SCHOOL DIRECTORS ASSOCIATION.

Governor Stuart Tells Directors Appropriation, Good Management and Best Teachers Needed.

"I was educated in the public schools of this state, and I have always felt a great interest in their work, and since my position as Governor has permitted me I have done all in my power for the public school system of Pennsylvania," said Governor Stuart in the course of a speech at the annual convention of the State School Directors' Association held at Harrisburg, Thursday and Friday of last week.

"Three things are needed to make our system a success, and I think that where he will engage in dairy farming. we have them," continued the Governor. "Appropriations, then good brother-in law, Hiram Lee, and also at the home of her daughter, near management by the directors, and, finally, the best possible public school teachers. The state should appropriate as much as it can for our schools, for it is these same schools that make possible the best American citizenship."

Following the Governor' address, Superintendent of Public Instruction directors, and a paper was read upon "Qualification of Teachers" by C. C.

Episcopal Church, and was in session to all patrons in arrears. two days.

#### An Important Decision.

Hughesville school is a High School, according to a decision of Judge Hart, of Lycoming county, and the pupils from the surrounding townships and boroughs wh finish their school education in the Hughesville institution will have to pay the tuition fees fixed by the Hughesville school directors The first suit, just decided by Judge Hart, involved \$138 75 due from six pupils from Wolf township, who attended the Hughesville school during the winter of 1905 06.

A similar contention was raised by individuals whose children attended the Centre Hall High School. To these the above decision will prove the ground taken by the Cen re Hall school board to be correct.

# Telephone Company Officers.

At the annual meeting of the Bald Eagle telephone company held in Howard the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, A K. Kaufman, Lock Haven; secretary, Nelson E Robb, Bellefonte : directors, W. J. Kurtz, Howard; W. I. Harvey, Lock Haven : Edward Edgar, Blanchard ; Ellis L. Orvis, Bellefonte, and H. R Curtin, Roland.

Governor Hughes has superseded District Attorney Jerome in New York in the duty of presenting to the grand jury the evidence in the ictrust case, and has named the Democratic attorney general to appear in Jerome's stead. The governor's action was taken in response to a charge that the uncertain district attorney had not presented documentary evidence to the jury which might justify an indictment. Mr. Jerome's contention is the same that he advanced in the case against George W. Perkins for diverting the trust funds of an insurance company to the Republican National committee. Scrupulous in not giving the State the benefit of any doubt as to the criminality of certain facis and in not pushing the matter to legal test in court, Jerome has suspiciously pursued the course of quashing prematurely cases against malefactors of great wealth. It will be detected, upon slight reflection, that Governor Hughes differs on this point, as he does on jail sentences and Paul Morton advance acquittals, from his rival.

phoid was stirring, but not too much a place to store it away, took advanso. Nothing on this subject can be tage of the large supply. too stirring. The new Department of Health is doing what it can, with a bad roads to reach their market for the Hall, Thursday evening of last week. total destruction. proper regard for vested interests, to past few weeks, causing a light slump remedy the disgraceful pollution of in their business. Among those who our water courses, which are the take tons of meat across the Seven sources of water supply for most cities Mountains every week are G. R. Meiss, porting the guests. and towns. Typhoid is a terrible dis- W. J. Copenhaver, W. H. Moyer and ease. In the light of political economy. John H. Taylor. it is about the worst there is; for Wm. H. Cummings and Lloyd day. He is a student under W. L. scription will be advanced to come hardly any other disease disables the Smith purchased the butchering equip- Campbell, at the Rising Springs rail- within the postoffice regulations. patient so long when the results are ment owned by Karstetter & Cole, of road station, and has a bit over a year not fatal, and no other disease involves Pleasant Ger, taking possession of the to his credit. He is quoted as being such expensive care of the patient. same in a few weeks. Mr. Cummings an apt student in telegraphy, and is sylvania Railroad Company, at Al-For families of moderate means a case had been engaged in threshing for a the making of an all 'round railroad of typhoid fever is ruinous. Untreat number of years, and was very suc- man. ed sewage is being poured by hundreds cessful. May the young men prosper of towns into the rivers from which in their new venture. other towns must drink. Reform has begun. Improved methods of disposing of sewage have been adopted by a few cities. But the evil is a vast one and Pennsylvania will have to grapple with it more heroically.

Gold has been struck in the Culebra cut, and perhaps we shall now have an era of frenzied digging. That would seem to be what we need in this coun-try—less of frenzied finance and more ight grubbing. "Dig, brothers,

Letter from Milroy.

