

The Centre Democrat.

Thursday Morning, January 11, 1883.

CONTENTS, containing important news, &c. &c. from any part of the county. No communication inserted unless accompanied by the real name of the writer.

Local Department.

How often have you written '82 for '83?

Uriah Moyer will be hung at Middleburg, Snyder county, Feb. 28.

Mr. E. A. Smith, who returned from Philadelphia last week is again confined to the house.

"W. W. Bierly" is the name of a new Post, G. A. R. mustered at Rebersburg, week before last.

Ministers are requested to forward to the DEMOCRAT, for publication, notices of marriages and deaths.

Mr. W. E. Burchfield, of this place, is building a store house at Philipsburg, which he expects to occupy as soon as finished.

The Coleville Union Sunday School held its holiday festival last Friday evening, and the occasion was one of much pleasure to all.

Mr. James A. Keller, writes us: There will be a meeting of the Centre County Pomona Grange at Centre Hall, Pa., Thursday, January 18, 1883.

Hon. P. Gray Meek, chief clerk of the House, and Hon. B. F. Hunter, one of the members from this county, left for Harrisburg on Monday morning.

Mr. Geo. Hoffer, of Boalsburg, father of Mrs. A. C. Mingle, of this place, last week had a stroke of palsy, paralyzing his tongue. He is not spoken since.

Messrs. J. C. Miller & Co., have our thanks for an elegant tablet. These gentlemen know how to gladden the heart of the poor printer, and will have their reward.

Mr. Charles Rodgers, of East Lamb street, was seriously injured at the mill works on Monday. He was taken home in a buggy and at last account was doing well.

The Centre Hall Reporter has put on a neat, new dress, and enlarged to eight pages. This evidence of prosperity is deserving congratulation and we most heartily tender it.

Zion boasts a healthy well-organized literary society called the Belles Lettres Society of Zion. It is composed of members who are diligent in improving their literary qualifications.

The editorial fraternity will be both to part with Mr. George Fryinger of the Lewistown Gazette. He disposed of his interest in that sheet with the beginning of the present year on account of failing eyesight.

Mr. David M. Wagner is still confined to the house, nursing that sore leg. The trouble was caused by poison contracted in Philadelphia during the removal of an ingrowing toe nail. That was six weeks ago.

The Bee Hive bulletin announces that the proprietors of that busy place are desirous of engaging a saleslady. We would suggest the editor of the News as a suitable person and vouch for her capability and honesty.

Mr. Chas. Glenn offers for sale photographs of the officials of the county and also pictures of the teachers who assembled here during the holidays. Both are good, were taken on the court house steps and are on sale at Mr. Glenn's gallery.

Miss Ida Gerberich, of this place, who is attending Lutherville Seminary, returned to the scene of her labors on Monday, refreshed by the two weeks spent at home. She will bear with her the best wishes of an admiring circle of friends.

Some one writing poetry to "Nora," and after scripping his heart all over, runs across this sentiment:

Loving not as lovers do, But as sister and brother.

Now, if Nora is smart, and understands her business, she will catch that fellow and after learning who permitted him to escape go to work and slaughter both.

The Pa. School Journal for January quotes Supt. Wolf as follows: The friends of the State College are expecting good results from President Atherton's administration; the beginning promises well, and we trust the institution may accomplish, under his direction, the end for which it was established.

Rev. Hewitt, rector of the Episcopal church, met the balance of a committee of pastors and laymen of his church in Reading, this week, to take action in reference to the erection of a new diocese. Mr. Hewitt's eminent fitness for labors of this nature renders him all the more valuable as an active, zealous worker in the cause of the church.

James Wian, fifteen years of age, who resides with his father, Mr. Peter Wian, on Gen. Beaver's farm, a short distance east of town, lost his right leg week before last. The trouble was a sort of blood poisoning which commenced in his foot and kept gradually ascending until amputation was considered necessary as a means of saving his life.

