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Spring Mills.

Quite a number took advantage of the sleighing on Sunday.

C. E. Ziegler made a business trip to Lewisburg and Lock Haven last week.

J. A. Grenoble, who was recently kicked by a horse, is rapidly improving.

A. L. Keller, of Madisonburg, made a business trip to town one day last week.

Water is becoming a very scarce article on the hill, as nearly all the wells are dry.

The Evangelists on the hill are making arrangements for having a Christmas entertainment on Sunday evening.

The callthumpans were out in full regalia on Saturday night, and did ample justice to a few boxes of cigars at R. E. Catherman's expense.

D. W. Sweetwood and wife made a trip to Glen Iron on Wednesday to attend the wedding of Miss Margaret Sweetwood, a sister of Mr. Sweetwood.

R. E. Catherman and wife returned Saturday afternoon from a happy honeymoon trip to Eastern cities, and immediately took up quarters in their newly furnished house.

Floyd Bowersox and family returned on Saturday from a ten day's trip to Lock Haven, Williamsport, and Millburg. Charles Bressler, of Summiton, managed the shop for Mr. Bowersox during his absence.

D. M. McCool has been confined to the house by sickness for the past week.

Many of the people at this place are suffering from colds and sore throats. A number of the children are also having chicken pox.

Among those who are expected home to spend Christmas are, William Sines, John Rossman, Bruce Granley and Charles Allison.

The members of the Lutheran Sunday school will render a Christmas service on Christmas eve, while those of the Evangelical Sunday school will render one on Christmas night.

Calvin Huss, who spent a few days visiting his parent here, left for Scranton last week, where he expects to make his home for the present. He will give private instructions on the stringed instruments.

John Grenoble, who a short time ago met with an accident, in which a horse kicked him, is gradually improving. Last Saturday he was taken to his own home, prior to that time he was unable to be removed from the home of Harry Stover, where the accident occurred.

Millheim.

A jolly party of young folks from town made up a party and drove to the home of Nicodemus Lese, west of Woodward and had a fine time Thursday evening of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Shawver, of the Old Fort, spent the greater part of Monday in Millheim. It is reported Mr. Shawver has rented the National hotel property and will move into it April 1st next.

Veterinary F. F. Wetzel is reported as being confined to the house; the nature of his illness has not been learned.

Mrs. J. Spigelmyer left Tuesday for Freeburg, where she will visit her daughter, Mrs. Charles Bassler, over Christmas.

The property on North street, belonging to Miss Lydia Musser, was sold Saturday for \$125. W. O. Royer was the purchaser.

H. H. Leitzel has sold his dray business to High Constable Frank Colyer. Mr. Colyer took possession Saturday. Mr. Leitzel was an obliging drayman, but his health did not permit of his continuing the business. It is predicted that Mr. Colyer will prove to be as obliging as his predecessor, and all wish him success.

John Smith, of the firm of Smith Brothers, Spring Mills, with his furniture wagon loaded with fine furniture, and accompanied by his daughter May, was in town Saturday. While Mr. Smith in his usual pleasant way was attending to business, his daughter was doing some shopping.

H. E. Duck made a business trip to Bellefonte Tuesday.

Holiday goods at O. P. Long's.

Hides wanted by O. T. Cormann, Spring Mills.

Come! Come!

COME AND SEE OUR LINE OF

...NICKLE PLATED...

**Tea Kettles, Wash Basins, Water Pitchers
Dippers, Etc., at Prices that Will Astonish**

FINE LINE OF GRANITE WARE
Just Received a Fine Line of Dust Pans and Tinware that we will sell at reduced prices so as to make room for Spring Goods.

We also have a few Stoves left from the Fall stock that must go regardless of the price. Come and examine our goods. No trouble to show them.

J. A. REESMAN

CENTRE HALL, PA.

Dr. Geo. P. Bible, The Great Humorist

Principal of the National School of Elocution and Oratory, Broad and Cherry Street, Philadelphia, will give a Humorous Entertainment, in GRANGE ARCADIA, CENTRE HALL, THURSDAY EVENING, DEC. 29. Admission: 15c; reserved seats, 25c; children, 10c

If you can enjoy a LAUGH you will enjoy this entertainment. "Bible is a whole show, clown and all," is said by every one who hears him. It is impossible to sit before Dr. Bible and keep a straight face, and the corners of your mouth won't turn down, but up with a big U.

THOSE WHO KNOW DR. BIBLE SAY:

Ex-Governor D. H. Hastings—Dr. Bible is one of the finest and most pleasing reciters and impersonators in Pennsylvania.