Prof. W. A. Krise sends the following note from Milroy this week: Esquire M. M. Grove, of near Cenwood, last Saturday and Sunday.

Wilson Dillet is spending the winter in Washington, D. C. Mr. Dillet is a born in Huntingdon county over brother-in-law to Mrs. Kate Horner.

Mrs. J. W. Brown, returned home Wednesday of last week.

Jacob Bible, formerly of Potters Mills, will move to Chester county, near to the farm occupied by D C. Lewistown. She was aged eighty-Keller. At present Mr. Bible is clerk- two years, and had spent the greater ing for the Standard Steel Company.

#### Bills Again.

Bills have been enclosed in a number of Reporters of this issue. This is unpleasant, but a necessity. Frequintly such matters are neglected on the Schaeffer spoke on the duties of the part of subscribers, and these bills are enclosed as reminders. You are asked to bear in mind that the payment of back subscription would not be pressed The convention opened with an ad. at this time, but for the ruling of the dress of welcome by Bishop Darling- post office department which in a ton, of the Harrisburg diocese of the short time will deny the mail service

### Social Friday Evening.

church by the Luther League and foundry. Lutheran Sabbath school, to all members of these bodies and members of the Lutheran church. The invitation his son-in-law, Dr. J. F. Brockbank, M. Bower, of Penn township, was the also includes all members of their in DuBois. He was born at Jackson- guest of Frank Kreamer Sunday. Mr. families. No invitation other than this will be given.

BY THE COMMITTEE, Representing the League and Sabbath school.

### Oak Hall.

Miss Jane Marshall, of Fillmore, spent several days as the guest of per aunt, Mis Ada Benner.

W. H. Close visited his son Clifford, at Altoons, last week.

Al. Knopf transacted business in Tyrone, Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. B. Frank Homan and

Mr. and Mrs. Austin Dale visited

friends at Pleasant Gap and Shiloh Mrs. Willis Houtz and Miss Laura

Benner visited their uncle, Joseph Ross, at Pleasant Gap, Tuesday. Mrs. Wm. Brouse, of Boalsburg, was the guest of Mrs John Close on

Thursday. Donald Sellers is visiting his mother

at Hollidaysburg. Ira Corman and family entertained a sled load of young people from Ferguson township, Tuesda; evening of

Nicholas Barnhart, who for a number of years was a resident of Oak Hall, died at his home in White Deer. The remains, accompanied by the

tery for interment. Luther Peters, one of the prosperous young farmers of this community, and Miss Cora McClintic, of Walnut Grove, went to Bellefonte, Tuesday, where they were married by Rev. Ambrose Schmidt. After a few days visit among friends in Bellefonte and vicinity, they returned home Saturday, and were given a cordial welcome by some of the young men. Saturday evening they were given a delightful serenade by the calithumpian band.

# Colyer.

The singleg class under the instruction of Prof. E. W. Crawford, will have two more sessions.

A good ice crop has been harvested Dr. Dixon's speech at Easton on ty- in this vicinity. Atl those who had

The Colyer butchers have bad very

# Boalsburg Post Cards.

German-made post cards, views of they receive the best attention and the Boalsburg, which we offer for sale. kindliest treatment from nurses and twenty-five years ago. The indiceembraces a larger assortment than ever before offered. STUART & WIELAND.

Boalsburg, Pa.-3t,

A crank is a man with one idea.

Mrs. Nancy B. Sankey, widow of the late Jeremiah Sankey, died at the tre Hill, and his wife were guests of home of her daughter, Mrs. G. C. Mrs. Grove's mother, Mrs. Sweet- Showalter, in Philipsburg, of pneumonia. She was a daughter of Solomon and Margaret Hamer, and was seventy-two years ago. Since the Mrs. W. A. Krise, after a visit of a death of her husband, fourteen years month at the home of her daughter, ago, she has made her home with her daughter, who, with two sons, Hamer and Samuel M., all of Philipsburg,

After four days illness from the grip His farm will be near that of his Mrs. Mary J. Gordon Armstrong died part of her life in the vicinity of Milesburg. She is survived by three daughters and three sons.

> Harrisburg. She was sixty-eight cannot help himself at all. years of age and was born in Howard, being a daughter of Henry B. and Margaret Grove.

The death of John Kaup occurred at the Bellefonte hospital Thursday of urday afternoon to spend several days Friday evening a social will be given aged thirty-two years. He was emin the S. S. room of the Lutheran ployed as a machinist in Lingle's mont, spent Saturday and Sunday at

> Roland C. Faust died at the home of ville, and was a blacksmith by trade. Bower has been visiting his parents He is survived by several children and for some time but will soon return to one brother, Henry E., of Rockford, his western home.