The Methodist Sunday school last Sabbath elected the following officers to serve during the coming year: Superintendent, S. D. Gray; asst. Supts., W. I. Fleming and J. G. Love; secretary, J. I. McClure; treasurer, D. M. Leib; librarian, Edgar S. Swartz, asst. librarians, H. H. Schroyer and D. M. Leib; organists, Nellie Kline and Jos. Shrom.

Investments Without Parallel.

To business men the following from the New York Times, of Dec. 31, will be especially interesting: Probably no corporation or private estate in this country can equal the prime standard of investment shown by the "Brooklyn Life Insurance Company" in the fact that on the closing day of the year 1882 not one dollar of due interest remained unpaid. With nearly two hundred mortgage loans, aggregating nearly three-quarters of a million dollars invested, all the interest due was paid; not one loan or security is in arrears. For further particulars inquire of R. M. Magee, Esq., the agent at this place.

Howorth's Double show opened at the City Hall last night to a good house. The scenery is fresh and bright and the views of the leading cities and landscapes in Ireland exceedingly good, and admirably described by their pleasing lecturer. In addition to their panoramas, there is an excellent olio performance of singing and dancing, with instrumental accompaniment. The show is one well worthy of patronage. There is lots of fun of a bright and sparkling kind without the least shadow of coarseness. This afternoon there will be a matinee, and to-night the company appear for the last time with an entire change of programme. Those who attend will be sure to be well pleased. Hamilton Times, Ontario, May 21, 1880.

HARVARD COLLEGE.—At a recent meeting of the overseers of Harvard College, a discussion was held upon a resolution which had been before the board for several weeks, that in the opinion of this board, the statutes making attendance on morning prayers and other religious exercises compulsory should be repealed. The board, by a strong vote, refused to adopt the resolution. But Mr. GEORGE SHIFFER, lately from Martinsburg, Blair county, Pa., who had a Cancerous growth on his nose, and who was advised the use of Peruca before a visit to a Cancer Hospital, was allowed to take that par-excellent remedy, and by its use for a very short time, was cured completely—page 24 in the "Life of Life"—get one from your Druggist.

MILLSBURG AND CENTRAL CITY NEWS.—Mr. James Lucas has returned from Florida after an absence of about a month. He has had a siege of chills and fever, otherwise he is the same as of yore.

Mr. Pennybaker, switch tender here, has removed to Philipsburg where he has taken charge of the station. We congratulate him upon being so fortunate as to secure so good a situation. Mr. Pat Martin is doing duty in Mr. P.'s place for the present.

We believe it is Mr. Kohlbrocker's intention to enlarge his hotel. Business is booming with him.

The axe factory has been taking a rest, so to speak, but will be running again in a few days.

The Milesburg brass band seems to be fulfilling the expectations. They render quite a number of pieces very beautifully indeed.

The residence of Mr. Alfred Green was the scene of a gay and festive occasion Tuesday evening, 24 inst. Miss Carrie, a very amiable and excellent young lady, and until this term a teacher in the schools here, was joined in holy matrimony to Mr. Will. Favor, of Kansas. They will in a short time start for their far western home attended by the heartfelt good wishes and congratulations of all of the many friends of Miss Carrie.

Mr. Mitchell, our postmaster, has been unwell for a few days but we are glad to see him back again distributing the mail.

DICK.

AN IMMENSE PARSNIP.—Many years ago a well, that had been depended upon to supply water for irrigating a kitchen garden, near a populous town in county Cork, Ireland, fell into disuse and water was conveyed through pipes from a neighboring mountain.

The well was gradually filled up with waste and refuse and its location almost forgotten, until a vegetable of unusual proportions forced its way to the notice of inhabitants of the outer world. Examination revealed the dimensions and character of this wonderful formation which proved to be a parsnip, in thickness the diameter of the well—three and a half feet—and in length, the depth of the well, one hundred and fifty feet.

