in automobile parties who may be compelled to spend some time at the garage while repairs to their machine are being made. They will also have a vulcanizing department for the repair of tires. The new garage will be complete in every detail. In course of time Messrs. Knecht and Hill may take an agency for some machine, but at first they will devote themselves to looking after the needs of automobilists. The purchase of this stable will mean the passing out of existence of the Palace livery. Public sale will be made of all their stock, rigs and equipment and what has been one of Belleville's leading livery for over a score of years will then be a thing of the past. PROPERTY CHANGES AND MOVINGS.—Joseph Thomas, who for some years has lived in one of the McQuiston houses on Potter street, has purchased the James K. Barnhart property on north Thomas street and will move there on April first. Wilbur E. Burkholder, who now lives in the Barnhart property will move into the house on east Bishop street occupied by S. D. Gettig and family, while the latter will move into the house he recently purchased on the same thoroughfare. Wallace Markle recently purchased the Eckenroth property on east High street, now occupied by Herbert Auman and family, for \$850. He will move there on April first. H. S. Smith moved his family this week from the Garman building on Spring street to the McQuiston property on west High street. The rooms he vacated will likely be taken by Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Casebeer. The Order of Moose have decided to take the Shoemaker property on Spring street and the Lodge will be located there as soon as possible after April 1st. ROCCO TASSONE ELECTROCUT.—Rocco Tassone, an Italian of Lancaster, was electrocuted at the new penitentiary at Rockview shortly after seven o'clock on Monday morning. The man walked unassisted to the death chair and gave no evidence of fear. Less than a dozen persons witnessed the electrocution. Electricity from the State-Centre Electric company's service line was used and the first shock of over 2,100 volts caused death, though several additional shocks were given. Tassone was a member of an alleged Black Hand gang who on October 31st, 1913, killed Tony Colatta, a fruit dealer of Lancaster, while he rode with him in his wagon. Tassone received twenty-five dollars for committing the deed, according to the evidence at the trial, though up to the last he maintained that the guilty man escaped. The body was claimed by relatives and taken to Lancaster for burial. BAND CONCERT.—Our Boys band of Milesburg will celebrate St. Patrick's day, next Wednesday evening, by giving one of their famous concerts in the hall at Milesburg. Knocked down prices of admission will prevail—10 and 15 cents. The reputation enjoyed by Our Boys band in Milesburg, Belleville and surrounding community should draw for them a large audience. This band is now ranked among the best in Central Pennsylvania and it is a delight to hear it. Belleville can go down and hear the concert and return on the big bus. UNITED EVANGELICAL APPOINTMENTS.—The annual conference of the United Evangelical church came to a close at Carlisle on Tuesday with the reading of the appointments. Rev. C. L. Sones was made presiding elder of the Centre district and the appointments for Centre county are as follows: Belleville, E. Fulcomer. Centre Hall, F. H. Foss. Howard, J. E. Binigaman. Millheim, W. H. Brown. Mitham, D. A. Erel. Rebersburg, J. M. Gray. Spring Mills, John M. Price. JUDGE ORVIS GRANTS FIVE MORE LICENSES.—Judge Ellis L. Orvis on Monday morning granted five of the six licenses held over several weeks ago for further consideration. The five granted are the Sandy Ridge hotel, J. B. Egan proprietor, and the following four in Philipsburg: Potter house, J. R. Clifford; the Passmore house, Albert Fasshauer; the Farmer's hotel, William Bowers, and the Central Hotel, William H. Hindell. The only application that has not yet been disposed of is for the Spring Mills hotel. FURNITURE SALE.—Will be offered at private sale for the next two weeks a lot of high class furniture: Two elegant walnut bedroom sets, 1 very handsome cherry bedroom set, 1 mammoth walnut sideboard, a beauty; 1 parlor set—eight pieces; 6 leather dining room chairs, good as new; 1 extension table; 2 hair mattresses, in two pieces; 20 yards inlaid linoleum in roll, never used; chairs and table; 1 No. 8 Othello range, good as new. Inquire at SOURCECK'S Store. Good waitress wanted at the Bush house, telephone or apply at once. 60-9-14