Coleville. She had been ill of con- an early hour departed for their homes. sumption for almost a year. Her age was about twenty-three years.

Philip A. King, for two years a son Forrest are visiting friends in resident of Beliefonte, died at his home in Wilkesbarre of pneumonia. He is survived by his wife, nee Miss Kate Steinkerchner, his father, four brothers and five sisters.

> Mary Maliuda, the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Duck, of Pleasant Gap, died of pneumonia, aged five months and seventeen days.

# LOCALS.

The first of April is coming on. "Soft" weather the greater part of

Mr. and Mrs. John A. Heckman west of Centre Hall, Thursday evening of last week, entertaine i a number of their friends.

Mrs. Alvin Meyer, of Altoona, came to Centre Hall Saturday to visit her family, were brought here on Monday mother, Mrs. Sarah Stover, and for \$2, delivered at your door. Can and conveyed to the Boalsburg ceme- brothers and sisters. She was accompanied by her two children.

George Horner, of near Pleasant Gap, last week went to Curwensville where he is visiting his brother-in-law, Hugh Eckert. Mr. Eckert is employed in a large tannery at that place.

"De Laval Oil," especially adapted home in York state. for using on cream separators of any make, is offered for sale by D. W. Bradford, Centre Hall. This oil is put up in gallon cans, and is the best oil for the purpose on the market.

in pensions and the amounts are as He spent Sunday at his home in Cenfollows: John S. Steffen, Aaronsburg, tre Hall. \$15; Jacob Gross, Axe Mann, \$15; Fransler, Port Matilda, \$12.

A most enjoyable time was had. Four large sleds and a number of sleighs and cutters were employed in trans-

Let those who are dublous of the of friends, and Sunday was the guest good being done at the county hose of Merchant C. W. and Mrs. Swartz, pital, at Bellefonte, go there them- at Tusseyville, returning to Altoona selves and make inquiry of the suffer- Monday. We have now on hand a fine line of ing patients, who will tell you that authorities. A visit there will also tions are that it is only by confession impress upon such as are disposed to that the murder of Josiah C. Dale will think that the institution should be be revealed. On one occasion the free to all that the appropriation re- writer had actually come to the con-

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Paragraphs Picked from Exchanges of Interest to Reporter Readers,

Democratic Watchman-Col. J. L. Spangler and Charles Lukenbach represented the Bellefonte bankers at the Group 6 convention in Clearfield.

Capt. A. C. Mingle, who was confined to the house all last week with a bad attack of pleurisy, has recovered and is around as usual.

A. A. Dale, Esq , has returned from his sejourn \*t the home of his brother Austin in College township, feeling very much better than he did six weeks or /wo months ago.

The family of our good friend Riley Pratt, at Unionville, is a sadly afflicted one at present. His wife has been confined to her bed for months and her condition is now critical; a daughter, Mrs. Harry Black, is seriously ill. with cancer of the stomach, and a few days ago a son, Seth, a mail agent Mrs. Lydia A. Forster, widow of the with a run from New York to Pittslate Thomas W. Forster, died at the burg, was brought home with inflamhome of her son, A. G. Forster, of matory rheumatism, and so bad he

Millheim Journal-

Mr and Mrs. H. N. Meyer attended the funeral of their aunt, Mrs. H. F. Bitner, at Centre Hall Monday. A. Walter left for Wilkinsburg Sat-

last week of typhoid fever. He was a at the home of Prof. and Mrs. S. Ward this year. The hay crop was fairly that country produce was reasonably Mr. and Mrs. Harry Harter, of Mill-

the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Campbell.

Calvin Bower, of Illinois, son of Geo

Miss Bessie King entertained a party of her young friends at the home of Miss Mary D. Eckley, a daughter of ber parents Mr. and Mrs. Simon R. Mrs. Mary Eckley, died at the home King, Tue-day evening The little of her sister, Mrs. James Rider, of folks had an enjoyable time, and at

### Democrats Meet . ebruary 26.

State Chairman Dimeling has issued of the state committee. The purpose it in its early bistory. of the meeting of the state committee is to arrange for the state convention. which will elect four delegates-at-large to the Denver convention and nomi- Live Stock Sanitary Board, which renate a candidate for junge of the superior court.