It was dragged to the public square of the town and there for years challenged the attention and admiration of the people. It finally became hollow, and boys and girls played "hide and seek" within its ample recesses, until an enterprising wearer of the green put it to practical use by having it lined with sheet iron and setting it up as a flue or chimney, in which position it serves him to this day.

Vegetarians and others interested are referred to Mr. Peter M'Mahon, who can give full particulars and convince the most skeptical.

Of the many beautiful and appropriate Christmas presents brought to our notice no one is better calculated to convey the "compliments of the season" than that of Miss Lizzie Forster to her father, Maj. R. H. Forster, late of the DEMOCRAT. It is a crayon portrait of that gentleman executed in fine style by the lady herself and remarkable for its resemblance to the original.

We continue the publication of an interesting serial by that popular writer, Thos. J. Dunkle, Sheriff,

The Lycopomg.

Lycopomg Fire Insurance Company, use of J. A. Beeber, Receiver, vs. Rt. Rev. J. F. Shanahan.

The above stated case is one of considerable importance to the public, and we have therefore gone to some trouble to get a short history of it, and the questions of law involved in its adjudication.

As the caption shows the Lycopomg Fire Insurance company, by virtue of its charter powers, entered judgment in the above case against the Rt. Rev. J. F. Shanahan, who is Bishop of the Catholic church of the Harrisburg Diocese. The policy of insurance was taken out in his name upon the St. John's Catholic church, of Bellefonte, January, A. D. 1876.

When the company entered the above judgment it also issued an execution and levied upon the St. John's Catholic church, of Bellefonte, and had the property advertised for sheriff's sale. Rev. P. M'Archie, the Priest in charge of said church, feeling that the assessments made by the company were very oppressive, and as he believed illegal, called upon J. G. Love, Esq., and consulted him relative to the case. Upon examination of the case, Mr. Love advised the institution of proceedings to resist the collection of the assessments upon the part of the company.

A petition was presented, alleging that the assessments were excessive and illegal, whereupon a rule was granted upon the company to show cause why the execution should not be set aside at the cost of the company, the judgment opened and a defendant let into a defense. Said rule has been pending in court for about one year, and was argued last week at an argument court held by his Honor, Judge Mayer. Messrs. Alexander & Bower were also consulted during the progress of the litigation, in connection with Mr. Love. Owing to the absence of Mr. Alexander the case was argued by Mr. Love for the defendant; Mr. Hoy appeared for the company.

Defendant's counsel argued from the report of the officers of the company to the State Commissioners of Insurance that to warrant the extraordinary assessments made in May, 1880, it became necessary for the company to show that it had sustained an actual loss by fire from January 1, 1880, to May 28, 1880, of about \$625,000 whereas they only showed a loss sustained of about \$237,000, leaving almost \$400,000 of debt that they were making assessments to liquidate, for which the company failed to account.

The counsel for defendant claimed that this raised a question of fact, that should be submitted to a jury, and that the judgment should be opened.

It was also claimed by the defense that the statement of 1880, made by the company, showed it had during the year paid out over \$67,000 to refund unearned premiums on cash policies, which the company has no right to assess mutual policy holders to pay. It was claimed, too, by the defense that their premium notes had been assessed and paid a due proportion of all legitimate losses and expenses incurred during the life-time of its policy.

The Williamsport Gazette & Bulletin published, Dec. 14, '82, an opinion filed by Judge Cummin, in the case of the National Bank of Malone N. Y., vs. the Lycopomg Fire Insurance Company, with notice to Ralph Elliot, et al., garnishees.

