# The Centre Democrat.

## Thursday Morning, March 17, 1881.

CORRESPONDENCE, containing important news, solicit-ed from any part of the county. No communications inserted unless accompanied by the real name of the writer.

## Democratic County Committee.

The following persons have been named as members of the Democratic County

Committee for 1881.	
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Mileburg Millbeim Unionville	0. P. Kreamer, D. L. Zerbe, A. Toner Leathers, George Witstr, A. J. Graham, James A. McClain, Oscar Holt, John McCloskey, Jacob Bottorf, John T. McCornick, Miles Walker, Henry Krumrine, Sr. James Duck, John A. Rupp, John A. Rupp, John A. Rupp, John A. Rupp, John A. Rupp, John A. Rupk, Hearty Hale, W. H. Gardner, Perry Condo. Christ Alexander, John Shanton, John Shanton, James McClintick,
Snow Shoe Spring Taylor Union. Walker. Worth.	Abel Campbell. John Noll. William Calderwood. S. K. Emerick. Ambrose McMullen. Marshall Lewis.
Bellefonte, Pa., Feb. 1.	P. GRAY MEEK. Chairman

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#### Local Department.

-Who ever experienced a finer day than last Tuesday? -Butter continues to be quoted at 25

cents per pound. -Clothing is an indispensable article-

buy it at the Philadelphia Branch. -Reynolds' Hall will be crowded next

Saturday night to see the Berger Family. -A new stable is in process of erection on the rear of Mrs. Sussman's High street property.

-If you study about the lives of departed heroes to-day, let it be of St. Patrick. Ireland's canonized countryman.

-Monday next will bring to us the vernal equinox, after which the spring season may be said to have fairly begun.

-This evening Colonel John W. Forney will lecture in the Altoona Opera House under the auspices of the Land League. -An entertainment was given by the

Saturday, by which about \$22 was realized. -At least one-half of Grant's fame is

due to the fact that he smokes the same brand of cigars as that sold by Harry Green

-Men and boys have reason to rejoice because they can dress economically and living in Tyrone, is announced to deliver respectably by buying clothing at the a lecture in the Court House of this place

-If you see a cigar that the side of a house could fall on and not knock the nice white ashes off, you may be sure it was bought at Wilson's, Brockerhoff House Block.

-The faces of the employes of the B. E. V. Railroad were illumined with a radiant smile last Saturday. This was occasioned by the monthly visit of the pay train of that corporation.

-The meeting of the Temperance Union of Bellefonte, in the Y. M. C. A. room this evening, should attract a large audience. D. S. Keller, Esq., is chairman of the committee on programme, and always arranges an interesting outline of exercises to occupy every moment of the time.

-"Oh, it is only a cold." How often we hear this remark, and yet there are thousands all through the country in the last stages of consumption, who, had they taken heed to the "cold" might have been in vigorous health to-day. There is no better preparation for a cold or cough than "Green's Syrup of Tar, Honey and Bloodroot.'

-Mrs. Garfield, wife of the President

PERSONALS OF IMPORTANCE .- Mr. Jas. Williams, who is connected with the Thompsons' store at Lemont, is now at home on a visit. -We regret to hear that Mr. John Linn

is again quite ill. He had so far recovered as to be able to rise from bed and dress himself, but on Monday he fainted, and is now very feeble.

-Among the many handsome and agree able persons who tarried in town during last Sunday, Prof. J. M. Duncan, of Montoursville, and Mr. Willis Fleming, of Altoona, were especially prominent. The latter expects to reside permanently in in Bellefonte.

-Mr. William Kurtz, the youthful and agreeable editor of the Centre Hall Reporter, bestowed his presence on his friends in this place last Monday.

-Mr. Moran Hibler, of Bradford, is in town, waiting at the bedside of his brother John, who is, we regret to say, now lying at the point of death from the ravages of consumption.

-Miss Nesbitt, one of the ablest of the lady instructors who ever taught in the public schools of Bellefonte, has been com pelled by illness to withdraw from the position which she has held so long and creditably. Her place will be filled by Miss Jennie Gehret, who is a lady of varied accomplishments and has had considerable experience as a teacher in some of the best schools of the country.

-Mr. H. W. Foutz, formerly of this place and now of Curwensville, spent Saturday last in town. While making his home in Bellefonte he was the proprietor of a planing mill and is pursuing the same business in Curwensville, where he is meeting with the success which he so largely deserves.

