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AN IMPROVED TELEPHONE SERVICE

Will Soon be Installed in Bellefonte Exchange.

HAD A SUBSTANTIAL GROWTH

New System Will be Installed at Once—Embraces All Modern Conveniences—Underground Cables Through Bellefonte.

It will not be many months until Bellefonte will be in touch with the outside world with a new and improved telephone system. Ten years ago the Commercial Telephone Company started a plant in Bellefonte in opposition to the Bell Telephone, which at that time was considered an unwise undertaking. They put a switch board in for the accommodation of 100 phones, which was considered sufficiently large to accommodate all demands that might be made upon it. It was not long in operation until it became evident that the plant was entirely too small, and from time to time it has been remodeled, so that today there are over 400 phones on the board. Several years ago the Commercial Telephone Company, which had but limited service, sold out to what has since become the American Union Telephone Company which is now a strong competitor of the Bell Telephone Company. No attempt has been made to modernize the local exchange until now when a large amount of money will be spent here within the next three months that will give Bellefonte the best equipment of the kind to be found anywhere, even in larger cities.

Henry Lewis, district foreman of construction for the company, with headquarters in Williamsport, is here making plans and specifications for the new plant which will be known as the common battery or central energy system. That is, there will be no batteries in the various phones, but the power will be all centralized at the exchange. There will be one, two and four phones on one line, and yet every phone will be strictly independent and private. Instead of the patrons ringing up the exchange all that will be necessary will be to pick up the receiver and immediately a little electric light flashes on the board at the exchange and the call is answered by the operator. This, of course, makes less work for the operator, and produces quicker responses, and patrons, therefore, will not have so many sins to answer for at the day of judgment.

The wires will all be changed through the town. All the iron wires will be taken down and replaced with copper wire. Most of the wires will be placed in cables, and from Bishop to Howard streets they will be put under ground which is something new in towns the size of Bellefonte. The new switch board will accommodate twelve to fifteen hundred telephones, which is about five times the number on the board today. This is outside the farmers' and trunk lines. Mr. Lewis will be assisted in remodeling the plant, by Witmer Smith who has been with the company since its organization as a private corporation. He has now charge of the local exchange and is very accommodating to the patrons. As already intimated it will take three months to complete the job, giving employment to quite a large number of men.

Dogs Drove Deer.

Martin L. Teichman and Daniel S. Teichman, of near Laurelton, were arrested on March 5 by Game Warden Joseph Berrier, of Harrisburg, for permitting their dogs to run deer. They were fined each \$25, and their dogs killed, one a Gordon setter and one a hound. The Teichmans were not with the dogs at the time when the deer were chased by their dogs, or the fine was levied. Mr. Berrier killed the dogs and sent the ears to Dr. Kalbfus, secretary of the game commission. One party was a witness to the fact says their dogs chased no less than fourteen deer at different times into Penns creek since the hunting season closed.

An Act of Kindness.

John H. Miller, of Muncy, the man who found the body of Mrs. Swope in the river near that place, was called to Lock Haven to receive the reward offered by the Citizens' Reward Organization. The one hundred dollars was promptly paid to the finder by the treasurer of the organization, but when Mr. Swope, the husband, came forward to pay the same amount, which was offered by the family, Mr. Miller refused to accept it, stating to the donor that the sad death of his wife had been the cause of too great sorrow for him to accept the reward.

Can't Scare Berry Out.

The liquor men have been making efforts to induce State Treasurer William H. Berry to withdraw as a candidate for State Assembly on the Democratic ticket, and are endeavoring to make him believe that he would be a strong candidate for Congress. The clergymen, however, have informed Mr. Berry that the liquor men are handing him a gold brick, and it is said that the State Treasurer will not drop out of the race for the State Legislature.

Forced to Crawl Half Mile.

While returning from a visit to a sick friend, Elizabeth Shook, of Cogan Station, Lycoming county, slipped on the ice, fell and broke her leg in two places below the knee. It was on a county road, a mile from the nearest residence, which was her own house. Miss Shook had crawled on her hands and knees over half the distance before a passer-by found her. She was in a condition of utter collapse.

—Old Ladies shoes \$1. Yeagers shoe store.

THE ELECTRIC LINE BURSTS.

