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### THE NEW POST OFFICE AND THE WHITE BROTHERS.

man J. Mitchell Chase.

It is in the nature of a protest her husband died.

building with furniture approved by Bachelor of Science.

they entered into.

doing a very unfair thing by leaving model one in every respect.

them "holding the bag." can get. But does she want a new the Huntingdon Rotary club, Huntsacrifice to two useful young busi- try club, the Homewood lodge, No. mess men or under the contemptible 635, F. and A. M., the Scottish

The remains were have every right to believe them in- Shrine, of Altoona

violable. has always been fearless, frank and timely death. fair it hesitates not to say that it At an early hour, Saturday morn- ters survive: Miss Florence, of Wingiving them a dirty deal if it were perintendent at the reformatory, no- Joseph and Kenneth, all at home. matter what the letter might be.

have been informed that the post rangements. office here has received advice from the Department that its agents will

### WORK STARTED MONDAY

Work was started, on Monday highway from Port Matilda to Philipsburg, which includes that section from the "Devil's Elbow" to the highway will not follow the old approximately six miles in length and there will be two bridges.

the job eighteen trucks, four steam equipment. When the job is rightly was a member of the Advent church under way about seventy-five men will be employed, local labor to be used as far as possible.

The Wolf and Gettig families will hold their reunion at Hecla Park on Sunday, August 16. It will be a basket picnic and all members of the friendschaft are most cordially invited to be there.

HERRON.-James W. Herron, su- ORVIS.-Following an illness with STOVER, MEYER AND MOYER perintendent of the Pennsylvania In- an affection of the heart which dustrial School, at Huntingdon, died dated back to last November Mrs. Before us lies a copy of a long tense he asked his wife to call the efforts, however, were concentrated conducted by Mrs. Randall W. Meycommunication which Bond C. and family physician. She did so but in her home life. Ray E. White, owners of the proper- the doctor being out on another case On Christmas day, 1884, she marty built specially for the post office she called another physician. She ried Ellis L. Orvis, at that time a year was the largest yet recorded, here, have just mailed to Congress- walked to the window to watch for young lawyer but who later became but could have been much larger

against the erection of a new public Mr. Herron was a son of George Driscoll, at home An elder daugh- estimated at from 1200 to 1500 inbuilding in Bellefonte at this time and Martha Cordilla Potter Herron, ter, Anna Valentine Orvis, married dividuals living in the central part and sets forth the facts that the and was born in Pittsburgh on June Capt. Clarence Lemont Arnold, of this State, The attendance was, authorized to meet current bills. Whites have a large investment in 30th, 1883, hence was 48 years and the United States navy, but she passthe building they erected for the one month old. He was educated ed away about eight years ago. ing counties, but several of the clan the monthly report of the borough government under the assurance that in the public schools of Pittsburgh, The Orvis' also raised from childfrom the State of Ohio were preshealth officer. it would be used as a post office for graduating at the High school in hood Marjorie and Ann Lyon, chilthe ten year term for which it was 1901. Shortly thereafter he went dren of Mrs. Orvis' only brother, The intermarriage of these two to work for the Westinghouse Elec- John Lyon. Both are married, Mar-The White Bros. knew at the time tric company but relinquished that jorie to Lawrence Barnard. now livthey entered into the contract with job to accept a position in the office ing at Glenn Allyn. Ill., and Ann to the clan being found in the clan being the government that government of the city engineer in Pittsburgh. Samuel H. Gray, now living at West all the avocations of life. leases are all one-sided in that Un- At the same time he attended night Chester. Mrs. Orvis also leaves two Two children, Louise and John cle Sam can abrogate them when- school at the Carnegie Institute of sisters, Misses Ann and Rebekah Slack Jr., represented the eighth ever he pleases. However, they built Technology, majoring in the civil Lyon, both of Coatesville. ever he pleases. However, they built under the specifications of the Post under the specification of the Post under the post under the specification of the Post under the specification of the Post under the specification of the Post under the post und Office Department, equipped the 1912, he was awarded the degree of late home, at 2.30 o'clock on Months two hundred years ago. They also