We take from the alleged excessive and fraudulent assessments:

VII. The garnishee claimed on the trial that the assessments, Nos. 39 and 40, were excessive or were made through fraud or mistake, and in support of this view offered a statement hereto attached marked exhibit 2. This statement is based in part on a report made by the president and secretary of the insurance company purporting to show the condition of the company on the 31st day of December, 1879, which had been filed with the insurance commission at Harrisburg and was offered in evidence. I am of opinion that this report is not evidence in this case, for several reasons: First, it was made while garnishee was a member of the company, and long after he became a member. Second, it was made by the president and secretary, who were the agents of all the members. Third, it does not show the condition of the company at or near the time when the assessments complained of were made. Fourth, no assessments were based on this report. Fifth, the official action of the directors, whose duty it was to make the assessments, cannot be invalidated by the declarations of the president and secretary. But even if this report is received as evidence in this case, exhibit 2 is clearly wrong and is not supported by the evidence. On the assets side of the exhibit the figures for 1879 are taken from the report above spoken of. The figures for 1880 are not to be found in any evidence offered in the case. Again, while the alleged assets are taken from receipts from and after January 1, 1879, the liabilities are computed only from May 1, 1879, thus omitting four months of losses and expenses.

VIII. After a careful examination of this case and of the books of the company, I am of opinion, under all the evidence, that the assessments complained of are not excessive, and that there was no fraud or mistake in the making of the same, and that the garnishee is justly indebted as follows: Assessments Nos. 39 and 40, at \$300,000.....\$ 60 00 Interest from June 28, 1880, to this date..... 5 76 Receiver's assessment..... 36 24 Interest from January 12, 1882, to this date..... 1 95 Total.....\$ 103 95

I. It is therefore ordered and adjudged that the plaintiff, the National Bank of Malone, have execution of \$106 95 of the debt due by the garnishee, Ralph Elliot, to the defendant, the Lycopomg Fire Insurance Company, and attached in his hands with interest and cost; and if the

said garnishee refuse or neglect, on demand by the sheriff, to pay the same, then the same to be levied of the said garnishee's goods and lands, according to law, as in case of a judgment against him for his proper debt; and upon payment, that the garnishee be thereupon discharged as against the defendant of the same so attached and paid. By the court, HUGH H. CUMMINS, President Judge.

Of Howorth's Hibernica, which will show in this place on the 23d instant, a Kentucky paper says: The unanimous verdict of the large audience that was entertained by this company last night was that it was a very superior combination, one that combines more instruction with the greatest amount of innocent fun than any that has ever visited us. A pleasing comedy runs through the whole performance, which is ever and anon enlivened by acts of specialty men and women of a very high order of talent. The whole company are hard to beat, and to those who love fun we unequivocally recommend Howorth's Hibernica. A big feature of the entertainment is sixty panoramic views of noted places in Ireland, very cleverly explained. Each picture is the work of an accomplished artist and this part is alone worth many times the price of admission. We hope Mr. Howorth will find it convenient to visit us again, when we promise him an audience that will put standing room at a premium.—Semi-Weekly Interior Journal, Stanford, Ky.

"Ino" writes us from Howard that the citizens of that place have organized the "Howard Band Association." At a meeting held last Thursday evening Mr. Abe Weber was chosen president pro tem and Mr. M. I. Gardner, secretary pro tem. An election of officers resulted in the choice of Balser Weber, Esq., president, Bernard Lauth, Esq., vice president, John A. Woodward, Esq., secretary and Mr. H. A. Moore, treasurer. H. A. Moore was also chosen treasurer of the band, A. A. Schenck, secretary, B. Poulson, leader and H. W. Brickley assistant leader. It was decided that the band should be called the Howard Cornet Band. We expect soon to have it second to none in the county, as we have the talent.—There is some talk of bringing water to town and before long we expect to see hydrants spring up all along the sidewalks.—The ironworks of B. Lauth, which were shut down for repairs, have again resumed operations.

The executive committee of the Centre County Sabbath School Association met at the office of S. D. Ray Esq. the secretary on Tuesday last.

The object of the meeting was to award the J. Willard Miller prize of five dollars for the best essay on the subject of temperance by any sabbath school scholar of Centre county, under the age of sixteen.