-Mr. W. C. Huey, formerly of State College, has removed to Warren, Warren county, where he will take charge of the farm connected with the asylum at that place

-We learn from the Lock Haven Daily Journal that our valued friend, ex-Sheriff Pie, of Osceola, will remove to the former place on the first of April. Mr. Pie is extensively engaged in the lumber business and is preparing to build a circular mill 96 by 52, between Wilcox and Kane. He finds it more convenient to make Lock Haven his headquarters in the future, and that city is to be envied for receiving such a valuable accession to its population.

M. E. Sunday-school, of Milesburg, last Zeller's drug store, of this place, is now a -Mr. Ed. Muir, formerly a clerk in full-fledged pharmacist. He graduated yesterday from the Philadelphia College of Pharmacy, and is prepared to enter upon the duties of his profession.

-J. H. Vosburg, Esq., who was former ly a resident of this place and at present is on Tuesday evening, the 22d instant. His subject is "Poetry, Illustrated by Recitations of Poetical Selections." As Mr. Vosburg is a veteran poet and a gentleman of considerable literary culture, his lecture will doubtless afford much instruction and

be worthy of a large and critical audience. -Mrs. John Ardell is at present entertaining her cousin, Miss Dunn, one of the attractive young ladies of the Empire State.

-Miss Maggie Snowden, one of Belle fonte's accomplished musicians, is entertaining her sister, who is a very pleasant and agreeable young lady.

-Mr. John Blanchard, of Princeton College, son of our townsman Evan Blanchard, Esq., has been spending a short time at his home in this place, but will return to his school duties in a few days.

-Mr. W. R. Teller, the popular proprietor of the Brockerhoff House, has been offered the management of a hotel in Altoons, which it is probable he will accept. Should he conclude to do so the people of that Railroad City can congratulate themselves upon securing such a gentlemanly

A POEM .- The following excellent verses imposed by Mr. John W. Moore, of this place, as a school exercise for his little daughter, are worthy re-publication. They appeared last week in the columns of the Watchman, entitled

"SPRING CREEK." 'Tis something very nice, I think, In summer's twilight glow, To roam beside the placid brink Where Spring Creek's waters flow.

It gives the mind a backward stroll To by-gone happy hours, And soon revives the languid soul Like lillies freshed by showers.

I see its waters lash the stones. And watch the spray go by; I hear its laughing, liquid tone And hear the echoes die.

I then in meditation peer A hundred years from now, And wonder if Spring Creek will cheer The people then, as now.

And will the gray silurian rocks That o'er beside the stream, Stand there like some great city blocks As now to me they seem?

Will autumn then bright colors bring And paint the forests gay ? Will birds their songs as sweetly sing Where Spring Creek's waters play ?

I oftimes muse and linger where The bubbles rise and seem To stay awhile and frolic there, Then float on down the stream

Will we like them, just loiter here, And only fill a certain sphere, Then, like them pass away !

To the four interrogatories contained in the above we would hastily answer :

A century of time ;

In beauty most sublime. And those gray silurian rocks

Which now mount up so high Shall the storms of many years-Yea, centuries defy.

As oft as years shall roll around Gay autumn shall return And paint the leaves a russet brown

And tinge with red each fer Birds of the brightest plumage Shall carol from each bo

Their songs shall sound as sweetly then As they do to us new

But our lives are not bubbles Though so they sometimes seem-They should be both bright and strong

As they glide down Time's stream To accomplish this great end,

Each moment they must be More and more like His who saves Them for Eternity.