they would not have made had they Francies offered him the position of cemetery. not been personally assured by post- chief engineer of construction of the al inspectors that their building new western penitentiary buildings, would be occupied for the term of at Rockview and he accepted, coming to Centre county. He remain-While to some the protest of the ded there over ten years and had white Brothers might look "like cry-White Brothers might look "like cry- complete charge of the engineering week, of a heart attack. ing over spilt milk" we do not view work on the construction of all of it in that way. They probably knew the first buildings erected at that that Congress had already voted a following the death of T. B. Patton, public building for Bellefonte. In the he was appointed superintendent of face of such knowledge it is not to the Industrial School, at Huntingdon, be assumed that they went ahead more generally known as the with their investment without pretty Huntingdon reformatory, and on takstrong personal assurance from some ing charge he promptly instituted erection would be deferred at least have brought that institution to a until the expiration of the contract high plane of usefulness in reforming the criminal tendencies of youth. In any event, since they built the His engineering ability was also

Bellefonte wants everything she Presbyterian church, a member of

On October 4th, 1911, he married Ten years are a very short time. Miss Catherine Clare Ihmsen, of When they have run in all probability Pittsburgh, who survives with five very much more desirable sites than children, Jean C., James W. Jr., daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Watchman feels that the spirit of Charles J. Porter, of Pittsburgh, and on Friday evening, July 24th, fol-Bellefonte would be expressed better Mrs. James Meigs, of Boston, Mass. lowing a week's illness with diphby waiting than by oppressing. It He had a large number of friends in theria. She was born June 26th, has no obligation to take up the Bellefonte and Centre county who 1924, hence was 7 years and 28 White Brothers plaint but since it deeply deplore his sudden and un- days old. In addition to her par-

believes the government would be ing, A. B. Sutherland, assistant su- gate; Margaret, Dorothy, Frank, to do anything but live up to the tified State Secretary of Welfare, Funeral services were held July spirit of its contract with them, no John L Hanna of the death of su- 25th by Rev. M. C. Piper, of Milesthorized to assume charge and also cemetery, Bellefonte. Since the above was written we represent the State in funeral ar-

> Institutional memorial services were held at the institution at 1.45

> day, following a long illness.

was not quite 70 years old. He ed the release. Halfmoon road for much of the way was not quite 70 years old. He was much of the way was a laborer by occupation and a Mr. Sollenberger is a young mar-Mills, near Coburn, in 1827. which will eliminate most of the good citizen. In December, 1883, he ried man, with no children. He is married Miss Carrie Force, who sur- a graduate of Susquehanna Univercurves and shorten the distance appreciably. The new road will be vives with the following children: sity and attended the summer sespeciably. VanDorn Meeker, of Spring Mills; sion at State College which closed Harry and Martin Meeker, Mrs. Wil- yesterday. One more year's work, The contractor will rush the work liam Hoover and Mrs. J. R. Askey, during the summer, at the College as fast as possible and will use on all of Pine Glen He also leaves two and he will obtain his master's de-Meeker, of Youngstown, Ohio; Mrs. highly recommended by the school dozers, a cement mixer and eight Sarah Baker, of Cornell, N. Y., and board as well as patrons of the steam rollers, as well as the smaller Winfield Meeker, of Clarence. He Hughesville schools.

and the Odd Fellows. Funeral services were held in the 2.30 o'clock on Monday afternoon, by Rev. H. H. Sherman, burial being made in the Advent cemetery, in Burnside township.

and has it right.

quite suddenly of a heart attack at 2.30 o'clock last Friday morning. Ellis L. Orvis, passed away at her Stover-Meyer (or Moyer) families the regular meeting of borough the leving of t Apparently in the best of health he home on Curtin street, Bellefonte, of Central Pennsylvania was held, at council, on Monday evening. George the laying of a sewer down Spring played golf on Thursday afternoon, at 7 o'clock last Friday morning. on the course of the Huntingdon Her maiden name was Mary Low- day, August 1, at which time and appeared in person to ask that the big spring to several hundred feet Country club. At the seventeenth hole rie Lyon. A daughter of S. Stew- place about 300 persons, descendants street be oiled. The Street comhe complained of feeling tired and art and Ann Valentine Lyon she was of the early Stover-Meyer pioneers mittee explained that the supply of Early last spring council had borwith several other men reclined on born at the family farm homestead, and their families, spent the day in oil for this year has all been used. ough engineer Shattuck draw plans the turf for a few minutes. He "Hazelwood," on September 19th, social friendship and reunion. \$1.50 completed the course, went to the 1863, hence was not quite 68 years During the day the Aaronsburg the application of L. M. and C. M. to the State Board of Health as well club house, took a shower bath and old. While yet a girl her father band, whose membership is largely Tice for a certificate of public con-Published weekly, every Friday morning. Entered at the postoffice, Pa. as second class matter.