Goes into Hands of Receiver and ends Another's Dreams.

The Chicago New York Electric Air Line Railway, scheduled to cross Centre county from Sandy Ridge to Paddy Mountain tunnel, thence follow the course of Penns creek to near New Berlin, Selingsgrove and Sunbury, which was so extensively advertised a year or so ago, and into which some 15,000 credulous stockholders were drawn, and \$1,000,000 or more subscribed, has gone into the hands of a receiver in New York, on charges of misrepresentation and use of mails for fraudulent purposes. It was to be an air line between New York, and Chicago, crossing the Susquehanna near Selingsgrove. Mountains were to be tunneled, streams and ravines bridged, and towns in the way cut through, and electricity was to be the motive power. Surveys were made through this section and the scheme looked great on paper.

Miller's Store Robbed.

During the past month there has been considerable stealing and looting going on in Bellefonte and vicinity. Among the places entered was an express car standing at the station of the Central Railroad of Pennsylvania when quite a number of articles were taken. Then the club house, on Spring street was broken into and raided. On Sunday night burglars broke into W. H. Miller's hardware and gun store, on High street. They pried open a window in the rear of the building and going to the front of the store they helped themselves. Among the things stolen were three revolvers, one of them a large army revolver and two smaller ones. The intruder also took about three dollars in change which he found in the till.

Tuesday Henry Gordon, Joseph Conroy, "Billy" Walls and Frank Thomas were arrested by Officer Wm. Beezer, charged with being implicated in the Miller robbery. It is stated that one of the revolvers was thrown into the dam at McCoy's works and another was traced to Julian. It is also claimed that dynamite was found on some of the boys showing that they were desperadoes and were primed for business.

The Blacklisted Men.

A number of the hotel keepers of Williamsport have inaugurated a new rule to govern the sale of liquor over their bars, and if rigidly enforced by the bartenders, will work a large amount of good. The hotel men have prepared a list of names of men known to them to be of intemperate habits and others whose presence is undesirable about a hotel. This list of names is kept behind the bar and the bartenders are instructed to not allow the men in the bar room. As new names are found and placed on list, the other hotel keepers are notified and the names also placed on their lists. There are now a number of names on all the lists in the city, and these men cannot get liquor served to them over any of the bars. The hotel proprietors will keep this rule up until all the undesirable patrons are known to all the bartenders. One man when refused liquor at a bar recently hunted up the proprietor and demanded the reason. He was told to leave the place and never ask to be served over that bar again. The hotel adjoining was told of the occurrence and he was also placed on that list.

Mr. Browne Accepts Call.

Rev. George Israel Browne made formal announcement at Sunday services at St. Paul's Protestant Episcopal church, at Harrisburg, that he has accepted the call to be rector of St. John's church, Lancaster, to become effective May 1. The vestry of St. Paul's held a meeting after evening prayer last evening and accepted Rev. Mr. Browne's resignation with regret. The call for Mr. Browne to go to Lancaster was unanimous by the vestry of St. John's. He will succeed Rev. Dr. William Francis Shero who has been in Lancaster for twelve years, but who resigned to become warden of Racine College Wisconsin. Rev. Browne has been rector of St. Paul's for about two years, having taken charge on Ash Wednesday, in February, 1906. Before coming to St. Paul's he was rector of St. John's church Bellefonte. Rev. Mr. Browne expects to assume charge formally at St. John's the first Sunday of May.

Concert for Hospital Benefit.

The Ladies Auxiliary to the Hospital board has arranged for a concert to be given in the court house on Wednesday, April 23 for the benefit of the Hospital fund. Miss Buchanan of Philadelphia, who has sung in grand opera at the Academy of Music, will be heard in a programme of French, German and English songs, accompanied by Miss Rebecca Lyon, who will play several selections. All Bellefonte music lovers should be glad of this opportunity to hear some really good music and incidentally to help a good cause. Tickets, which will be sold for 50 cents, on sale at Ceder's bakery.

County Aids Monument Fund.

The Clinton county commissioners have contributed \$5000 of the county's funds toward the erection of a soldier's and sailor's monument in Lock Haven. The committee appointed by the G. A. R. post has guaranteed to raise a like amount, and David Salmon, chairman of the committee, has pledged his personal check for \$3000, so that there need be no unnecessary delay in beginning the work.

