Town.

was in town Monday.

-Lydia Foust, of Potters Mills gave our sanctum a business call.

-Mr. M. B. Duck, one of the good citizens of Spring Mills, was in town Monday.

-Mrs. A. Lukenbach, of Bellefonte, spent Tuesday with friends in Centre Hall.

-Mrs. Mary A. Dinges spent sev- next month. eral days of last week among friends in Brush valley.

heim, was the guest over Sunday at the home of J. B. Kreamer.

-Miss Emma McCoy returned Tuesday, after a visit of several weeks with friends in Lock Haven.

-John Smith, the Spring Mills undertaker and furniture dealer, made a business trip to town Monday.

-J. H. Wiebley, of Linden Hall, was a pleasant caller, and enrolled his name on the Reporter's list.

-Mr. John Bitner has returned from a short visit to his daughter. Mrs. Eugene Shadle, at Williamsport.

-Miss Grace Smith went to State College Tuesday to spend several days with her friend Miss Elizabeth Stuart. -Miss Romie Van Pelt left Mon-

day morning for Wilson college, Chambersburg, to resume her studies after a holiday vacation.

-Newton Emerick, who is engaged in the lumbering business at Vintondale, Cambria county, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Emerick, at this place.

--- Our friend, Henry Stoner, Tusseyville, gave us a call, and put his label out to '99. He informed us that Mrs. Stoner spent the holidays with her brother in Philadelphia.

-Miss Kate Spangler, of Geneva, Neb., was a guest at the home of Ed. Nerhood last week. Miss Spangler is on a visit to her parents at Rebersburg | cinity. and her brother Joe. Spangler, near Centre Hill.

-Rev. Laurie, D. D., of Bellefonte, filled the pulpit in the Presbyterian church Tuesday evening, and delivered an able and very impressive sermon to a large audience. He was accompanied here by Mr. J. C. Weaver.

in Centre Hall Monday. He was on Crosthwaite. the election board of the insurance company, and with J. B. Goheen, of Rock Springs, and Jacob R. Bible, of Potters Mills, took care of the ballots The Events and News from this Important cast for the officials.

-Wm. W. McCormick, of Potters Mills, was in attendance at the M. E. quarterly meeting on Monday, he representing the Spurcetown church. Mr. McCormick tells us he has put in over thirty days killing hogs this year, and has several days yet to fill in.

-Mr. Samuel Ertel, of Georges valley among the oldest patrons and called upon his many friends at this subscribers to the REPORTER, accom- place on Saturday, and remained over panied by Mr. John Hanna, were in Sunday. town Saturday transacting some business, and included this office in making their rounds. Mr. Ertel is looking iting at the home of his father, T. W. around for a youg horse, heavy and a Hosterman. good worker, which he wants to purchase, but as yet has not found one to week at this place, calling upon old suit him.

## MUNICIPAL INDEBTEDNESS.

Law Regulating Same for Cities, Boroughs and Townships.

Frequent inquiries being made upon this subject, we print the law below. Study it and keep it for reference.

P. L. 1874, page 65: "That whenever the debt of any county, city, borough, township, school district, . . . shall be equal to seven per centum upon the assessed value of the taxable property, as fixed by the last preceding assessed valuation therein, it shall be unlawful to increase the same, and all such increase shall be void, and any obligation issued for such increase, or any part thereof, shall be of no binding force upon such municipality or district; and each of the officers thereof wilfully authorizing such increase, or executing any obligation therefor, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof shall be fined not exceeding ten thousand dollars, and undergo an imprisonment not exceeding one year.

they can not do without the Reporter.

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-Charles J. Stamm, of Oak Hall,

An Interesting Letter from Our Neighbor ing Town. Sleighing is about at an end until we get more snow.

at Sprucetown last Sabbath.

POTTERS MILLS.

Miss Katie Kessler's sister, from California, is visiting here at present. Wm. Sankey is at present visiting at the home of his nephew Henry San-

The Centre Democrat's scribe expects to go to Illinois by the middle of

Rev. Rishel was in attendance at the protracted meeting last Wednesday -Mrs. Wm. Kreamer, of Mill- night, and gave quite a fine talk.