At home, that built the house, on Curtin street, of Stover and Meyer lineage, play-venience to operate a motor bus evening, he and Mrs. Herron enterbus ed a number of excellent selections line for the transportation of passengers.

Board, and at the time they commended the project but suggested for the transportation of passengers. tained company until well on to John Porter Lyon, and moved his from their repertoire of band music. sengers between Bellefonte and Ty-In ordering change of address always give the old as well as the new address. clock and after the guests family here, and Mrs. Orvis was Owing to unavoidable circumstan-It is important that the publisher be notified when a subscriber wishes the paper discontinued. In all such cases the subscription must be paid up to date of than he did at that time. Along she took a course in the Laefson address, "The Spirit of the Pioneer,"

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The Big Spring Motor company time a permit to leaf the written permission of the presented the written permission of the pr about two o'clock in the morning he Conservatory of Music, Philadelphia, was delivered by Herbert E. Stover company the right to erect a sign in engineer M. J. Barrick, of Williamsawoke with what he believed an at- and for many years was among the A. M., principal of the Lewisburg the alley at the corner of the Eagle port, with a man from the Harristack of indigestion and Mrs. Herron leaders in vocal music in Bellefonte. schools, after which a sumptuous gave him a glass of bicarbonate of She was a member of the Presby- dinner was partaken by all. soda. It failed to bring relief and terian church and the Woman's In the afternoon a number of conas the pain rapidly became more in- Club, of Bellefonte. Her greatest tests and awarding of prizes was

his coming, and while standing there Judge of Centre county. He sur-considering the number of descend-

BATCHELER.-Frederick Batche- Meyer families. ler, a native of Philipsburg, died The time and place of the next

electrical engineering. About a year Abbott, Rebersburg good source to the effect that its various changes and reforms which Michigan and six years ago moved two clans: to Chicago, where he since had The paternal ancestor of the Stovbeen employed as an electrical en- er families emigrated from Alsace- THRIFT CORPORATION

building more to please the government than with an eye to its adaptment than with an eye to its adaptment than with an eye to its adaptmost of the old buildings as well as

Miss Lenetta Thompson, a daughter from whence he later took up lands most of the old buildings as well as

Application has been made to the most of the old buildings as well as of Hon. and Mrs. John K. Thompson, in the eastern end of Centre county lames C. Fivet Fee for a charter cans: Thomas Howley and D. Pau ability to succeeding tenants it ap- in the construction of new in the pears to us that Uncle Sam would be and that the institution is now a for the Centre County Their Count pears to us that Uncle Sam would be end that the institution is now a who survives with two children, there on these lands and whose de-Marion and Frederick, both at home, scendants to the number of several ration and as soon as it is received.

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Presbyterian church, a member of the also leaves his mother, living in hundred live in this part of the a meeting will be held to form a per-Philipsburg, three brothers and one State. sister, Harry, of Chicago, Ill.; Frank, From historical data we find that and get things in shape for opening L. Johnson, Mary E. Kelly and Les post office at this time at such a ingdon Country club, Nittany Counof Tyrone; John, of Philipsburg, and this Jacob Stover, or Stober, was a business establishment. Those in ter Musser, while it is rumored ther

practice of condemnation that would Rites, Pittsburgh consistory and burg where funeral services were Anna M. Weaver, and settled the two months. Permanent quarters burg where funeral services were anna M. Weaver, and settled the two months. take homes away from people who Syria Temple Nobles of the Mystic held and burial made last Friday north lands; John Stover married have not been selected, although several locations are under consideration. afternoon.