Presses Button And He Dies.

Going into the cellar of Mrs. Ella Brant's home Altoona, with a bulb of an electric light socket Thursday evening, Dick Marks, aged 16, of Versailles, Pa., who is visiting there, told Mrs. Brant to turn on the current when he made the connection. She pressed the button, heard a scream from the cellar and when she reached Marks' side he was dead, having been electrocuted.

Some men labor under the delusion that the cork in a bottle is merely to be pulled out.

—Men's \$1.75 working shoes \$1.19. Yeagers shoe store.

CANDIDATES AFTER NOMINATIONS

List That Was Filed by Saturday Evening.

PRIMARIES ON APRIL 11TH

There Will be Some Lively Contests on Hand—Primaries for Democrats and Republicans held on Same Day at Same Place.

Entries for the race at the primaries on April 11th, have closed and the contest is on in Centre county. The time limit for the filing petitions for the county offices and the National and State delegates ended on Saturday which resulted in a general scramble to get under the wire at the commissioners' office. James Corl, the commissioners' clerk, was busy until late in the evening getting things in shape so that none who were entitled to be on the ticket should get left. Never in the history of the county were there so many candidates for the various offices and thus there are bound to be some disappointments. Every candidate you meet, however, will assure you that he is a winner and the other fellow is the man who will get left. Those who filed their petitions are as follows:

REPUBLICAN.

Delegates to the National Convention—Harry Boulton, Lewis E. Emery, Jr., and W. Fred Reynolds. Alternates to the National Convention—David Howells and George Patton. Delegates to the State Convention—Edmund Blanchard, George F. Dunkle and Edward Sellers. County Chairman—Harry Keller. Member of Congress from the 21st District—Charles F. Barclay. Representative in General Assembly—William Foster, of State College; Charles F. Fisher, of Boalsburg; Theodore P. Rynder, of Milesburg; and Robert B. Taylor, of Bellefonte.

High Sheriff—William E. Hurley, of Philipsburg. Co. Treasurer—Reuben T. Comley, of Union township; George Fink, of Huston township; and Samuel H. Diehl, of C. C. Woollever, of Montoursville, at whose home he died, and Mrs. W. F. Wright, of Virginia; also the following brothers and sisters: John and William, of Howard; Philip, Pittsburg; George of Union township; Mrs. George Shillings and Miss Lizzie Loder, of Bellefonte. The funeral was held at two o'clock on Tuesday afternoon.

WILLIAM STITZER—died Wednesday morning at 3 o'clock from a complication of diseases from which he was a sufferer for quite a while. Tuesday last week his sister, Mrs. Elizabeth Shaffer, died at Parvin, Clinton county, so that there was only a little over one week between the sister and brother. He was 77 years of age, and for a long time had been a highly respected citizen of that place. He belonged to the Lutheran church. He is survived by a wife and the following children: Mrs. Claud Moore, of Howard; Mrs. Annie Wolf, of Williamsburg; Mrs. Mason and two daughters who married brothers by the name of Berry, all of whom reside in Lock Haven. Mrs. Steele C. Hunter, of Bellefonte, is a sister, and the only survivor of a large family of children. The funeral took place Saturday.

DEMOCRATS.

Delegate to the National Convention—James Kerr, Frank E. Nagney and Newton B. Spangler. Alternates to the National Convention—T. E. Costella and George C. Fagnan. Delegates to the state convention—James Cornely, of Bellefonte; Frank W. Grebe, of Philipsburg; D. J. Kelley, of Bellefonte; and W. Gross Mingle, of Center Hill. Member of Congress—W. Harrison Walker. Representative in General Assembly—Robert M. Foster, of State College; J. Calvin Meyer and John Noll, of Bellefonte; and Jacob Swires of Philipsburg.

High Sheriff—F. P. Smith, of Philipsburg; and Jared G. Shook, of Millheim. County Treasurer—William J. Carlin, of Rebersburg; John D. Miller, of Walker township; and Hammon Schler, of Bellefonte. Recorder of Deeds—Thomas Howley, of Bellefonte, and F. P. Musser, of Millheim. County Commissioners—John Dunlap, of Bellefonte, and C. A. Weaver, of Penn township. County Auditors—John W. Beck, of Howard and John L. Cole, of Walker township. Coroner—Dr. Philip S. Fisher, of Zion.