who died at Millheim on the first day of this month, was a life-long resident of Centre county. His father, James Alexan- year as pitcher for the Providence base der, with his uncle Francis, moved to this ball club. At the close of this season he county from Maryland in 1795, locating on expects to retire from the base ball profeswhat was then known as the William Pot- sion and will go to Germany to complete ter farm, about a mile and a-half east of his education. Concerning Mr. Ward the Centre Hall. There they continued to re- Altoona Sun of Monday has the following : side for fifty-two successive years. Amos Mr. John Montgomery Ward, the noted was born on the 2d day of August, 1811, "curve" pitcher of the Providence base and was married to Elizabeth Keller, ball club, is now in that city, where he is daughter of Christian Keller, also of this engaged to pitch at a salary of \$2,200 per county, on the 20th of February, 1827. annum. Mr. Ward will go into the sport-During the latter part of his life he resided ing goods business, cigars, tobacco, etc., in the vicinity of Millheim. He purchased and is at present on the look-out for a the Judge Kryder farm near that place, competent man to take charge of the busiresiding there for several years, and after- ness, when he is engaged on the diamond wards bought the John Foster property in field. This will be his last season, whence Friday, the 25th instant. Three horses, Millheim, where he lived, engaging in the he will proceed to Germany for the purpose mercantile business. From 1861 to 1865 of completing his education. He has rehe filled the office of County Commissioner. cently been engaged coaching the Prince-In his death the community lost a very ton College students in acrobatic and gymworthy member and useful citizen.

-Mrs. Harry Teats is again mourning

UNDER THE CONTROL OF THE PENN-SYLVANIA RAILBOAD. - The wonderful inrease in power and influence of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company is causing the very rich literary treat which he will give unflaging energy of that mammoth corporation to be felt in every part of the State House next Tuesday evening, the 22d lating to the transfer of the Bellefonte & Snow Shoe railroad to the former corporation were to have been completed this time, doubtless, the property of the B. & S. S. company is in the possession of its new owners. This but marks a slight Several officials of the Pennsylvania railroad have been spending some time in this place inspecting their new purchase and attending to the details of the transfer. change will insure a great increase of business over the railroad and throw more Of course, the business of the railroad and which will have a wonderful effect on Snow Shoe and will be felt to some extent in Bellefonte. FLOWERS OF SPRING .- The mild weath-

house plants which, during the winter months, were kept alive with difficulty. Scarlet and white lilies unfold their graceful petals in many windows, while more modest, but equally beautiful blossoms, appear to be quite profuse. Conservatories connected with the residences of Gen. Jas. Thomas Reynolds and Dr. E. W. Hale. Fine and varied collections of flowers decorate the windows of Dr. Dorworth's residence, on High street, Mr. Montgomery's, on Allegheny street, and Mr. Harry Teats', on Howard. There are, doubtless, many well repaid for the trouble required in following comments of the Clearfield Re-

HOW & BASE BALLIST MAKES MONEY nastic exercises. Mr. Ward's first lessons

A GOOD HOUSEWIFE .- The good house wife, when she is giving her house its spring renovating, should bear in mind that the dear inmates of her house are more precious than many houses, and that their systems need cleansing by purifying the blood, regulating the stomach and bowels to prevent and cure the diseases arising from spring malaria and miasma, cines .- Concord N. H. Patriol. ng and amusing concerts in the school use at Shingletown, Harris township, tomorrow, (Friday) evening. The band will be assisted by Prof. Williams. As a musentertained. We hope to hear that the attendance was large. . -It is unofficially announced that the oncert by Miss Ohnmacht and her pupils. which has for some time been the engrossng theme of conversation in the musical circles of this borough, will be given during the last week of this month. Of ourse everything in the musical line with which Miss Ohnmacht is connected is so superior in excellence that the confirmation of this announcement will be looked for with impatience.

to the people of this place in the Court and Nation. The final arrangements re- instant. It is a fact patent to all students that Mr. Vosburg is a gentleman of extraordinary literary culture, and a literary taste is inherited by all the members of his during the early part of this week, and by very interesting family. We have never had the pleasure of perusing any of the special contributions to poesy of which he is the author, but have frequently heard advance in its already extended power. them lauded as very fine productions. His deep researches into the golden sea of poetry will enable him to reclaim from its depths some of the most exquisite gems to which the poet's lyre was ever tuned. While the railroad property of the B. & and will be embodied in his lecture under S. S. company is now owned by the Penn- the title, "Poetry, Illustrated by Recitasylvania railroad, the coal mines at Snow tions of Poetical Selections." Mr. Vosburg Shoe will continue to be operated under a has given considerable attention to the separate and independent company. This study of elocution, and has had previous experience as a public lecturer. He desires to practice his profession-the law-at capital into the management of the mines. Tyrone, and the object of the present lecture is to provide him with a suitable libthe mines will receive a new impetus, rary. We have no doubt the bar of this place, of which Mr. Vosburg was once a member, will willingly aid him to the extent of their power to make the lecture a success. The tickets of admission are only er of early spring and the powerful rays of 25 cents, and there will doubtless be a large the sun together conduce to revive the attendance, as we have already heard