Because of the very limited number of essays that had been received, it was decided to extend the time until the first of next July.

In the mean time the committee will be glad to receive a large number of essays from competitors for this prize. It was also decided to hold several local or district conventions in different parts of the county soon.

The committee advised to meet at the same place at 10 o'clock A. M. on Tuesday February 6th.

Two young men, living at the Forge, John Dry and David Tate, each aged about seventeen years, took about \$13. from the cash drawer at Valentines' store last Saturday evening. Before they left the room, the theft was discovered and upon being charged with its commission promptly handed the amount over. On Monday they went to Tyrone and were brought back to town on Tuesday. We have not heard that any legal proceedings have been instituted.

Mr. John W. Stam, formerly of Millheim, this county, who last summer went to Wisconsin, was married on the 24th ult. to Miss Ella Walsingham, of Maiden Rock, Wis. Mr. Stam has purchased the entire business interest of a prosperous, paying mercantile establishment, and in order to insure his happiness has ordered the DEMOCRAT, and paid for it. Many Centre county friends wish him a long life of continued prosperity.

An important change is being made in one of our leading mercantile firms, Messrs. Pearson, of Williamsport, Seiberling, of Jersey Shore, and Murphy, of Renovo, have purchased a large interest in Valentines & Co.'s store. The new firm will trade under the name of Valentines & Co.'s Store, limited. We bespeak for the gentlemen a hearty welcome, and equitable share of the patronage of the public.

Mr. Daniel Ramey, of Reedsville, Millin county, who has for some time been engaged in lumbering near Stormstown, this county, met with a sad accident last week. His horse ran off, throwing the unfortunate man out of his sleigh, the result of which was to break his leg near the thigh. Surely a narrow escape.

Mr. Finley E. Johnston, eldest son of Post Master Johnston, left for Grand Rapids, Mich., yesterday, "Fin" for over a year, made Lock Haven his home and while there learned painting. In his new home he expects to receive good pay and secure a permanent job. Success.

Prof. W. H. Jordan will lecture in Y. M. C. Association hall on Thursday evening, the 18th on "Foods."

"Dr." Geo. S. Dare, returned from Philadelphia on Monday. He had been absent more than a week.

B. K. Focht has bought the Lewisburg News and is now its editor and proprietor. The first number issued by him promises well.

Isaac Lose, Jr., is convalescing. For a couple of weeks he was the victim of serious illness that confined him to his room.

The second son of Abram Thomas, of Boggs township, aged about 10 years, was kicked in the face by a horse last Sunday and very badly hurt.

Graveyard insurance continues to encounter legal opposition. The Fidelity, of Elizabethtown, Lancaster county, has just been called to account.

A little son of Dr. J. F. Alexander, of Centre Hall, was taken to Millheim by relatives, while there was attacked by croup and died last Friday.

Next week's DEMOCRAT will contain a sermon preached by Rev. W. O. Wright, of Milesburg, Dec. 24, 1882, per request of Geo. L. Potter Post, No. 261, G. A. R.

The other evening a Thomas street young man asked his girl why a hen is immortal, and then wondered why she did not laugh when told that it is because her son never sets.

We know of no one who is of more practical use at a church festival than J. L. Spangler, Esq. He is always determined to take the cake, let it cost what it may. Say, Jack?

We had the pleasure of a short chat with Mr. W. H. Noll, Jr., of Pleasant Gap, on Saturday. Mr. Noll is the senior member of a new mercantile firm at that place and reports business good.

Centre Hall has a church for each 100 inhabitants, and 33 widows. The latter, the Reporter claims "are all nice and nicely fixed for one who has not got where to lay his head." No, thank you.

The Republican learns that hair albums are to take the place of autograph albums. We want a bunch of the roses, hirsute covering of the editor of that paper to adorn the first page of our.