Fox hunting has been trump since the snow has fallen, but the foxes seem to be equal to the occasion. Forest Bible, who had been clerking

in Carson's store, has gone to help start the new store at the station. Harry B. Spangler left for Lock Ha-

tend Normal. Success to you Harry. Marcellus Sankey, after a vacation for an entire new spring stock. spent at home, has again returned to Lock Haven to resume his Normal

Will Harshbarger, the new clerk in Carson's store, had better be on the lookout; Strong is watching for him. Rev. Faus is at present holding a protracted meeting at Sprucetown. None forward as yet although pros-

pects are fair. Jacob Slack, formerly of this place, but now of Illinois, was here on a short visit. Jacob is an operator on the Chicago and Alton road at present.

throughout (Colyer) is frequently represented in this and an adjoining vicinity in the day .: person of a young man who is not near as smart as he thinks he is. He day. had better go a little slow for he has dropped wonderfully in the estima- lie sale on the 8th of March. tion of some of our ladies. Take heed

Sleighing is getting thin in our vi-

Mrs. Davis Evans is still in Williamsport visiting her daughters.

Samuel Brown and Brown McNitt, of Milroy, had a runaway on Tuesday. Frank Long, of Spring Mills, is in town today on business; ne says Spring Mills is dull.

Frank Palmer left for Williamsport -Prof. Philip H. Meyer, the stal- on Monday, where he exected to atwart Harris township Democrat, was tend the funeral of Rev. Mortimer this place Saturday.

#### CORTERN

Business Point.

A wedding in our midst is on the Calvin M. Hayes, of Hartleton, transacted business at this place last

Jacob Hazel and wife and Mrs. Ellis Shaffer, of Madisonburg, were visiting

friends at this place on Saturday. William Kerstetter, of Pleasant Gap,

Luther Hosterman and family, of Rebersburg, spent part of Sunday vis-

Mrs. M. D. Rockey spent part of last friends; she left for her home at Ty-

lersville on Sunday. The Misses Lulu Earhart and Alma Gramley, of Rebersburg, spent a few hours at this place on Monday, at the home of R. F. Vonada.

Andrew Rishel would like to know who stole his beef. He says he will give the person a warm reception if he comes again on such business.

The Atlantic Refining Company has received its beautiful tank-oil-wagon, and is now ready to deliver oil to its customers, in almost any quantity MARCH 18.-William Farner, near Potters Mills above five gallons.

Quite a large number of our people are attending protracted meeting at Paradise church, which is being conducted with increasing interest. Twenty-one seekers, on Sunday evening was the sum total.

E. H. Auman, of Farmers Mills, smiling and pleasant as ever, transacted business at this place on last Saturday. He will become a citizen of Millheim in the spring, having bought the brick mill there.

Farmers are taking advantage of the

them. On the new road to the station

would be a fine opportunity for an enterprising builder. C. P. Long recently erected two very beautiful buildings on this avenue; who will be the next to do likewise?

Board walks are certainly a very Rev. Faus held Communion services good thing-an excellent thing in simply wet weather, but if they are allowed to remain covered with snow, of course they are of precious little account, particularly in case of a sudden thaw, the only difference being, instead of wading through mud and snow, the pedestrians wade through pure slush. We have quite an extend-

John Smith & Bro. the popular furniture dealers, of our village, are doing quite an extensive business in chairs and rockers; their sales were particularly large during the holidays. The firm are now making preparations for a January clearing sale of the highest ven last week, where he expects to at- grade furniture at prices verging on disaster; it must be sold to make room

A. J. Graden, of our village, has opened a very tidy shoemaker shop on the turnpike, a short distance above the hotel, and is meeting with remarkable success, having had plenty of repairing and considerable new work, and his shop has been in operation only about ten days. In addition Mr. Graden conducts a barber shop, and is said to handle a razor in a masterly

#### OAK HALL.

We all hope he may have success A Digest of the News from Our Neighbor-

Sheriff Cronister was in town Tues-Wm. Sellers killed six hogs on Mon-

C. J. Stamm intends having a pub-

The family of T. F. Gramley are all improving from their sickness. John Shuey, of Lemont, was notic-

ed on our streets Tuesday. Henry Potter, of Linden Hall, transacted business at this place Monday. J. J. Tressler, of this place, took a car load of clover seed to Philipsburg last week.