> PETERS .- Betty Jane Peters, Peters, of Flemington, Clinton counents the following brothers and sis-

### NEW PRINCIPAL CHOSEN

Methodist church, at Pine Glen, at ing, Sunday morning. Following the Caum, manager for the company, New York Central railroad shopmen TREE MAKES CAR OF LUMB solo the pastor reported, to the scheduled to be started in a few All told between 400 and 500 men amazement of the congregation, that days and completed by December. will be transferred. Most of them, in swamp, in Louisiana, from \$1800, the figures of a year in service, a short section of smaller the New York city, which will re- The swamp giant had a total len -The Watchman has all the news ago, to \$694.50, which means a sav- sized cable now in use will be re- sult in quite a reduction in the pop- of 80 feet and the stump diame ing in interest of \$23.00.

## ANNUAL CLAN REUNION

The tenth annual reunion of the the Woodward Cave park on Satur- Weaver, a resident of Burrows street, creek, from a point just below the

er, of Coburn. The registered attendance this vives with one daughter, Mrs. A. B. ants of these two clans, a number fund and \$1592.79 in the water the pipe would have to be put; and

day afternoon, by Rev. W. C. Thomp-represent the Stover lineage by marit and made many other provisions In July of the same year John son, burial being made in the Union riage, and are also the youngest of at State College local Widnesday of partition of an attition of provisions of the meeting of councils held of borough councils and are also the youngest of at State College local Widnesday of partition of the meeting of councils held of borough councils and are also the youngest of the meeting of councils held of borough councils are also the youngest of the meeting of councils held of borough councils are also the youngest of the meeting of councils held of borough councils are also the youngest of the meeting of councils held of borough councils are also the youngest of the meeting of councils held of borough councils are also the youngest of the meeting of councils held of borough councils are also the youngest of the meeting of councils held of borough councils are also the youngest of the meeting of councils are also the youngest of the meeting of councils held of borough councils are also the youngest of the meeting of councils are also the youngest of the meeting of councils are also the youngest of the meeting of councils are also the youngest of the you a living five generation group from the intermarriage of the Stover and

Officers elected for the ensuing He was a son of the late Simler year are as follows: President, Herb-B. and Mary B. Batcheler and was ert J. Stover, Coburn; vice president, at the time they started building institution. About eight years ago, born at Philipsburg on April 15th, Robert W. Meyer, Rebersburg; Sec-1890, hence was in his 42nd year. retary, I. A. Meyer, Coburn; treas-He was a graduate of the Philips- urer, A. S. Stover, Aaronsburg; Stovburg High school and the Pennsyl- er historian, Rev. J. J. Weaver, Penvania State College, class of 1912 in brook; Meyer historian, Mary Meyer

after his graduation he located in Following is a brief synopsis of the

Loraine early in the eighteenth cen-In December, 1912, he married tury and settled in Lykens valley,

moved to Canada.