AMONG THE POETS .- At the request of

J. H. Vosburg, Esq., we take pleasure in

calling the attention of our readers to the

several persons express their intention to be present. "BOTH SIDES OF LIFE."-A lecture on the above subject will be delivered in the Court House, of this place, next Monday evening, the 21st instant. The lady who is to deliver the lecture is Miss Anna M. A. Beaver and Mr. Abram Valentine pre- Baker, a niece of 'Squire Baker, of Howsent an attractive picture. Lilies are ard, this county. She is considered one of visible in the windows of ex-Governor the best lady orators in the country and Curtin's residence, and also those of Mr. has received the unqualified endorsement of critics wherever she has appeared. She is not a stranger to the platform, her experience as a public lecturer having been quite extensive and successful. Those who attend will hear an interesting topic discussed in a thoroughly conscientious and others of equal beauty in other portions of brilliant manner by one who has devoted the town, and those who have them are much thought to its consideration. The

publican are but the echo from a neighboring contemporary of the sentiment ex--Monte Ward will receive \$2,200 this pressed by the press in all parts of the land :

The lecture of Miss Baker, entitled "Both Sides of Life," was delivered to a highly appreciative audience in the court room, on Tuesday evening of last week. Her language was well selected and her delivery was eloquent, graceful and pleas-ing. She has none of that "stage" style ing. She has none of that "stage style which is apt to overtake and capture the lecturer of the present day; but handled her subject in a masterly manner. She combines eloquence, wit and grace to a degree seldom found in any one person. Miss Baker is the peer of any lady on the platform at the present time.

PUBLIC SALES .- D. G. KDOX, Esq., of Benner township, will sell some farming implements and stock at his residence on one 2-year old colt, five milk cows, three yearling calves and a threshing machine are the principal items enumerated in the printed bills. In addition to these there are pigs, wagons, mowers, fanning mills, bay rakes, &c. Sale to begin at 10 A. M. -On Friday, the 25th instant, Mrs.

Ellen Ryman will expose for sale at the late residence of Mr. Jacob Ryman, deceased, at Milesburg, some very desirable articles of personal furniture. Twentyfour yards of parlor and fifty yards of bedroom carpet are upon the list. There is also a cook stove, a parlor stove and that sine qua non of household convenience, a corner cupboard, together with everything that belongs to the furniture of a well-regulated household. The sale will begin at one o'clock.

-The article that appeared in the local columns of the Watchman last week, in relation to the appointment of a detective BAND CONCERT .- The Lemont Cornet for the District Attorney's office, we are Band will give one of their very entertain- reliably informed is based upon an entire misapprehension of the facts in the matter and does injustice to all the parties named by the writer. There has never been a question between the Court and the District ical organization the Lemont Band has Attorney in regard to the appointment no superior in the county, and those who and consequently "no difference of opinshall attend this concert will be excellently | ion." The District Attorney never made an appointment which the Court refused to confirm, and the Court never suggested one which the District Attorney declined to make. The simple truth is that both agreed in opinion, that in consequence of our present freedom from crime, and the consequent decline in the criminal business of our courts, such an officer as a detective, though provided for by law, was, for the time being at least, unnecessary and that it would therefore be unadvisable to make an appointment. This is the reason why no appointment has been made and not because of any disagreement about a person to fill it

## Little Goldenhair.

Goldenhair climbed on Grandpapa's knee, Dear little Goldenhair, tired was she, All the day busy as busy can be.

Up in the morning as soon as 'twas light, Out with the birds and butterflies bright, Skipping about till the coming of night. Grandpapa toyed with the curls on her head "What has my darling been doing," he said "Since she rose with the sun from her bed?"

" Pitty much." answered the sweet little one " I cannot tell so much things I have done--Played with my dolly and feeded my bun. "And then I jumped with my little jump rope And I made out of some water and soap Bootiful worlds, mamma's castles of hope.

"Then I have readed my picture book, And Belia and I, we went to look For the smooth little stones by the side of the brook,

"And then I comed home and eated my tea, And I climbed up on Grandpapa's knee, And I jes as tired as tired can be."

Lower and lower the little head pressed, Untif it had dropped upon grandpapa's breast, Dear little Goldenhair, sweet be thy rest !

