

# Democratic Watchman

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## NEWS ABOUT TOWN AND COUNTY.

Never bemean any humble thing you do if it's only cooking breakfast—on a smoking kitchen flue—

The smoke—curls up to Heaven. It may take your hopes there, too. Who knows just what may happen. From an old, cracked kitchen flue.

W. B. Meek-Morris, Oct. 1930.

Four sheriff sales are advertised on the sixth page of today's Watchman, evidence that some farmers have been hit by the hard times.

Eben Bower has resigned his position with the Chemical Lime company to accept a position as salesman with the Whiterock Quarries.

Exactly 8058 Centre countians own 8775 passenger automobiles and 390 own and operate 1174 trucks, according to a report from the registry division in Harrisburg.

While Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Richards and family, of Julian, were away from home visiting relatives, last Thursday evening, their home was burned to the ground. Most of the furniture was saved by neighbors.

Mrs. H. C. Valentine expresses the hope that everybody will give liberally to the Needwork Guild, as it is working in the interest of the Centre County hospital and the worthy poor of this community.

Frank Corica, father of Mrs. Guy Bonfatto, of Bellefonte, died at his home in Renovo, last Friday, aged over seventy years. Two sons and two daughters survive. Burial was made at Renovo on Monday morning.

Col. Theodore Davis Boal, of Boalsburg, has been appointed a member of the Republican executive committee which is expected to add strength to Pinchot's campaign for Governor, which is likely to prove a forlorn expectation.

The Bellefonte curb market is about on its last legs, and the only wonder is where the farmers get as much garden truck as they have to bring in. Last year the market continued until the Saturday before Thanksgiving.

A total of 211,619 people paid \$933,772 to see the titanic struggle for the baseball championship of the world series between the Athletics and St. Louis Cardinals, won by the former four games to two. The fifty or more players who figured in the championship games will receive \$332,865.

Charles Ginter, of Tyrone, pleaded guilty in Blair county court to embezzling \$33,000 from a Tyrone investment company and was sentenced by Judge Patterson to serve from three to six years in the western penitentiary. Ginter is a nephew of John S. Ginter, a former bank official in Tyrone.

Have you seen "Manslaughter?" It is now showing at the Richelieu and will be on tonight and tomorrow night. Claudette Colbert and Frederic March have the leads and get much of gripping, human interest out of the screen story of Alice Duer Miller's popular novel. If you like real melodrama we think you will enjoy "Manslaughter."

At this writing not a trace has been found of Steve Walters and Joseph Chali, the two prisoners who escaped from the Centre county jail on Monday night of last week. Several reports were received of two men being seen in different places who were supposed to be the escaped prisoners but an investigation proved them the wrong men.

An evening party in the form of a farewell reception, was given Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Johnston at the Cherry home on North Thomas street, Wednesday night. The originators were their associates in church work, and the guests were from all its organizations. With the Johnston's return to their former home at Woolrich, next week, the Methodist church will lose two of its most valued and active workers.

James Harris, one of Bellefonte's men who left here a number of years ago, and who since that time has been in charge of the men's furnishings, in the leading department store of Reading, recently opened a haberdasher's shop of his own. Mr. Harris' experience as a tailor, his pleasing personality and his innate knowledge of the requirements of a well dressed man, will all go toward making his new venture a great success.

A number of employees of the Federal Match company gave a farewell dinner at the Locust Inn, near Fleming, Wednesday evening, to James Walters, who with Mrs. Walters will leave today for New York city. Mr. Walters having been transferred to the head offices of the company in that city. When the Federal Match company was organized a number of years ago it included plants of nine independent companies. Today there are only two, the one in Bellefonte and one at Duluth, Minn. Of the small army of officials of the various companies at that time only two remain, and Mr. Walters is one of them. His transfer to New York is naturally a well-deserved promotion.

## CANDIDATE HEMPHILL VISITS CENTRE COUNTY.

Speaks at Millheim, State College and Bellefonte. Large Crowd Attends Meeting Here.

John M. Hemphill, Democratic candidate for Governor, made a campaign visit to Centre county, on Saturday, and defined the pending issues, as he sees them, at meetings held at Millheim, State College and Bellefonte. Mr. Hemphill was accompanied by Sedgwick Kistler, the party's candidate for United States Senator; Guy K. Bard, candidate for Lieutenant Governor, and Lucy D. Winston, candidate for Secretary of Internal Affairs.