# LOCALS.

Dandy weather to develop patients Prof. P. H. Meyer will hold a

musical convention in Millheim, beginning Monday, 24th inst. Cleveland Mitterling came home

from Cuddy, Westmoreland county, where he had been located for some months. A big two horse wagon load of nice

furnish any length desired. Call up A. J. Lytle on the Commercial 'phone. Prof. John H. Barron, who has been connected with the Pennsylvania State College School of Agriculture for the past year, has resigned, in order to take up practical farming at his old

J. Paul Rearick is back from Cincinnati, where he took a course in under aking including all its branches, Grace Van Studdiford, late prima and since has been at State College looking after the business of the under-Centre countians granted increases taking firm of which he is a member.

John B. Crawford, Nittany, \$15; John their efforts to save his home from the Will Happen Next.' An European seconds among the horses purchased flames Sunday night a week ago, W.

Look at your label on this issue, and note whether you have an eight or a nine on it. If you do not have one of those figures opposite your name, kind-William S. Rossman, of Spring ly forward the necessary amount of Mills, was a caller at this office Mon- cash to this office so that your sub-

Edward Wolf, who is employed in one of the many offices of the Penn- \$1100. toons, came to Centre Hall Saturday evening, when he called on a number

Schuylkill county has a man who ceived from the state is entirely in- clusion that is would be his lot to be

From Illinois.

From Maple Park, Illinois, George H. Rishel, formerly of Gregg township, who went west a few years ago from Coburn, writes the Reporter as follows: In response to your request I will write briefly about this section of country.

We have had a mild winter up to January 31st. On this date rough weather started, with snow and wind. Some of the roads and railroads were impassable for a few days. The ground hog certainly saw his shadow bright and early, and all day, on the 2nd inst. Mercury was down to twelve below zero that morning and it has been cold ever since. We have had no sleighing this winter although there is

lots of snow, but it is all on drifts. The crops here were light last year on account of the weather being wet and cold the greater part of the summer. Oats was a little over half a Potter township. crop and light in weight; corn was corn and oats sell for more, but we do for delegate to the state convention. not have very much of that quality in this section of Illinois. Hogs and cattle are way down in price. The marwinter. On February 1st the top price | Schmidt. for hogs was \$4.50. The same date a good, and potatoes were a light crop. plentiful. Fruit was no crop at all.

Creamery butter is 34c now, had been lower; eggs, 20c; highest was 27c a month ago.

#### An Old Press.

One of the oldest printing presses in Central Pennsylvania may be seen in the Centre Reporter office. It is an old Washington handpress, manufac ured by Robert Hoe, and the lever Centre Hill on the Meyer farm, and was pulled by a number of men of distinction, among them ex-Governor Packer, Col. A. K. McClure and Theo-Wright, the latter now editor-in-chief of the Philadelphia Record and presi- two months have paid their subdent of the Record Publishing Company. This information was obtained from Col. John A. Woodward, who Reporter. a call for a meeting of the Democratic also worked the lever of the press Mrs. Elizabeth Lehman, of Mount state committee in Harrisburg on Feb- while in use at Williamsport, where Joy, who is one bundred and four the Gazette & Bulletin was printed on years old, celebrated Lincoln's birth-

Notice for Closing Meat Market,

Owing to the regulations of the State quires all butcher tools, blocks, etc., to be cleaned up at the close of each day's business, it is necessary to set an hour for the ceasing of the meat sales so that this work can be done before closing my place of business. This hour has been set at 8:30, after which time no meat will be sold, no matter whether the shop is open or not.

# J. G. DAUBERMAN.

Merger of B, E, V, and P, R, R, The final merging of the Bald Eagle Valley Railroad with the Pennsylvania will take place at the annual meeting of the stockholders of the latter company on March 10th. Under the offer of three shares of Pennsylvania railroad stock and fifty dollars cash eleven views about Boalsburg which bonus for each share of Bald Eagle Valley the former company secured all the stock that was in outside hands.

# Keith's Theatre.

delphia, this week is one of the usually cents per half dezen. strong kind given at this theatre. funny feature is given by Wilfred novelty in drawing-room sero aties is program for the week.

# Transfer of Real Estate.

Wm. B. Seiler, et. ux., to John R. Thompson, March 28, 1907, 143 acres 11 perches in Gregg twp. \$2800.

W. S. Furst, et. al., to D. A. Boozer, Jan. 7, 1908, premises in Centre Hall. hanging in the various dressers. The

Lafayette Hoover, et. al., to Jas. Davis, et. ux., Jan. 14, 1908, premises South Philipsburg. \$500. J. Orvis Peters, et. ux., to Wm. Zimmerman, Jan. 21, 1908, premises in

Union twp. \$1. Philip Confer's heirs to Harry Alva Confer, et. al., Jan. 13, 1908, land in Howard twp. \$1

First Church of Christ of Philipsburg to Evens L. James, Feb. 3, 1908, lot in Philipsburg. \$500.