NEWS PURELY PERSONAL. Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Glenn came up from Williamsport on Monday evening and spent several days with friends in town. Merchant Frank Carson, of Potters Mills, was in Belleville Wednesday looking after some business interests, having driven over in his machine. Mrs. Julia Shuey and Mrs. Sarah Etters were Belleville visitors on Friday looking after some legal matters in connection with the renting of a property. Howard Smead, who has been a sufferer with rheumatism the past six months, went down to Williamsport on Monday to receive treatment from a specialist. Miss Elizabeth Platts, daughter of Mrs. J. Allison Platts, of Wilkinstown, arrived in Belleville last Friday and has been a guest this week of Miss Miriam Smith. Mr. and Mrs. F. Woods Beckman, of Allegheny Furnace, were in Belleville for the week-end, being guests while here of Miss Linn and her brother, Henry S. Linn. Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Renner, of Altoona, came to Belleville on Saturday evening and remained over Sunday as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank P. Bartley, returning home on Monday. Miss Emily Harrar, of Williamsport, visited with her sister, Mrs. James C. Furst. Miss Harrar came to Belleville the latter part of last week, returning to her home yesterday. Dr. H. A. Blair, of Curwensville, was in Belleville Tuesday and Wednesday, having come to see his mother, Mrs. F. P. Blair, who has been ill since Sunday, at her home on Spring street. Morton Smith went to Philadelphia on Monday evening to bring home his son Ralph, who has been in the Orthopedic hospital for several weeks for treatment for an injured knee, sustained in a football game on Thanksgiving day. Miss Hannah Newman, of Altoona, was in Belleville Monday. Miss Newman, by her occasional visits here and at State College, has since leaving Belleville a number of years ago, kept in close touch with her friends in Centre county. Mrs. Maynard Murch Jr., of Cleveland, Ohio, is at the Bush house, a guest of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Daggett. Mrs. Murch was expected in Belleville two weeks ago but was obliged to postpone her visit until this time, leaving here today Mrs. Murch will go to Ticon for a visit with her father before returning to Cleveland. Jacob B. Struble, of San Francisco, stopped in Belleville Thursday of last week, spending several days with his mother, Mrs. Uriah Struble, at Zion. Mr. Struble has not been east for two years, and this being purely a business trip, he left Saturday for New Haven and New York from there, after a short stay, he returned to California. Mrs. Harvey Wetzel returned to Belleville Tuesday after visiting for several weeks at Walnutport, Pa. With Mrs. Wetzel was her brother, Stanley Himmelwright, of Fargo, North Dakota, who came to New York on a business trip, and from there going to his old home at Walnutport, to visit with the family. Mr. Himmelwright returned to Fargo from here. R. B. Taylor went down to Philadelphia on Tuesday to see his son Robert, who has been under treatment in the Jefferson hospital for an injured hip sustained in the coasting accident on the Reynolds hill early in January. According to reports the bones of the hip have knit but the right leg is about an inch shorter than the left. Mr. Taylor expects to bring his son home with him. Miss Hazel Lentz, at school at the Lock Haven Normal, will come to Belleville today, bringing with her four of her school-mates to spend the week-end with Miss Lentz's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George E. Lentz, of west High street. The party will include Miss Agnes Bailey, the Misses Ruth and Marietta Wheeler, and Miss Jennie Webb, all close friends at their home in York county. Mrs. J. F. Alexander, who has been in Belleville since before Christmas, visiting with her sister and brother, Mrs. Frank McCoy and Archibald Allison, expects to leave this week for Spring Mills. Mrs. Alexander will spend several weeks with William Allison and his family and with Edward Allison, at Potters Mills, before going to Centre Hall to open her house for the summer. Mrs. J. Kyle McFarlane was in Belleville Friday of last week, having come especially to visit with Daniel Heckman, who has been ill for some time. A part of Mrs. McFarlane's time was spent with her daughter and son, Miss Mabel McFarlane, a Senior nurse at the Belleville hospital, and William, who is working at the penitentiary. Mrs. McFarlane returned to Lock Haven the same evening. Mr. and Mrs. J. Warren Wood are at present with Mrs. Wood's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Faxon, at Milesburg. Mr. Wood during the past year was landlord of the hotel at Hyde City, Clearfield county, but because of the opposition to liquor in that place he was refused a license for the coming year by Judge Bell. He will be the business within a few days and is now looking