The meeting at Millheim was held at two o'clock in the afternoon, and notwithstanding the fact that it was not a propitious hour for a political gathering, three hundred or more voters assembled to hear the speakers. Dr. G. S. Frank presided at the meeting and more than the usual number of women voters were in evidence.

From Millheim the party drove to State College, arriving there about 4.30. They were taken in charge by Mr. Morris, private secretary of Bellefonte. Mr. Hemphill, who showed them as much as possible of the college plant until the dinner hour. The meeting at the College was held in the public square at 7 o'clock. John Krumrine presided and Mr. Hemphill, as the chief speaker, told his hearers just what Pinchot had done for the College during his former term as Governor.

He gave figures to show that in 1923 he cut the first Legislative appropriation under his term \$780,314, and \$50,000 off of a \$100,000 appropriation for research work. In 1925, when the Legislature made another equitable appropriation, Pinchot again slashed \$641,844 from the total amount. It was because of these pronounced vetoes by Pinchot that the College was short of actual funds for support, let alone expansion by the erection of new buildings; and it was also because of these facts that Governor Fisher was called upon to approve the much larger appropriations given than would have been necessary had Pinchot given the institution what he ought to have done during his administration.

The meeting in Bellefonte was held in the court house at 8 o'clock in the evening and was much like the old-time political meetings of a decade ago. Ed Jamison and ex-sheriff Arthur E. Lee brought the Spring Mills band to Bellefonte and the Odd Fellows band turned out in force, the two musical organizations, playing alternately, gave a half hour's concert on the porch of the court house. In the meantime a large audience, included in which were many Republicans as well as women voters, gathered in the court room so that it was well filled when John Blanchard Esq., chairman for the evening, called the meeting to order, shortly after eight o'clock, and introduced as the preliminary speaker Mrs. Winston, candidate for Secretary of Internal Affairs.

Mrs. Winston is a fluent talker and in a convincing manner rehearsed the delinquencies of the Republican party in general and the shortcomings of its candidate for Governor, Gifford Pinchot, in particular. She pointed out the absurdity of the many Pinchot promises and how ridiculous it is for any one to think for a moment that he can fulfill them, if elected.

It was nine o'clock when the Hemphill party entered Bellefonte by way of south Water street. They were met at the High street bridge and escorted up town by the American Legion drum and bugle corps. Naturally Mr. Hemphill was the principal speaker of the evening. In Bellefonte he reiterated portions of his talk at State College in regard to Pinchot's big cuts in the college appropriations and also called attention to the fact that the Bellefonte hospital was one of the charitable institutions which suffered as the result of his penurious treatment of State and semi-State institutions.

He further showed how utterly impossible it will be for Pinchot, if elected, to make good one-tenth of the campaign promises he is making, such as pulling the farmer out of the mud on thousands of miles of dirt road in rural districts, reduction of driver's licenses and gasoline taxes, hunters' and fishermen's licenses, etc.; the abolition of the Public Service Commission and a stricter regulation of public utilities.

For himself Mr. Hemphill stated that, if elected Governor of Pennsylvania, he would do his best to serve all the people of the State to the limit of his ability. Other speakers of the evening were Sedgwick Kistler and Guy K. Bard.

Barry—Fleck.—John E. Barry, son of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Barry, and Miss Helen I. Fleck, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Fleck, both of Altoona, were quietly married at the Bethany Lutheran church, Altoona, Wednesday evening of last week, by the pastor, Rev. Harry I. Saul. The young people left the same evening on a wedding trip to eastern cities and the Seashore. Mr. Barry is in charge of the Hannum Motor Parts Sales company's store in Bellefonte and it is in this place they will make their home after October 15th.

## LOCAL D. A. R. CELEBRATES FOUNDING ANNIVERSARY.

With an anniversary dinner at "The Talleyrand" and a specially arranged program members of the Bellefonte chapter, national society, Daughters of the American Revolution, in costumes of 1895, celebrated on last Friday evening the thirty-fifth anniversary of their organization.

The guests of honor present were Mrs. Austin O. Furst, the founder of the chapter and its first regent, and Mrs. Anna Knight Gregory, Pennsylvania's only living "Real Daughter," (daughter of a Revolutionary soldier.)

To Mrs. Furst the chapter owes, not only its beginning, but to her, also, it owes all the subsequent years' keen interest, wise counsel, and continuous active service on the board of directors. The little "bark" to which Mrs. Hodgkiss, in her tribute, compared the society, was successfully launched and well piloted.