or Moyer, families was Christopher zation of the Thrift Corporation is Lock Haven and the busses const Moyer, who emigrated from Muhl- due to Miss Helen Farrar, formerly tuted a large factor in the clo bach in the Palatinate, Germany, of Pittsburg but now of Bellefonte, ing and scrapping of the old Centr early in the eighteenth century and who inspired the movement in the Railroad of Pennsylvania. Of cour settled in what is now a part of beginning and has worked assidu-Lebanon county, had four sons and ously with others in boosting the sale with the march of progress and f one or two daughters, of whom John, of stock in the corporation. the oldest, was probably born in the old country. Jacob, the second son, CHILD FATALLY INJURED perintendent Herron and he was au-burg, burial being made in the Union settled in what is now part of Snyder county, Michael was never married. Christopher Jr., the young- Eugene Louck, small son of Mr. county and in between have the est son of the family, married Anna and Mrs. H. L. Louck, farmers in own cars and they have killed b FOR LOCAL HIGH SCHOOL. Maria Shaffer. They were the par- Lancaster county, died, last Friday, traffic just as the busses deplet ents of nine children, six sons and from injuries sustained the previous travel by rail. And now we wond not come back to Bellefonte to make o'clock on Sunday afternoon by the At a regular meeting of the Belle- three daughters, whose descendants day when he was attacked by a vianother survey of sites. They have chaplain, Rev. W. A. B. Holmes. fonte school board, on Monday eve- are found principally in Lebanon, cious bull. The child, 3 years old, ual and family airplane supplar made two visits and since that is all The funeral services were held at ning, Orville Sollenberger, of Hughes- Snyder and Centre counties. The was born at Pine Grove Mills, this the automobile. they do in any case the next move the Herron home at 7.30 o'clock Sun- ville, was elected principal of the sons, then married, left the old home- county, the family moving to Landay evening, by Rev. R. A. Dauben- Bellefonte High school to succeed E. stead and located as follows: Henry caster county in April of this year. speck, of the Presbyterian church, K. Stock, promoted to supervising Meyer married Elizabeth Hurst and In addition to the parents one brothand on Monday morning the remains principal following the resignation located near Boalsburg, in 1823; er, Charles, eight years old, survives. Country Club. It was the occasi ON MOUNTAIN HIGHWAY. were taken to Pittsburgh for burial. of Arthur H. Sloop. The election John Meyer married Esther Burk- The remains were taken to the home of the last interclub golf play was made with the proviso that holder and located near Freeburg, in of Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Louck, at the women of the Philipsburg, MEEKER.-William H. Meeker, Mr. Sollenberger would be given a 1801; Michael Meyer married Eliz- Struble Station, where funeral serv- toona, Lock Haven and Bellefor morning, by A. and J. B. Fogel and for many years a well known resithe Granis Construction company on dent of Burnside township, died at ing principal of the schools at Bank, Brush valley, 1834; Jacob by Rev. H. C. Kerns, burial being dred and eleven women were the his home at Pine Glen, last Fri- Hughesville, Lycoming county. While Meyer married Anna Sheller and lo- made in the Pine Hall cemetery. the Hughesville school board was cated west of Millheim, in 1828; He was a son of Henry and An- loath to dispense with his services Christopher Meyer married Beckie Philipsburg borough line. The new geline Meeker and was born at Pine they did not wish to stand in the Howeter and located at Freeburg, in Glen on September 8th, 1861, hence way of his advancement and grant- 1800; George Meyer married Catherine Meyer and located at Pine Creek

# BELL TEL. COMPANY

the Bell Telephone company of after the concert. -Members of the Methodist con- Pennsylvania at a cost of \$10,000. gregation had good cause for rejoic- In making this announcement J. H. rendition of "Ave Maria" as a violin said that work on the project is left Jersey Shore for Albany, N. Y. the debt fund had been reduced When the proposed cable is placed due time, will move their families to carload of lumber, 16,175 board f

moved.

### COUNCIL DISPOSES OF ROUTINE BUSINESS ONLY.

Seven members were present at

block, and council concurred.

rious repairs and receipt of \$10 most of the councilmen. They apfrom J. B. Rossman for work on a prove the laying of the sewer but private driveway at his home on suggested that it be laid under Wa-Bishop street.

repairs to several fireplugs and the To lay a sewer pipe from the spring collection of \$500 on water taxes. The Finance committee reported

fund. A note for \$500 was renewed and a new borough note for \$2000 traffic on the street. Engineer Bar-

Mr Badger called attention to the creek. fact that there are several trees in town, outside the curb limits, that LOCAL POLITICIANS and their removal was referred to the Street committee.

street.

evening. Thomas Beaver as a member of the Cobb councilmen whose terms will committee to work with the Ameri- expire are John S. Walker, in the can Legion in arranging for a suit- North ward, and Harry Badger and able celebration of the bi-centennial Robert Kline, in the South. Mr

Mr. Jodon called attention to the candidate for another term. dangerous condition of traffic on Mrs. Helen Broderick is the only south Water and Willowbank streets candidate so far for school director and the matter was referred to the though two are to be elected. Street committee.

water bills for \$225.77 were approv- ough auditor. ed for payment, after which council J. M. Keichline is the only candi adjourned.