around for another location. Mrs. Frederick Miller, of Mount Morris, N. Y., came to Belleville Monday, having with her son Melvin, who has been in ill health for several months, and for whom Mrs. Miller is making her visit here at this time. Being with Mrs. Miller's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Smith, they expect to spend an indefinite time in Belleville. The child's father, Prof. Miller, is superintendent of schools of Mount Morris. Miss Helen McCullough, of Jersey Shore, and her small cousin, McCullough Larimer, were in Belleville for the week-end, with the child's grand-parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Larimer. Miss McCullough has charge of McCullough with her mother, Mrs. Lee Larimer, is in Florida with her parents. Mr. Larimer spent the Sunday here with his parents, returning Monday to Jersey Shore with his son and niece. Miss Nell Dale, of Lemont, was in Belleville Wednesday. Miss Dale and her sister, Miss Mary Dale, have been alone since the fourth of January, their mother, Mrs. Cornelius Dale, having at that time gone to Pitcairn where she has been for the two months with her daughter, Mrs. E. P. Lingle. Mrs. Dale and Mrs. Lingle will come to Altoona the latter part of the week for a short stay with Mrs. McMurtree, and from there Mrs. Dale will come home, Mrs. Lingle returning to Pitcairn. Mrs. Robert E. Roberts and her son, Robert E. Roberts Jr., will go from Johnstown to Piedmont, W. Va., this week, to join Mr. Roberts, who upon accepting the position of treasurer of Armstrong & Co's interests at that place, left Johnstown two weeks ago. Mrs. Denius having been with her daughter for several months, will accompany her to her new home for a short visit and then return to Belleville the first of April, to open her own home. Mrs. Denius has spent the winter in Baltimore, Philadelphia and Johnstown. Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Spangler went to Philadelphia Tuesday to consult specialists with regard to Mr. Spangler's health, his condition being such as to consider it necessary for him to enter a Philadelphia hospital as a surgical patient. Their home on Allegheny street having been closed. Mrs. Spangler will remain in the city with her daughter, Mrs. Blackburn, until Mr. Spangler recovers sufficiently to be taken to Atlantic City, where they expect to stay for a time before returning to Belleville. Dr. Seibert accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Spangler, Tuesday.

John Curtin and James C. Furst spent Sunday of last week in Milton with their uncle, William Chamberlain. Mrs. M. C. Gephart left Belleville Wednesday for a short visit with her brother, Dr. Edward Miller, of Johnstown. Mrs. Telford Fink and her small child are guests of Mrs. Fink's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward F. Oamer, having come to Belleville Monday. Willis A. Ishler, of Pittsfield, Mass., came to Belleville yesterday for a short visit with his mother, Mrs. W. A. Ishler, who is a surgical patient at the Belleville hospital. Rev. James P. Hughes spent yesterday in Huntingdon, having gone over to attend the funeral of W. H. Woods, an old friend and a roommate while at Princeton in 1848. Mrs. Ezra Youcm went to Northumberland Wednesday to visit with her daughter during Dr. Youcm's absence at conference. Mrs. Youcm will not go to Shamokin this year. Miss Rebecca Rhoads went to Philadelphia Tuesday, called there on account of the death of her cousin, Joseph Rhoads, who died the early part of the week, at his home at Overbrook. Mrs. John McNeill, of Haddonfield, N. J., is in Belleville, a guest of her aunt, Mrs. W. H. Wilkinson. Mrs. McNeill, who came here Friday of last week, will be with Mrs. Wilkinson for an indefinite time. Mrs. M. A. B. Boal, of Washington, D. C., who has been for the greater part of the past year at the home of her son, Theodore Davis Boal, at Boalsburg, expects to remain in Centre county, making her home with Mr. and Mrs. Boal. Miss Iva Brown, of Freeburg, a sister of Mrs. Wines, has been in Belleville for a week visiting with the Misses Sara and Margery McGinley. Miss Brown will leave here today to accept the position of milliner in one of the big department stores of Altoona. Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Twitmore will be among those who will attend the Central Pennsylvania conference to be held at Shamokin next week. Before returning to Belleville Mr. and Mrs. Twitmore will visit with Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Twitmore, at Sunbury. Miss Blanche Dearth left for her home at Montvonn Monday, after visiting for a week in Belleville with Mr. and Mrs. C. K. Hicklen. Miss Dearth, who was a schoolmate of Mrs. Hicklen, came here from State College, where she had been attending a house party. Mrs. F. H. Rumberger, who has been in Ohio visiting, is expected home this week. Mrs. Rumberger went to Clyde three weeks ago, on account of the death of Miss Forry, a sister of Geo. W. Forry, who has been very closely associated with Mrs. Rumberger's family all her life. Mrs. F. H. Clemons spent Monday and Tuesday in Belleville and upon her return up Buffalo Run was accompanied by her mother, Mrs. G. Wesley Gray, who will visit in the country for a week or two. Mrs. Clemons spent last week in Williamsport with her daughter Sara, a Senior at Dickinson Seminary. Mr. Edward A. Woods, manager of the Edward A. Woods agency in Pittsburgh and vice president of the National Underwriter's Association, was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. McCargar on Tuesday. On Wednesday he went to State College where he addressed the students on the subject of Economics. Dr. Lawrence M. Colfelt, who had charge of the services in the Presbyterian church last Sunday, was a guest of Miss Humes and her brother, William P. Humes, during his stay in Belleville. Dr. Colfelt came here from Bedford, where he has lived on his farm since giving up the active work of the ministry six months ago. Mrs. James Saxton and Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Byrd, of Birmingham, and Mrs. John Morrison and two children, of Tyrone, spent several days with friends in Belleville this week. Mrs. Saxton was called here on account of the serious illness of her son Wilbur, who underwent an operation for appendicitis, at the Belleville hospital last Saturday. He is now getting along all right. Sale Register. ON MONDAY MARCH 29TH.—William Groh Run-ble, 2 1/2 miles east of Belleville, will sell 12 head of good work horses, consisting of mares, in foal by registered horses, drivers and general purpose horses, 10 head of cows, 10 heifers, will be fresh about the time of the sale, 8 head of young cattle, 2 large fat bulls ready to kill, 1 brood sow, 1 buck, 10 shoats, 3 brood sows, 1 brood wheeler four horse wagon with box; a lot of horse gears. Sale at 9 o'clock a. m. L. F. Mays, auctioneer. Belleville Produce Markets. Corrected weekly by R. S. Brouse, Grocer. The prices quoted are those paid for produce. Potatoes per bushel..... 50 Onions..... \$ 75 Eggs, per dozen..... 20 Lard, per pound..... 12 Butter per pound..... 24 Belleville Grain Markets. Corrected weekly by C. Y. WAGNER. The following are the quotations up to six o'clock Thursday evening, when our paper goes to press. Red Wheat..... \$1.40 White Wheat..... 1.35 Rye, per bushel..... .80 Corn, shelled, per bushel..... .80 Corn, ears, per bushel..... .80 Oats, old and new, per bushel..... .60 Barley, per bushel..... .60 Philadelphia Markets. The following are the closing prices of the Philadelphia markets on Wednesday evening. Wheat—Red..... \$1.58@1.66 1300@156 Corn—Yellow..... 73 1/2@74 72 1/2@73 Oats..... 62 1/2@61 Flour—Winter, per barrel..... 6.40@6.65 Flour—Favorite Brands..... 7.50@8.00 Rye Flour per barrel..... 11.00@12.00 Baled Hay—Choice Timothy No. 1..... 14.50@17.50 Mixed No. 1..... 14.50@17.50 Straw..... 9.00@13.50 The Best Advertising Medium in Central Pennsylvania. A strictly Democratic publication with independence enough to have, and with ability and courage to express, its own views, printed in eight-page form—six columns to page—and is read every week by more than ten thousand responsible people. It is issued every Friday morning, at the following rates: Paid strictly in advance..... \$1.50 Paid before expiration of year..... 1.75 Paid after expiration of year..... 2.00 Papers will not be sent out of Centre county unless paid for in advance, nor will subscriptions be discontinued until all arrearages are settled, except at the option of the publisher. ADVERTISING CHARGES: A limited amount of advertising space will be sold at the following rates: LEGAL AND TRANSIENT. All legal and transient advertising running for four weeks or less. First insertion, per line..... 10 cts. Each additional insertion, per line..... 5 cts. Local Notices, per line..... 20 cts. Business Notices, per line..... 10 cts. BUSINESS OR DISPLAY ADVERTISEMENTS: Per inch, first insertion..... 50 cts. Each additional insertion per inch..... 25 cts. The following discounts will be allowed on ad-vertisements continued for: Four weeks, and under three mos. 10 per cent. Three mos. and under six mos. 15 per cent. Six mos. and under 12 mos. 25 per cent. Advertisers, and especially Advertising Agents are respectfully informed that no notice will be taken of orders to insert advertisements at less rates than above, nor will any notice be given to orders of parties unknown to the publisher unless accompanied by the cash.