With an initial membership of sixteen the chapter now numbers one hundred and sixty-seven; and an interesting and progressive history of its growth and work was given in short addresses by former regents; by Mrs. Furst, in a paper read by her daughter, Mrs. John Curtin; by Mrs. Harry Keller, by Mrs. John Porter Lyon, who told of the regency of her mother, Mrs. Isaac Mitchell, and of her own; by Miss Kate D. Shugert and by Mrs. William Frear.

Greetings were received from Miss Helen E. C. Overton, for eight years regent of the chapter and an honorary State regent; from Mrs. Edwin Erle Sparks, also a former chapter regent and an honorary State regent, and from three chapter members, Miss Sarah E. Benner, Mrs. W. F. Reynolds and Mrs. David J. Kelly.

Mrs. Gregory who, in a brief and entertaining address, told of the almost unique military record of her family, is the only living "Real Daughter" of the American Revolution in Pennsylvania, and one of five in the United States. Her father, Richard Knight, and her grandfather, John Knight, both served in the Revolutionary war. Enlisting in Lancaster at the same time with his father, Richard Knight was first a drummer boy and then a private in Captain John Beatty's company in the Fifth Pennsylvania battalion, and later a private in the Sixth Pennsylvania continental line under Lieut. Colonel Hornor. In the war of 1812 Richard Knight served as a captain in the First Pennsylvania militia. In later years he "came up the Susquehanna valley and became proprietor of the old stone hotel at Liverpool, an important tavern along the Pennsylvania canal," where many who had a part in the making of Pennsylvania's history disembarked from the packet boats. A grandson of Mrs. Gregory served in the World war.

Among other guests present were Miss Hibbs, of Norristown, a member of the Valley Forge chapter, and Mrs. David Eckman, of Danville, a member of the Sunbury chapter. Just before the close of the meeting a clever and amusing little play, written by Mrs. W. G. Chambers and Mrs. H. E. Hodgkiss, of State College, pictured the local 1895 settings in which the Bellefonte chapter came to be. Those taking part were Mrs. William C. Thompson, Mrs. James C. Furst, Miss Grace D. Mitchell, Mrs. John Curtin, Miss Anna A. McCoy and Mrs. H. Laird Curtin.

For the arrangement and carrying out of this program the chapter would acknowledge the grace and skill of the committee in charge, Mrs. James C. Furst, chairman; Mrs. H. E. Hodgkiss, Mrs. W. G. Chambers and Mrs. Harry Keller.

## LARGE CLINIC FOR CRIPPLED CHILDREN

A largely attended clinic for crippled children in the Centre and Clearfield counties district was held at the State hospital, Philipsburg, last Thursday. Patients were from Bellefonte, Howard, St. Mary's, Emporium, Johnsbury, Clearfield, DuBois, Sykesville, Tyler, Beccaria, Osceola Mills, Grassflat, Snow Shoe, Philipsburg and vicinity. During the forenoon four patients received corrective operative treatment and four casts were applied. In the afternoon forty-six examinations were made.

Recent contributions made to the society included the following: Loyal Order of Moose, Bellefonte, \$125.00; Masonic Lodge of Osceola Mills, \$25.00; Mrs. Emma Atherton, of Philipsburg, \$50.00; Mr. David Atherton, Philipsburg, \$50.00; Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks, Bellefonte, \$50.00; Mr. W. R. Moore, DuBois, for brace for a child, \$18.00; Kiwanis club of Bellefonte, for braces, \$20.50.

The steel fabrication for carrying the big 16-inch water pipe over Spring creek and the island is now being put in place on the concrete piers; a force of men are at work digging ditch and laying the pipe up Race street and in a month from now the new pumping station ought to be in operation.

Eugene L. Lightner, of State College, and Miss Dorothy E. Moyer, of Bellefonte, were married at Petersburg, recently, by the Rev. Gordon F. Hinkle.

## HOWARD ST. RESIDENTS WANT DRAINAGE CESS POOL

W. L. Steele, of east Howard street, appeared before borough council, at its regular meeting on Monday evening, in support of a petition from property owners of that section requesting the borough to dig a big cess pool on the property of Claude Poorman to take care of the surface drainage which invariably inundates all the lots on the north side of Howard street, in that section, in times of hard rains and especially when the winter snow melts in the spring of the year.