manent organization, elect officers didates having filed petions, Elwoo the father of the follwing six chil- charge believe that this can be ac- will be two or three others. The remains were taken to Philips- dren: Jacob Stover Jr., married complished in the next six weeks or (do not know whom) and settled eral locations are under consideration. Motor Bus Line in an attempt t

the central lands; Adam Stover mar- Sufficient stock has been sub- put it on a better paying basis. M ried Pauline Troutner and settled scribed to assure ample operating Emerick started the first bus lir the south lands; Frederick Stover capital, and this naturally is taken operating out of Bellefonte. Rul married Annie Hetzle and settled as assurance of success of the new ning between Bellefonte and Stat Rather than distress anyone the He also leaves two sisters, Mrs. ty, but formerly of Wingate, died moved to Maryland and another can appear in Belleforte to be followed to Maryland and another can appear in Belleforte to be followed to Maryland and another can appear in Belleforte to be followed to Maryland and appear to be followed to moved to Maryland, and another son opened in Bellefonte to be followed senger traffic on the Bellefonte Cer later with one at State College.

The paternal anecstor of the Meyer, Much of the credit for the organi-

## HOME TALENT MUSICALE

A home talent musicale will be given in the Presbyterian chapel Tuesday evening, August 18th, at were lined up at the curb mark 8.15 o'clock, for the benefit of the Wednesday morning, and about eve TO STRING LONG CABLE Woman's Missionary Society of the thing in season was there a pler church. Four of Bellefonte's prom-Construction of nearly 9,500 feet ising young musicians will figure in of lead sheathed aerial telephone the program. The tickets will be of the Centre County Motor C cable in certain sections of the 35 cents. They can be purchased will be held at the Nittany L brothers and one sister, Eugene gree. He will come to Bellefonte Bellefonte central office area, to at Hunter's book store or from hotel this, Friday, evening at 6:1 provide adequate facilities to care any member of the Missionary Sofor the anticipated increase in the ciety, and will entitle the holder to number of subscribers, is planned by refreshments which will be served in the hatcheries will be distribu

> ---On Sunday and Monday 225 ulation of Jersey Shore.

### SPRING CREEK SEWER STILL HANGING FIRE.

For a year or more Bellefonte below the Lamb street bridge. The secretary read a notice of for the sewer which were submitted some changes in the plans. The changes were made but up to this time a permit to lay the sewer has

On Tuesday afternoon district burg office, was in Bellefonte and The Street committee reported va- went over the plans in detail with ter street instead of in the creek. The Water committee reported To this, of course, council demurred. to the Lamb street bridge under Water street would be a most costit would also badly interfere with rick, however, agreed to take the The Sanitary committee presented matter up with the board in Harrisburg and see if a permit will be granted to lay the sewer in the

SLOW IN FILING PAPERS. Next Tuesday will be the last day for the filing of nominating petitions A motion was passed authorizing for county and district offices and lack of aspirants for at least one Mr. Emerick made a verbal re- important office in Bellefonte, that at State College last Wednesday one petition has been filed, that of M. M. Cobb to succeed himself in President Walker appointed the West ward. In addition to Mr. of the birth of Washington in 1932. Kline, it is understood will not be ε

Charles L. Gates and M. W. Wil Borough bills totaling \$2750 and liams have filed petitions for bor

date, so far to succeed himself a justice of the peace in the Sout! and West wards.

WAITING FOR CHARTER. overseer of the poor, Alexander Mor Six men are after the office o

-W. J. Emerick has taken ove tral railroad. Service was the inaugurated between Bellefonte ar bus traffic was then deemed in lin a number of years did a big bus ness. But every year more me bought cars for their own use u BY A VICIOUS BULL, til now most every Tom, Dick as Harry at all the cross roads in t

-On Wednesday a woman's for golf, bridge games and dinn For the third successive year 1 Philipsburg club won the trophy s IN PRESBYTERIAN CHAPEL, Mrs. Bates won the individual ( and a silver platter.

---Twenty-two autos and true

-The regular monthly meet

-More than 700,000 trout r to the streams of the State dur

## the fall.

A cypress tree, probably 1, years old, cut on the Amite ri was 92 inches.