Carlisle (Pa.) Daily Herald—With humor, originality, with plenty of good common sense, characterize all Dr. Bible's work.

E. C. Shields, County Superintendent, Clearfield, Pa.—Dr. Bible's elocutionary and oratorical powers are such as to enable him to present his instructions in such a way as to be most pleasing to his audience.

Public Spirit, Clearfield—G. P. Bible, the renowned instructor and humorist, entertained the audience. He completely controlled their emotions, at one time almost in tears and again consulted by laughter, and thus two hours passed by.

Rev. A. A. Black, Boalsburg—As a comedian and all around gentleman, Dr. Bible can not be excelled. I know him personally.

J. C. Taylor, Superintendent of Public Schools of Luzerne county—I can truthfully say that I never knew him to fail to please his audience.

Dr. N. C. Scheffer, State Superintendent—I have often heard Prof. George P. Bible. He has had a wide experience as an educator, and is a specialist in reading and elocution.

S. G. Smith, Principal Capital School of Oratory and Music, Columbus, Ohio—He is one of the best instructors I have ever met. Prof. Bible is an orator, entertainer and instructor combined, a wise combination for a day instructor.

Ex-Governor Pattison—Dr. Bible is a magnetic and forceful speaker.

C. L. Granley, Superintendent of Public Schools of Centre County—Dr. Bible is a strong instructor. He is stronger as an entertainer, in sense and nonsense. He is a member of the Broekway Lecture Bureau, from which I draw all the instructors for teachers' institute, because they have only good men.

Ira N. McCloskey, County Superintendent, Lock Haven—Teachers and citizens of Clinton county are always glad to greet Dr. Geo. P. Bible, the lecturer and humorist, as a special favorite. Dr. Bible is one of the most magnetic and pleasing instructors in the field of Institute workers. His popularity in Lock Haven is only exceeded by his acquaintanceship.

LOCALS.

Take a good laugh—hear Dr. Bible. P. Hoffer Dale, a student at the University of Pennsylvania, is home for the Christmas vacation.

Jacob Wagner, of Tusseyville, will spend the holidays with his son, Rev. W. J. Wagner, at Buckhorn.

Dr. Bible will be in Grange Arcadia Thursday evening of next week, and at Millheim Friday following.

William Martz, of Tusseyville, Wednesday went to Altoona, having been summoned to that place on account of the serious illness of his brother, J. Edgar Martz.

T. H. Garver was a caller Wednesday to have the name of J. T. Campbell put on the Reporter list, and at the Democratic township primaries will be a candidate for supervisor of Potter township.

Harry Keller, son of Mrs. J. W. Keller, of Linden Hall, was a caller Wednesday morning, to advertise baking powder with each pound of which you get free two gold fish and a globe. See the advertisement elsewhere in this issue.

Mrs. Kate Sommeron, of Ledy, Clinton county, and Mrs. George Walters, of Hammersley Fork, Clinton county, visit among friends in Centre Hall for a few days. The ladies are sisters, their maiden names being Kate and Annie Bechtel, nieces of D. A. Booser, and were raised in Centre Hall.

Ayer's

You can hardly find a home without it Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. Parents know what it does for children: breaks

Cherry Pectoral

up a cold in a single night, wards off bronchitis, prevents pneumonia. Physicians advise parents to keep it on hand.

"The best cough medicine money can buy is Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. For the cough of children nothing could possibly be better."
JACOB SHULTZ, Saratoga, Ind.
J. C. AYER CO., Lowell, Mass.

Throat, Lungs

Ayer's Pills greatly aid the Cherry Pectoral in breaking up a cold.

Xmas Shoppers

Here is a Partial List to Buy From . . .

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| Athletic Goods | Hats | Pillow Tops |
| Bath Robes | Hosiery | Pennants |
| Bedroom Slippers | Handkerchiefs | Rain Coats |
| Belts | House Coats | Sweaters |
| Boys | Jewelry | Storm Coats |
| Chairs | Knit Gloves | Suspenders |
| Clothing | Kid Gloves | Suits |
| Collars | Laundry Bags | Slirts |
| Cuffs | Ladies' Gloves | Socks |
| Cuff Buttons | Mufflers | Suit Cases |
| Caps | Mittens | Suede Gloves |
| Coats | Mocha Gloves | Trunks |
| Canes | Neck Wear | Traveling Bags |
| Combination Suits | Night Robes | Tama |
| Collar Buttons | Negligee Shirts | Toques |
| Fags | Overcoats | Trousers |
| Foot Balls | Overalls | Underwear |
| Fobs | Pajamas | Umbrellas |
| Gloves | Pantalons | Union Suits |
| Golf waists for Women | Pocket Books | Vests |
| | Valises | Watches |

MONTGOMERY & CO.