Because of the high ground at the entrance to the Union cemetery it is impossible to put down a sewer on Howard street to take care of the water and the only solution is a cess pool. The matter was referred to the Street committee for investigation and report.

Miss Theresa Shields appeared in person and asked that Potter alley be repaired, as it's condition now is so bad that it is almost impossible for her to drive her car in and out. Referred to the Street committee.

Residents of the recently opened Burnside street asked, by petition, that two street lights be placed on that thoroughfare. Also referred to the Street committee.

Secretary Kelly read a communication from the Pennsylvania Railroad company regarding the ownership of the street from High street south around the Nathan Kofman coal yard, and an examination of the ordinance docket shows that it was opened as a street in 1878, to a width of 32½ feet. It is the general belief that some of the Kofman buildings extend out onto the street and the matter was referred to the Street committee and borough solicitor for investigation. If the Kofman buildings are on the street he is to be notified to remove the same and the borough will then put the street in good condition for travel.

The Water committee reported that 310 feet of the big 16 inch water pipe had been laid from Gamble's mill up and tested, and that work on laying the pipe will be continued as fast as possible. The committee also reported total collections of \$347.40.

The Finance committee reported a balance of \$5177.77 in the borough fund and \$1491.69 in the water fund. That \$4729.00 of the 1930 taxes had been collected and turned over by the tax collector. The committee asked that a borough note of \$1500 due October 9th be paid and that notes aggregating \$18,630 be renewed. Also a new note for \$1500 in the water department to meet current bills, all of which was authorized.

The Fire and Police committee reported bids from three coal dealers of Bellefonte for coal for the Logan and Undine firehouses. The bids were opened and read. The City Coal Yard being the low bidder on Cherry Run coal council voted to award them the contract on condition the coal proved satisfactory.

The Sanitary committee presented the monthly report of Dr. S. M. Nissley, health officer and milk inspector.

The ordinance read at the last meeting granting the West Penn Power company the right to erect a pole on the island below the Gamble mill was read for the second time. President Walker stated that there ought to be a provision in the ordinance specifying that if at any time the borough wanted the pole removed to another location that the company should do so at its own expense. He stated, however, that the insertion of this clause in the ordinance need not hold up the work of the company. That they could go ahead and set the pole and the ordinance could be passed at the next meeting night.

Secretary Kelly read an offer from a York, Pa., publisher offering to furnish council with a complete set of all borough laws in one volume at \$7.00 a volume, and the secretary was authorized to order one copy.

Mr. Cobb presented the request of the Armory Board to tap the borough water line at the borough line on east Bishop street for a 2½ inch connection to furnish water to the new armory buildings. The Board will install a suction pump at the armory to insure a supply.

Mr. Emerick stated that the county commissioners have agreed to build the superstructure of a new bridge on Lamb street if the borough will take care of the abutments. The matter was referred back to the committee to confer with the commissioners regarding the kind of bridge to be built. The present bridge has been repaired temporarily.

Borough bills totaling \$2772.22 and water bills \$2708.29 were approved for payment after which council adjourned.

The Watchman's always newsy Pine Grove Mills and Aaronsburg letters did not reach this office until ten o'clock Thursday morning, just as we were on the verge of closing the forms to go to press, which accounts for their non-appearance this week. To insure publication correspondence should reach this office not later than Wednesday morning, and preferably on Tuesday.

## NEWS PURELY PERSONAL.

Mrs. E. H. Richard has as a house guest her cousin, Miss Mary Hibbs, of Norristown.

Mrs. David Dale returned home, Tuesday, from Washington, where she had been to enter her daughter, Anne, at school.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Undercoffer are home from a two week's visit with their children and Mrs. Undercoffer's relatives in the east.

Mrs. Estelle Grauer Payne visited within the week with Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Lochrie, at Central City, Somerset county, having gone out for the week-end.

Mary Parrish and Miss Stella Cooney drove to Philadelphia, last week, in the Parrish car, spending the greater part of the week there with Mary's brother, Dr. Joseph Parrish.