Geo, M. Brisbin, et. ux., to Lillie Copeland, Jan. 20, 1908, lot in Rush

# TOWN AND COUNTY NEWS,

HAPPENINGS OF LOCAL INTEREST FROM ALL PARTS.

The farmers' institute at Boalsburg loses today (Thursday.)

The February election is over. Next come the summer primaries, April 11. Mrs. Maggie Harper had been confined to bed by illness for a short time.

differences, reports say, and will again engage in warfare on the sporting field. This is leap year, but so far none of the fair sex hereabouts seem to have ever taken a step toward popping the

State and Bucknell have patched up

question. Miss Anna Stover, teacher at Tusseysink school, resigned. The term will be finished by Mr. Musser, of

The name of W. Gross Mingle, of about two-thirds of a crop and of poor Centre Hall, will appear on the Demoquality. Corn is 50c, oats 45c. Good cratic primary ticket as a candidate

Luther B. Peters, of Oak Hall, and Miss Cora C. Peters, of Linden Hall, were married at the Reformed parsonket has been crowded all fall and age, Bellefonte, by Rev. Ambrose M.

R. R. Rickard, the right hand man year ago they were \$7 05, so you can of W. F. Rockey, the produce man,

> Mrs. J. I. Stonecypher, of Boalsburg, and Mrs. J. H. Ross, of Linden Hall, came to Centre Hall Saturday afternoon and until Monday were guests of Mrs. H. E. Homan, east of Centre

Wm. H. Stover, who is now quartered in the Kennedy tenement house, west of Centre Hall, will move to near will assist Dame Luse in conducting

The Reporter wishes to thank the many subscribers who within the past scriptions in advance. Prompt payment indicates an appreciation of the

day by taking a long sleigh rid. Mrs. Lehman says she enjoys sleigh riding just as much as she did eighty years ago.

The general break up the middle of iast week and the rain of Friday and Saturday caused all streams to rise rapidly. No damage of any consequence was done within the county limits. Saturday night the temperature fell to below freezing, which prevented a likely disaster.

The Commercial Telephone people are extending their line beyond Pine Hall. The new subscribers are Mrs. Francis Keichline, W. E. Stover, D. S. Neidigh, L. H. Osman, J. H. Hoy, George Grenoble, James Hubler, H. M. Cronemiller and several others whose names are not known.

The Reporter, which has an agency for German-made post cards, received were ordered by Stuart & Wieland and Harrison & Ishler, merchants in that town. They are a fine lot of cards, and represent the best of workmanship. These cards are also on sale at The bill at Keith's Theatre, Phila- this office at 5c each; twenty-five

Messrs. Charles Mensch, of Mifflinburg, and Dame Luse, of Centre Hill, donna in "The Red Feather," is play- Friday afternoon went west with a ing a welcome return. Gus Edwards view of buying a car load of horses presents The Blonde Typewriters in a which will be offered for sale later on. one-act musical comedy. A very Mr. Luse is capable of discovering the good and bad qualities of a horse, As a token of his appreciation of Clarke & Co. in his own farce, "What which indicates that there will be no

Al. Osman, who has been at the L. Steele, of Bellefonte, presented both furnished by the Willy Pantzer Troups. county hospital, at Bellefonte, for six Mr. and Mrs. John Breon, at fire companies with a check for \$15. Skillful bareback riding and acrohatic or more weeks, is at present a very Rhoneymede, entertained some eighty Despite the cold weather they battled feats on horseback are the features consick man. He is, however, cheerful, of their friends in and about Centre bravely and saved the house from tributed by the Cottrell-Powell Troupe, altogether contented with his surthe great New York Hippodrome sen- roundings and conscious of his consation. There are many others on the dition. He speaks in the highest terms of the treatment received, and thinks himself fortunate in being an inmate of that institution.

For a year or more petty thefts had been committed in the Y. M. C. A. rooms, in Bellefonte, and a few days ago some cash was taken from clothing officers of the association took the matter up, and by placing marked coins in the pockets of coats the thief was discovered, and proved to be John Gordon. He was arrested, and placed

under ball for his appearance at court. Register and Recorder Nicely, of Sunbury, has received a mortgage to record negotiated between the Lewisburg, Milton and Watsontown Pass anger Railway Company and the New York Trust Company as trustee, in the sum of three hundred thousand dollars. Bonds have been issued for the building of a street railway across