We are but children; things that we do Are as sports of a bale to the infinite view, That marks all our weakness, and pities it too.

God grant that when night overshadows our way, And we shall be called to account for our day, He shall find us as guiltless as Goldenhair's lay. And 0, when aweary, may we be so blest, And sink like the innocent child to our rest, And feel ourselves clasped to the infinite bre

JURORS FOR THE APRIL COURT .--- The next term of Court for this county will begin on the fourth Monday, (28th day), of April for which the following Grand and Traverse jurors have been drawn

GRAND JURORS. eorge Kocha-Potter, ohn B. Mattern, Patton. 'm. B. Way, Half Moon. Illes Walker, Ferguson. Lartin Morrison, Bullef te. J. R. Van Ormer, Bellef te. Milliam Robinson, Bogg. Kobert Kerdail, College. William Garner, Yerguson. D. M. Kerlin, Gregg. J. Johnstonhaugh, College. College # Shoe m'l Y. Lucas, Fr TRAVERSE JURORS-FIRST WEEK Samuel Brickley, Howard James Spangler, Potter, Robert Cooke, Sr, Howard n Hoover, Union. Young, Ferguson. Weaver, Haines. Wash, Frightson, Bolger, Potter, Barnhart, Rainea, Misson, Bolger, John F. Hagen, Gregg, John F. Hagen, Gregg, John F. Hagen, Gregg, C. Kressman, Belleffue, Fat Kelly, Brow Shoe, On Ruokle, Potter, Brow Shoe, Nicolaun, Rush, Bullet, Berguson, Kastin Curtin, Boggs, Jone Edy, Walker, In S. Emerick, Miles, Perry W. Parsons, Hustoliam Ebooh, Philipely, Henry Hrow, Walker, See F. Weaver, Boggs, Juck State, Strong, State, Sta ow Shoe orge James, Woarer, Bogge orge Jameso, Grogg. Illiam Bell, Spring. F. Riddle, Spring. A. Hunter, Half Moon. B. Shaffer, Walker, vank W. Shamp, Walker, Wulbolland, Burneide, W. Gray, Patton. Murray, Huston.
John P. Williams, Worth.
A. G. Archy, Ferguson.
Peter Breon, Penn. Walker. Pe

Autor, Margar, Walker, dolbolland, Bornaide, W. Gray, Fatton, K. Gray, Fatton, TRAVERSE JUBORS.—SECOND WEEK. W. Hosterman, Haines, B. J. Herring, Gregg, th McMullen, Walker, Davin Bother, Forguso, in B Golneer, Ferguso, T. M. Barnhart, Spring, ray Theil, Curtin, Colingrich, College. with Margar M. Margar M. Morean M. Mucas, Bager Margar M. Margar M. Mucas, Bager Margar M. Margar M. Margar M. Mucas, Bager Margar M. Margar M. Mucas, Bager Margar M. Margar M. Margar M. Mucas, Bager Margar M. Mucas, Bager Margar M. Margar M. Margar M. Mucas, Bager Margar M. Mucas, Bager Margar M. Ma A. Barniari, Spring.
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Morgan M. Lucas, Bogga,
J. Fletcher, Walker,
Milliam Stans, Patton,
B. F. Keister, Milbeim,
Chingle, Bellefonte,
John S. Auman, Gregg,
C. Kingle, Bellefonte,
John S. Auman, Gregg,
C. Mingle, Bellefonte,
John S. Auman, Gregg,
C. Mingle, Bellefonte,
Davie Turser, Howard,
Hinam K., Benner,
Eward Lucas, Union,

-Spring woolens now ready. Early rders solicited. Money saved. 19-tf MONTGOMERY & Co., Tailors.

#### Philadelphia Markets.

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PEILADELPEIA, March 14, 1881. There was a firm feeling in breadstuffs and wheat is

higher. FLOATE-The flour market is without activity, though the feeling among holders is quite first, sales of 1,200 barrels, including Minnesota extense, at 4,556,515 for medium to faucy, clear, and at 566 4,556,515 for medium to faucy, clear, and at 566 to at \$5,256,515, and pateurs at \$5,156,712, Rys four is steady at \$5 per harrel Gauts-Wheat is \$4,000 bashels, rejected, at \$1,096 1.10, and car lets No. 2 red, elevator, \$117; b,000 bushels, April, at \$1.18. Rys is firm at \$1.00 for Pennsylvania. SEDM-Cloverseed is quiet and steady at 7665/4c. In timothy and flarseed nothing doing.