Mr. and Mrs. John Cuneo, with their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Rossi, are here from Toronto, Canada, guests of Mrs. Louis Carpeneto and her family. Mrs. Cuneo is a sister of Mrs. Carpeneto.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Allen, of Washington, D. C., motored here, on Thursday, for a visit of a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Edward Cunningham, of south Water street. Mr. Allen will be well remembered as Miss Cunningham.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Thompson drove here, Friday of last week, from Wilmington, Del., to visit, until Monday, with Mr. Thompson's uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. John S. Walker. Mr. Thompson is a son of Mr. Walker's oldest sister.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Roy Uhl with Mr. Uhl's mother, Mrs. John Uhl, as a motor guest, drove to Pittsburgh last week to see Mrs. Roy Uhl's sister, Mrs. Coll, before she and her daughter left for the Pacific coast, where they anticipate making their home.

The Misses Louise and Angela Carpeneto on returning home from a two week's visit in New York and out on Long Island, were accompanied by Miss Anna Cuneo, of Riverhead, L. I., who will be a guest of the Carpeneto family while in Bellefonte for a ten day's visit.

B. J. Beezer, with Miss Mary Royer as a motor guest, left the early part of the week to spend his vacation with his sister, Mrs. Harold Londo, at Green Bay, Wis. Miss Royer accompanied him only as far as Pittsburgh, where she intended visiting with her many relatives in that section.

Col. Wilbur W. Leitzel, of State College, was a Bellefonte visitor, on Monday, and during a brief call at this office gave us the low-down on the political situation in the college town which appears, at present, to be Pinchot-crazy. Evidently they are not going to be caught in the same trap in which they dropped eight years ago.

Among those from a distance, in addition to members of the family, who were in Bellefonte for the funeral of the late Mrs. D. N. Hargart were Rev. and Mrs. T. Hugh McLeod and two daughters, Pearl and Violet, of Washington, D. C.; Mrs. M. L. Erlenmeyer, of Wellsboro, and Mr. and Mrs. William Hughes, of Evanston, Ill.

Since the death of his wife, last week, and after spending a part of the summer here with Mrs. Hargart's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Shope, Mr. Hargart is contemplating taking his small daughter back to their former home at Webster, South Dakota. The Hargarts came to Bellefonte early in the summer owing to Mrs. Hargart's ill health.

Miss Anne Fox will leave, Saturday, to spend her vacation with her sister, Mrs. LeRoy Plumb and the family, at Newton, Kansas. It is a custom adhered to for a number of years by the Fox family that if the Plumbs do not come east during the summer some member of the Fox family goes to Kansas. Miss Alice Fox, who had been with Mrs. George Smith, at Saginaw, Mich., for a month or more, returned home Sunday.

A motor party which included Mr. and Mrs. William Cassidy, Paul Dalley, Miss Carolyn Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. John F. Smith and their son, Swengel, Mrs. Jack Decker, Charles Anderson and Mrs. Mary Hollenbaugh, drove to Ebensburg, Sunday, and were met there by a party of nine from Pittsburgh, for an all day picnic at Willow Grove. Mrs. Cassidy accompanied the Pittsburgh relatives home, and will be their guest while there for a ten day's visit.

Mrs. E. N. Fridgens left, Thursday of last week, with Mr. Fridgens, for the drive to their new home at Lansing, Mich., where Mr. Fridgens has been located since the 15th of July. Upon leaving Winslow, Ariz., they came directly to Bellefonte, arriving here on the 2nd of July. Mrs. Fridgens remaining here to visit with her mother, Mrs. George Waite and the Waite family, since that time. Mr. Fridgens came to Bellefonte, Tuesday, leaving Thursday for the drive back to Michigan.

J. Harvey McClure, of the C. H. & D. R. R. Co., of Dayton, Ohio, with Mrs. McClure; Charles A. McClure, their daughter Ruth, and a maid, and Mr. and Mrs. Samuel McClure and their son, Harvey, of Erie, were in Bellefonte, Sunday, guests of James A. McClure, whose eighty-third birthday they had come to celebrate. The men, with their brother Lawrence, constituted Mr. McClure's family consequently with all the children and grand children the family reunion was complete. All having motored here Saturday, the return trip to their different homes was made Sunday afternoon.

On Wednesday noon we were talking to Elias Breen, of Axe Mann, about things in general and the dry weather in particular. "Aley" said: "Well, it's going to rain before night." And sure enough it did. The canny old carpenter doesn't "blow" as much as we sometimes do, but he knows a lot. And how he picked Wednesday for rain we can't imagine because we have had dozens of days since the drought set in that have looked just as promising of it as Wednesday morning appeared. We think we shall have to make our friend Breen official prophet for the Watchman. If he predicts as well as he builds houses, barns and everything else the Watchman would have "Dr. Miles" Almanac pushed clear off the map as a weather prognosticator.