Mr. Johnson and wife, of Bellefonte. were the guests of Wm. Sellers, at this

place on Saturday. Lloyd Brown and J. Frazier, of near Linden Hall, transacted business at

William Fisher and wife, of Sunbury were noticed at the station on

luesday, on their return home. Alonza Rupp started in the huckstering business, and has made two trips to Houtzdale and other points. Ben Yearick, of Salona, and Calvin

Korman, who left for Iowa twentyone years ago, were the guests of Daniel Korman and son on Sunday. Our singing school was well attend-

ed on Monday evening, it was the first evening; there are forty-three scholars in the class and more are expected to attend. The class is conducted by Prof. P. H. Meyer, of Boalsburg.

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## SALE REGISTER.

horses, cows, hogs, farm implements, etc. Wm. Goheen, auc't. MARCH 17.—J. F. Heckman, two miles east of Spring Mills, live stock, farm implements, and household goods.

RPHANS' COURT SALE.—BY VIRTUE OF an order of the Orphans' Court of Centre County. Pa., the undersigned, executor of the estates of Elizabeth and John Shires, and with power of attorney to represent the several heirs of Elizabeth and John Shires, late of Potter township, Centre County, Pa., will expose to public sale on the premises, in Potter township, near Potters Mills, on

THURSDAY, JAN. 27, 1898. At 2 o'clock p. m., the following real estate, to wit: A fine farm, situate in Potter township, County and State aforesaid, adjoining William Allison's estate, Alexander McCoy. Henry P. Sankey, Mary Bitner, Barbara Rearick, containing about

Sec. 5. The word "indebtedness," used in this act, shall be deemed, held and taken to include all and all manner of debt, as well floating as funded, of the said municipality."

It will be observed that public officion at the station, formerly occupied security of deed.

Sec. 5. The word "indebtedness," sleighing and are busy hauling grain to our merchants here; on Monday morning six car loads of wheat and one car load of cloverseed were shipped from this place.

F. P. Barker has rented the store room at the station, formerly occupied in the station of sale, and the balance on delivery of deed. If desired by purchaser, \$1,000 can remain in this property.

MICHAEL SHIRES.

Executor and Attorney in Fact.

oom at the station, formerly occupied by Reuben Boyer, and has started a restaurant. He expects to keep a full line of refreshments that will appease the appetites of mortal man.

The Centre Hall Reporter has entered upon its 71st year. It is not to be imagined because this paper is so advanced in years that it is old in appearance, or shows any signs of an enfeebled condition. We venture to say it never looked so spry, and has never been healthier.—Philipsburg Ledger.

Our handsome lady friend, Mae Miller, of Altoona, in making a remittance putting her label to '99, has also a kind word for the Reporier, adding a kind word for the Reporier, adding a kind word for the Reporier, adding by Reuben Boyer, and has started a restaurant. He expects to keep a full line of refreshments that will appease the appearance to keep a full line of refreshments that will appease the appetites of mortal man.

Merchant J. W. Glasgow left on Saturday morning for the Quaker City, and will be gone about a week. While there he will visit his brother and sister, who are residents of that place, and will purchase a large stock of merchandise for his new store building.

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The Important Events of the Past Week as seen by Our Scribe.

Dwellings will be difficult to obtain

NNUAL STATEMENT OF THE FARMers' Mutual Fire Insurance Company.

Office of the Farmers' Mutual Fire Insurance Company, of Centre County, Pa. Centre Hall, Pa., Jan. 10, 1898.—In accordance with the provisions of their charter the fortieth annual statement of the transactions of the Company is hereby presented.

ASSETS. Bills receivable being and payable by members for insurance the EXPENSES. Compensation to direc-

81 28 3 00 5 00 19 40 Mrs. Mary A. Mays loss... Geo. M. Boal, admr..... Mrs. Lillie G. Brill on wash house Miss Kate Keller on 151 00 Mrs. S. E. Keller on fur-184 00 Philip Hubler estate on 000 00 W. H. Weaver on mill ... 92 48 mili Simon Harper, interest. 500 00 barn by lightning Total assets less expens-

in force this day. Insurances taken the 323 429 34 past year. ch add insurances taken and in force for the years 1893, '91, '95 and '96, and we have 1 488 640 44 the grand total of risks

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At a meeting held the same day the following At a meeting held the same day the following Directors were chosen for the ensuing year: Col. W. Fred Reynolds, H. C. Campbell J. G. Balley, Frank McFarlane, Fred Kurtz, J. W. Shook, J. W. Evans, H. E. Duck, A. D. Weaver, J. R. Brungart, Jacob Bottorf, G. B. Haines. The Board thereupon organized by electing the following officers: President, Fred Kurtz.