### Bellefonte Markets.

#### BELLEFONTE, March 17, 1881. QUOTATIONS. Red wheat..... Bye, per bushel..... Corn, shelled ... Flour, retail, per barrel... Flour, wholesale.....

Provision Market

Flovision market.	
Corrected weekly by Harper Brothers.	
Apples, dried, per pound Cherries, dried, per pound, seeded	
Beaus per quart. Fresh butter per pound	
Chickens per pound	
Cheese per pound Country hams per pound	
Hams, sugar oured	

their cultivation. DEATH RECORD .- Mr. Amos Alexander.

-The Watchman says : James Wallace in base ball were obtained at the Agricul-Duncan, Esq., formerly of Bellefonte, tural College in Centre county, where he died in Louisiana recently. Mr. Duncan has many relatives. was a lawyer by profession, the son of James Duncan, formerly of Spring Mills, and the grandson of Thomas Duncan, Sr., formerly of Millheim. He was a brother of the late John I. Duncan.

the death of one of her sisters, Mrs. Emma Warfel, of East Germantown, Indiana, who died on Wednesday, the 2d instant, only six months intervening between that and she must know that there is nothing event and the death of another sister who that will do it so perfectly and surely as resided at the same place and which was Hop Bitters, the purest and best of mediannounced in the DEMOCRAT at the time.

Should e'er I wander far from here, And dwell where spiendor glows, I'll ever hold in memory dear, The land where Spring Creek flows. Yes, friend; Spring Creek will outlast And flow in its chosen bed

said to be a lady who is much more interested in domestic matters than in social life, and it is now in order for her to buy a large invoice of fresh groceries direct from the store of Sechler & Co., to replenish the pantry of the White House. Sechler keeps the best groceries in the United States and has the largest number of customers.

-Before another issue of the DEMOCRAT the days will be growing longer than the nights and humanity will indulge in less sleep than was the case during the winter months. The longer people are awake the more they must eat, and it is a comforting thing to know that the very best place to buy groceries is at the store of Sechler & Co. This is a fact which admits of no question.

-It is said that the divine Sarah Bernhardt is to exhibit at Bradford, Pa., some night in the near future. Well, the people of Bradford spend money freely, which is an inducement to Sarah, but they do not have a grocery store equal to that of S. A. Brew & Son, in this place. In that respect Bellefonte stands without a peer, as all who have ever bought groceries of S. A. Brew & Son can testify.

-We observe that the following are among the ministerial appointments of local interest made by the Central Pennsylvania Conference of the Evangelical church, which assembled at Lock Haven last week : Nittany Hall, Revs. J. A. Irvin and A. W. Swengel; Sugar Valley, Rev. J. G. M. Swengel; Centre Hall, Rev. G. Hunter; Milesburg, Rev. J. J. Lohr. The Presiding Elder is Rev. A. L. Reeser.

and agreeable host to entertain travelers in that direction. Since he has determined to leave Bellefonte, we are glad that he will not go any further than the neighboring city of Altoona.

-Mr. George P. Bible is delighting large audiences throughout the county with his select readings. At Zion on Saturday evening and at Milesburg on Tuesday evening, his entertainments were crowned with great success.

-The latest and best evidence we have heard to prove that the Philipsburg Journal is more prosperous than its contemporaries is the fact that Mr. Webster T. Bair, an attache of that office, was married, the other day, to Miss Annie M. Elliott, of Shirleysburg. It is not often a printer can Bair the expense of committing matrimony.

-Every citizen of our county should read the interesting article on the 4th page of the DEMOCRAT entitled "Old-time No. tables." It was written by Hon. John Blair Linn, of this borough. The subject of the sketch, Andrew Gregg, was a very prominent man in the councils of the State and Nation in the days of "auld lang syne."

-If you want to enjoy yourself for thirty minutes, buy your cigars at Wilson's, in the Brockerhoff House Block.

-Why buy a poor cigar when the very best may be obtained at the same price at Green's drug store ?

-The Philadelphia Branch has a large stock of clothing suitable for this season of intelligence of any gentleman who has yet the year.

We commiserate with her in the sad he reavement.