C. Edward Robb spent Sunday in Philadelphia with his son, Eugene, a first year student at the University of Pennsylvania.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Gardner were up from Mackeyville, Tuesday, for a day in the shops and a visit with Mrs. Gardner's sister, Mrs. George Miller and her family.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Meyer will drive to Frederick, Md., to-day, to be with their daughters, Katherine and Louise, for campus day at Hood college where both are students.

Mrs. Mary Weaver Childs, who with her son had been visiting with relatives in Clearfield, spent the after part of last week in Bellefonte with her aunt, Mrs. Frank Warfield, returning from here to her home in Washington, Sunday.

George Carpeneto, chief of the Undine fire company and undoubtedly the most enthusiastic fireman in Bellefonte, went to Allentown, Monday, to represent his company at the State convention of firemen in session there this week.

Mrs. J. Willard Barnhart who is with the Harper family in Brooklyn, for a visit, accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Harper home Sunday, following their short visit to Bellefonte. Mrs. Barnhart will be with her daughter and the Harper family until November.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Blackburn, who had been in Bellefonte for a visit of several days, with Mr. Blackburn's grandmother, Mrs. J. L. Spangler and Col. Spangler, at their home on Allegheny street, left Wednesday morning, for the return drive to their home, at Elizabeth, New Jersey.

## ACADEMY AND STATE WIN B. H. S. LOSES AT FOOT BALL.

The Bellefonte Academy football team won their game with the Western Maryland Freshmen, on Hughes field, last Saturday, by the score of 19 to 13. The teams were well matched and most of the scoring was the results of favorable breaks in the game. Three of the touchdowns were the result of forward passes.

Bellefonte High school lost to the Altoona High, at Altoona, by the overwhelming score of 53 to 0. The Red and White fought bravely but were entirely outclassed by the heavier and more seasoned pigskin warriors of Altoona. This week the High school team will go to Windber to play the High school of that place.

Up at State College Penn State downed Lebanon Valley 27 to 0, but the score fails to tell the plucky game put up by the visitors. At one stage in the game they were within nine yards of State's goal line but lacked the push to advance the ball for a touchdown.

## NO TRACE DISCOVERED OF GEORGE SKIDMORE.

George Clark Skidmore, the Pittsburgh youth, alleged by authorities of that city to have been implicated in a murder there two weeks ago, has so far evaded capture, and his whereabouts are as much of a mystery now as they were a week ago. Reports have been sent in to Pittsburgh of a man seen in half a dozen places but no one has definite knowledge that any of the men was Skidmore.

Leonard Skidmore, a brother of George, who was taken from the Bellefonte Academy out to Pittsburgh as an accessory after the fact, was released on bond and on Sunday returned to the Academy to continue his studies. He was welcomed back by every member of the faculty and the entire student body.

## BOGGS TOWNSHIP MAN JAILED FOR POSSESSION.

At a special session of court, Saturday morning, Guy Hipple, of Boggs township, pleaded guilty to the unlawful possession of liquor and was sentenced to pay the cost of prosecution, \$100 fine and serve three months in the county jail.

Testimony was also taken in the case of the Spring township School Board vs. Annie Zelnick, an action to get possession of a portion of defendant's property in Pleasant Gap for school purposes. The defendant was in court with several of her children and suffered a nervous attack because of excitement over the hearing. She was led from the court room by her two daughters and fainted in the corridor. A physician was summoned who restored her to consciousness.

## FALL IN COAL BIN KILLS OSCEOLA MILLS MAN.

Archie Bathgate, 40 year old resident of Osceola Mills, was killed instantly, on Tuesday morning, when he fell head first into a large coal bin at the mine of the Diamond Coal company, near Sandy Ridge, crushing his skull. Bathgate was pushing coal into the bin, which is twelve feet deep, when he slipped and fell. He was married and leaves a widow and one daughter. He also leaves seven brothers and sisters. Burial will be made at Utahville today.

The annual fair of the Presbyterian church will be held Thursday afternoon, December the 11th, in the chapel.

## Bellefonte Grain Markets.

| Corrected Weekly by C. Y. Wagner & Co. |           |
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| Wheat                                  | .....80   |
| Corn                                   | .....1.00 |
| Oats                                   | .....40   |
| Rye                                    | .....80   |
| Barley                                 | .....60   |
| Buckwheat                              | .....90   |