Our friend Mr. Miles Walker, while in Harrisburg, some days ago, stepped off a railroad track, to avoid an approaching chugging engine, and found himself in water up to his neck. He was in the canal.

Mr. Edward C. Krumrine, of Lewisburg, formerly of Spring Mills, called to see us on Tuesday. Mr. Krumrine is dealing largely in grain, in connection with Messrs. Smith Bros., and reports business good.

Mr. David Moore has resigned his position as manager for the Messrs. Valentines and become a member of the firm, Fox, Moore & Co., successors to Fox, Cope & Co., wholesale grocers, 2nd and Arch streets, Philadelphia.

The county auditors are hard at work. They expect to have their report finished soon, and intimate in advance that everything is all right. It could not well be otherwise, for our county officials are men of honor, as Democrats should be.

Adam Hoy, Esq., is just too funny for any use. The other day he wanted to know why more corn grew in crooked rows than straight ones; and then chuckled all over because no one knew that there are more crooked rows than any other kind.

At the late session of the county institute, Mr. Chas. W. Scott, agent for Ivison, Blackman, Taylor & Co., offered three dictionaries to the successful competitors in an "adding contest." Mr. E. C. Emerick, Miss Ada Yearick and Miss Mary Kline were the winners.

The Pennsylvania railroad company, with its usual regard for the comfort of its employees, has added hospital cars to its already perfect complement. This addition will be a source of comfort to many unfortunate ones who may be hurt while discharging the duties falling to their lot.

We earnestly request our agricultural friends, and others, to read the advertisement in another column "Farmer's Institute," a course of free lectures to be delivered at the State College, beginning Jan. 30, and ending Feb. 9. This appears to us the most direct and effective means whereby our farmers and their interests can draw from the institution located in our midst the benefits intended by its founders to redound to those engaged in tilling the soil. For full particulars see advertisement.

If any ordinance on the Borough statute books compels property owners to keep sidewalks clear of snow, we say enforce it. If any ordinance prohibits children coasting on the pavements, we say enforce it. If no such action has at anytime been taken by our council, we say take it, at once, and put a stop to these intolerable nuisances in time to prevent a defence in suits brought to recover damages, by persons who have either fallen or been knocked down and seriously injured.

Mr. R. A. Beck, our fashionable barber, hurried to Philadelphia and back this week.

The Sunday edition of the Philada. Press is one the most readable and entertaining papers received at this office.

Our stock of Woollens is now complete. Clothing made to order cheaper than ever. MONTGOMERY & Co., Tailors

The Diamond Dyes always do more than they claim to do. Color over that old dress. It will look like new. Only 10 cents.

Wilson, McFarlane & Co., call attention to the only reliable Ready Mixed Paint in the market. The Pioneer Prepared Paint is not only superior to any Ready Mixed Paint sold but rivals pure white lead in its smoothness in working and durability. This paint is guaranteed by the manufacturers not to crack or peel within three years. The guarantee is not only good for replacing the paint but it will be put on if it should crack or peel within the time specified. It will be to your interest to call and see Wilson, McFarlane & Co., before purchasing either white lead or any other Ready Mixed Paint.

WALNUT LEAF HAIR RESTORER.—It is entirely different from all others. It is as clear as water, and, as its name indicates, is a perfect Vegetable Hair Restorer. It will immediately free the head from the dandruff, restore gray hair to its natural color, and produce a new growth where it has fallen off. It does not in any manner affect the health, which Sulphur, Sugar of lead, and Nitrate of Silver preparations have done. It will change light or faded hair in a few days to a beautiful glossy brown. Ask your druggist for it. Each bottle is warranted. Smith, Kline & Co., Wholesale Agents, Philadelphia, and Hall & Ruckel, New York. 4-ly

MARRIAGES.

STAM.—WALSHINGHAM.—At the residence of the bride's mother, December 24th, 1882, Rev. H. M. John W. Stam of Maiden Rock, lately of Millsburg, and Miss Ella L. Walsingham of Maiden Rock, Pa., were united in matrimony.