BELLEFONTE, PA.

...O. T. CORMAN...

SPRING MILLS

Is headquarters for Holiday goods at remarkably low prices. A bargain in everything, and everything suitable for Christmas and New Year

Candles and Confectionary.

Just received for the holidays a choice line of candies and confectionary, consisting of chocolate, vanilla almonds, creams, mints, coconut, Spanish bonbons, French mixture. Fine confectionary in boxes, and a large assortment of stick and toy candies, English walnuts, paper shell almonds and Pecan nuts, also a very large assortment of fancy cakes; orange, lemons, bananas and table raisins.

Toys.

A counter full of toys for the little folks, such as wheelbarrows, carts, wagons, horses, dogs, cats, jumping jacks, etc.

Jewelry.

Also just received an elegant array of fine jewelry—chains, rings, a-als, brooches, cuff and collar buttons, and infants neck chains.

Notions and Dry Goods.

An invoice of notions just opened and now displayed on the counters. Gloves, mittens, neckwear, collars, kerchiefs and fine umbrellas. Dry Goods department has also been replenished with a line of elegant dress goods in all the beautiful fall and winter shades, also gingham, muslin and a choice lot of superb woolen blankets.

Groceries.

My groceries are all fresh and selected especially for the holidays. In addition to regular sugar, coffee and spices I have a very desirable line of breakfast foods, canned goods, table oil, olives and sardines.

Glass and Queensware.

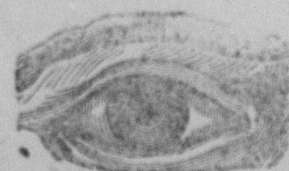
My stock of glass and queensware is very complete. Elegant dinner and tea sets, from 75 to 125 pieces; cut glass, beautiful lamps and fine Bohemian and Japanese shades.



Come to our store and you will be convinced of a few facts in Footwear . . .

...C. A. KRAPE...
SPRING MILLS, PA.

Take Care of Your Eyes..



There is no excuse for you now to neglect your eyes

Dr. M. B. Brodsky
OF PHILADELPHIA

The well known Eye Specialist, is now in town, and as advertised will examine your eyes

...FREE OF CHARGE...

And Guarantee You Absolute Satisfaction, no matter how many may have given your case up. I guarantee to improve your vision, provided there is any vision left.

Call on me or drop me a postal card and I will call on you.

LOCATION—At Centre Hall, at the residence of George Nearhood, after the first of January, 1905.

| GRAIN MARKET. | | | |
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| Eye | 60 | Wheat | 1 10 |
| Barley | 45 | Oats | 20 |
| | | Corn | 50 |
| PRODUCE AT SPRING MILLS. | | | |
| Lard | 68 | Butter | 25 |
| Potatoes | 35 | Eggs | 28 |

SANTA'S LETTER

To His Little Ones
My Dear Little Friend:
I will be at your house on Christmas Eve with a big bag of Toys, candies and nuts. Hang up your stockings and go to bed early.
Your Friend,
SANTA CLAUS

HOLIDAY SUGGESTIONS AT MOST MODERATE PRICES

- Folding Screens filled from \$1.00 to \$4.00
- Tabourettes from 19c to \$1.50
- Smoking Sets from 50c to \$3.00
- Handsome towels and linen piece & from 12c to 75c.
- Candle Sticks from 10c to \$3.00
- Down Comforts and rugs from \$1.00 to \$15.00.
- Dress Goods, Mohairs, Cheviots Serges, Henriettas.
- Mohairs in red, brown, blue, cream and checks.
- Handkerchiefs—50 dozen at 10c, regular price 15c.
- Demorest Machines, new styles, \$19.00 to \$25.00
- Santa Claus postal cards, 4c.
- Dolls from 1c to \$3.00.
- Mechanical trains, 25c to \$5.00
- Toys from 5c to \$5.00 each.

GARMAN'S STORE

MARBLE AND GRANITE MONUMENTS.



H. G. STROHMEIER,
CENTRE HALL, PENN.

Manufacturer of and Dealer in HIGH GRADE . . . MONUMENTAL WORK in all kinds of

Marble AND Granite. Don't fail to get my prices.