Vice President, H. C. Campbell.

Treasurer, B. H. Arney.

Secretary, D. F. Luse.

Attest: FRED KURTZ.

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A DMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.-LETTERS of Administration upon the estate of Anna Williman, late of Gregg township, deceased, having been lawfully granted to the undersigned he would respectfully request all persons knowing themselves indebted to said estate, to make immediate payment, and those having claims against the same to present them duly authenticated for settlement. M. L. RISHELL, dec236t Administrator, Farmers Mills, Pa.

REGISTER'S NOTICE.—THE FOLLOWING

EGISTER'S NOTICE.—THE FOLLOWING accounts have been examined, passed and filed of record in the Register's Office for the inspection of heirs and legatees, creditors and all others in any way interested, and will be presented to the Orphans' Court of Centre county for confirmation on Wednesday, the 26th day of January, A. D., 1898.

1. First and final account of Michael Evert. administrator of etc., of Elizabeth Evert, late of of Penn township, deceased.

2. First and final account of P. W. Burket, administrator cure testamento annexo of etc., of Hannah Gienn, late of Ferguson township, deceased.

Fifth and final account of Reuben Grimm guardian of Elizabeth Evert, minor child of Elizabeth Evert, late of Penn township, deceased.
4. First and final account of S. K. Emerick, administrator of etc. of Jacob Hoover, late of Union township.

township deceased.
5. First and partial account of Thomas B. Motz, administrator of etc., of Noah We aver, late of Haines township, deceased.

6. First and final account of R. C. Gilliland, administrator of etc., of Mathias Kech, late of Burnside township, deceased.

7. First and final account of Alexander McCoy 7 First and final account of Alexander McCoy and Wm. M. Allison, executors of etc., of John M. McCoy, late of Potter township, decease d.

8. The second account of Isaac Thomas, trustee under the residuary clause of the last will and testament of Wm. A. Thomas, late of Bellefonte

The account of George W. Jackson, surviv 9. The account of George w. Jackson, surfring trustee, under the last will and testament of Thomas R. Reynolds, late of Bellefonte boro, decased, as filed by George L. Jackson and George T. Brew, administrators of etc., of George W. ackson, deceased. 10. The account of Anna Van Pelt, administratrix of etc., of H. D. Van Pelt, late of Centre

borough, deceased.

The second and final account of James 8. 11. The second and final account of James B. Martin, executor of etc., of Andrew Martin, late of Marion township, deceased.

12. The first and final account of Clement Dale, administrator of etc., of Sue N. Kerr, late of Potter township, deceased.

13. The account of James Duck and Lydia

Potter township, deceased.

13. The account of James Duck and Lydia Duck, administrators of etc., of Oscar Duck, late of Gregg township, deceased.

14 The first and final account of Henry Walkey, trustee of the estate of Barbara Waikey, late of Walker township, deceased, and the second and final account of Henry Walkey, administrator of etc., of Samuel Walkey, late of Walker township, deceased.

15. First and final account of Elijah Burd, administrator of etc., of William R. Burd, late of

trator of etc., of William R. Burd. late of Haines township, deceased.

Haines township, deceased.

Bellefonte, Dec. 22, 1897. Regis

ALUABLE FARM PROPERTY AT PRI vate sale.—The undersigned offers at private sale, the farm situated in Potter Townprivate sale, the farm situated in Potter Township, one mile west of Old Fort, on the Earleystown road, within 1½ miles of the Bailroad station, convenient to scuool, church and postoffice, known as the Mrs. Orlady farm, containing 150 acres, more or less. This tarm is in good state of cultivation. Large Dwelling House, Bank Barn, and all the necessary outbuildings, all in good repair. Two large cisterns, one at house and one at barn, also well of limestone water near the buildings. Good young orchard, just coming into bearing. Terms favorable to buyer. Inquire of GEO. M. BOAL, Agent.

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