DICKSON.—ORMER.—Dec. 26, 1882, at the St. Elmo House, First Grade, Mills, by Rev. J. A. Riser, Wm. A. Dickson and Miss Anna M. Ormer, both of Huntingdon county, Pa.

TEMPLETON.—COLE.—Dec. 28, 1882, at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. Wm. Templeton, of Blair county, and Miss Barbara Cole, of Coleville, Centre county, Pa.

DEATHS.

WEIR.—January 8, 1883, at her home in Warriors' neck, Huntingdon Co., Pa., Mrs. Mary S. Weir, wife of R. C. Weir, of consumption, aged nearly 90 years.

Bellefonte Grain Market.

Table with 2 columns: Commodity and Price. Includes items like Wheat, Corn, Oats, etc.

Provision Market.

Table with 2 columns: Commodity and Price. Includes items like Apples, Cherries, Beans, etc.

New Advertisements.

Application for License.

NOTICE is hereby given that the following named persons have filed their petitions for license in the office of the clerk of General Quarter Session of the County of Centre, Pa., and that application will be made to the next session of said court to grant the same. W. E. Mueser, Tavern, Millsheim. A. Miller, do Liberty twp. J. I. DeLong, do do. F. R. Stover, do do. H. H. Kram, do do. A. K. Graham, Saloon, do. John William Stein, do Philipsburg borough. John Francis, do do. William Parker, Tavern, do. Robert Taylor, do do. James Redding, Saloon, Snow Shoe Twp. J. C. B. RPER, Prothonotary.

FARMERS' INSTITUT

A FREE LECTURE COURSE FARM TOPICS.

A course of lectures will be delivered at the Pennsylvania State College, beginning

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and ending FRIDAY AFTERNOON OR EVENING, FEBRUARY 9. The lectures will embrace a wide range of subjects, of special importance to agriculturists, and opportunity will be given, as far as time will permit, for questions and discussions in connection with them. They will be open to all, free of charge, and all interested are cordially invited to attend.

A few rooms in the College can be supplied at a charge of \$3.00 for each room, this charge including rent, fuel, and use of such furniture as is furnished to students, viz: bedstead, mattress, table, washstand and chairs. Other articles, such as light, bedding, towels, &c., will need to be furnished by the occupants for themselves.

Table board can be had at the hotel or with private families in the village, the usual charge by the latter being \$3.00 per week. A few by early application, can procure board in the College Club, at their usual rate of about \$2.00 a week. Persons attending the lectures will have opportunity to attend recitations and other college exercises, thus acquiring it involves with the character of the instruction, and the facilities here offered for obtaining a liberal and practical education.

The Lectures will treat of a variety of important and interesting subjects, as follows: 1. By PRESIDENT ATHERTON, Two Lectures: Industrial Education, and Political Economy for Farmers. 2. By PROF. MCKER, One Lecture: Book-Keeping for Farmers. 3. By PROF. JORDAN, Five Lectures: Agricultural Chemistry, 4. Fertilizers, 5. Stock Raising, 6. Cattle-Feeding, 7. Dairying, 8. 4. By PROF. BUCKEY, Eight Lectures: Botany, 3; Fruit Growing, 3; Vegetable Gardening, 1; Entomology, 1. 5. By PROF. OSWEN, Three Lectures: Farm Mechanism, 2; Meteorology, 1. 6. By PROF. BARNARD, One Lecture: Roads; Their Construction, Maintenance, and Deviation. 7. By PROF. EWING, One Lecture: The Anatomy of the Domesticated Animals. 8. By PROF. BELL, Two Lectures: Drinkable Waters, and Adulteration of Foods.

Persons proposing to attend the course will promote their convenience and ours, by notifying us in advance. Communications on this subject may be addressed to Prof. McKee, State College, Centre Co., Pa.

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