-Dr. John Harris, United States Consul at Venice, Italy, died at that place after a lingering illness on the 21st of February, aged 88 years, 1 month and 28 His wife is also said to be in feeble days. health. Both Dr. Harris and his wife have an extensive relationship with many families in this place and in Huntingdon, to whom the sad tidings will be a source of profound sorrow. Of the many eminent virtues and talents of the deceased too much cannot be said. He had filled the position of U.S. Consul to Italy during a period of almost twelve years.

-Mr. Joseph Cannon, of Port Matilda, died on Monday morning last. He was 76 years of age and an excellent citizen. The community in which he lived and the Presbyterian church, of which he was a member, have lost a valuable and faithful friend.

-Mr. John Sourbeck is bringing an unusually large number of attractive shows to our town this season. On Saturday evening next the Berger family will give one of their fine entertainments, which always draw crowded houses, and on Wednesday evening of next week Howorths' Grand Hibernica, a comedy company of great merit, will occupy the boards. Both entertainments will be given at Reynolds' Hall.

-Why do not some of the lady teachers offer themselves as candidates for the office of county superintendent? There are at least a half dozen who are the equals in been mentioned for the position.

-The Bellefonte Jubilee Singers were very successful with their concert given in Humes' Hall, this place, last Tuesday evening, realizing about \$35. Many of the elections rendered were new and attractive, and followed by vociferous applause.

-Spring creek has been raising a few nches each day of this week, and if that storm which Vennor promises for to-day shall prove to be rain, it is quite probable that the flood will be higher than on any

previous occasion this spring. -Men and boys should purchase spring

clothing at the Philadelphia Branch. -Spring overcoats at the Philadelphia

Branch

-Mr. Chas. Glenn's photograph car, situated on Spring Creek avenue near High street, received a fresh and ornamental application of paint on Tuesday of last

-The Altoona Daily Sun has been reduced in size and price; but it gives as much news as ever, and probably pays better.

-This is the season when women take ccasion to inspect each other's housekeeping under pretence of house-hunting .- Er

-The Wednesday evening services in the Episcopal church will hereafter be held at 7) o'clock.

Bacon. Lard per pound. Eggs per doz..... viatoes per bushel 18

#### MARRIAGES.

BLAIR-SHOPE.-At the Lutheran parsonage, in Bellefonte, March 10, 1881, by Rev. S. E. Furst, John R. Biair and Miss Mary M. Shope, both of Bellefonte. Contemportation of the Statement of Bellefonte.

Centre county, HENDERSON-HOGAN,-On the 22d of February, at Lock Haven, by Rev. Nathan J. Mitchell, Mr. Wil-liam Bigler Hunderson and Miss Marshiek E. Hogan. CONFER-COUNSEL.-On the 15th of March, at Howard, by Rev. Nathan J. Mitchell, Mr. John G. Center and Miss Mary Counsel, both of Curtin.

#### DEATHS.

THOMPSON.—In Liberty township, Centre county, Pa, Pebruary 18, 1881, John Thompson departed this life, aged 72 years, 9 months and 16 days. The deceased had been a consistent member of the M. E. church for upwards of the last thirty years of his life. He died in the full hope of a glorious immor tality. He leaves a wife, six children, thirty-one grandchildren and one great-grandchild, to mourr THEIR loss which to HIM is eternal gain. Blessed are they who die in the Lord, for their orks do follow them.

A kind father and husband has left us. To join with the ransomed in heaven; And while ng sings the angelic chorus, May wE comfort OUR hearts in the pro sises giver H. THONPO

H. TRONEDS. SHARER.--In Taylor township, Centre county, Pa., of diphtheria, Federary 12, 1851, Christie M. Sharer, aged six years, son of Jerre and Maggie A. Sharer, SHARER.--In Taylor township, of diphtheria, Feb-raary 20, 1851, Johnnie O. Sharer, aged 10 months and 20 diys, son of Jerre and Maggie A. Sharer.

and 20 days, con of Jerre and Maggie A. S SHAREL—In Taylor township, of diphther ary 28, 1881, Mary L. Sharev, aged 3 year days, only danghter of Jerre and Maggie. Three little chains are empty In a peaceful, quiet home, As around the table gather The inmates one by one,

Three voices have joined the choir In the angel song above ; Three spirits bright and beautiful, Sing of redeeming love. G. M. M.