Clean Up For Health.

In many of the yards, alleys, passages and cellars of town there are rubbish heaps and filth, that are not only unsightly, but detrimental to the general health disease breeding. The season of the year is here when orders arise from this cause and bring fevers, diphtheria and other troubles that might otherwise be avoided, saying nothing of doctor bills. We have, like all towns, a health board and it is the special duty of its members to see that no such dangerous nuisances are carried over into the summer. Clean up! Let the proper officials make a round of inspection and demand, peremptorily, that a cleaning up be had. Will the health board, or the town council look this all-important matter up?

Those "Fingerling" Trout.

The "fingerling" trout received, last week from the Bellefonte hatchery proved to be "pinheads." Forty-two cans were received for distribution in the several streams in this vicinity, and were deposited in Black Bear Run, Cold Stream and Six Mile Run. We think it is a great mistake to send out trout so small as these proved to be, and unquestionably accounts for the fact that the streams show little results from constant stocking.

The above is from the Philipsburg Journal, and the Democrat has often expressed the same opinion, and so have fishermen generally.

Are You Moving?

If you are moving and will change your post office address by April please notify this office at once if you want your paper to come without any interruption. Be sure to give your old address as well as your new one.

RECENT DEATHS

GEORGE M. BRISHIN—one of the oldest lumber and coal operators in the Clearfield region, died at his home in Clearfield, Pa., on Wednesday 13, in the 82nd year of his age. He was a grandson of Capt. John Brishin, who served in the Colonial and Revolutionary army. Deceased is survived by his wife and one daughter.

MRS. MARY LAW—widow of George B. Law, of Altoona, and a sister of Mrs. Mary Sprinkle, of Bellefonte, died at the home of her daughter, in Philadelphia, on Saturday morning, March 14, of a complication of diseases. She had been ill for nine weeks. The remains were taken to Altoona where the funeral was held on Tuesday afternoon.

DANIEL REITER—of Karthaus, died Friday afternoon of consumption. He is survived by his wife and one daughter, Miss Carrie. Mr. Reiter had been a merchant of Karthaus for many years. He also took great interest in the development of minerals in the mountains surrounding his home village and was referred to by his friends as a local geologist.

SEMON HAZEL—the last of the oldtime generation of Hazels in Miles township, died at his home there. He was over eighty-four years of age, and had always made his home in Brush Valley. He was a member of the Lutheran church. Four sons survive, namely: Ira, of Madisonburg; John, of Chicago; Jacob, of Spring Mills, and George, of Elmira, N. Y.

MRS. EDITH SAYLOR—wife of Linn Saylor, died on Wednesday, March 11, at the home of her parents in Punksu-tawney. She had been in bad health for several years and her death was the result. She was a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward McGinness and was born in Bellefonte. Surviving her husband and two children, Edward and Beatrice, as well as her parents and a number of brothers and sisters living in Punksu-tawney. The funeral took place on Saturday.

SAMUEL LODER—an old Centre county man, died at his home in Montoursville last Saturday morning, March 14. He was born in Howard township and was seventy-six years of age. During the Civil war he served as a private in company F, 18th New York infantry. He is survived by two daughters, Mrs. C. C. Woollever, of Montoursville, at whose home he died, and Mrs. W. F. Wright, of Virginia; also the following brothers and sisters: John and William, of Howard; Philip, Pittsburg; George of Union township; Mrs. George Shillings and Miss Lizzie Loder, of Bellefonte. The funeral was held at two o'clock on Tuesday afternoon.

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JACOB NEESSE—died suddenly Thursday near his home at Farmers Mills. He lived with his daughter, Mrs. Mose Stover, who resides about a half mile north of Farmers Mills. About 4:30 o'clock he started in a sulky for Fredricks Mill, located a short distance from his home. He had almost reached his destination when he was stricken with a stroke of paralysis and fell backwards to the ground. At first it was thought that he had broken his neck, but to the surprise of his friends he was able to talk, but before another conveyance could be secured to take him home, he received another stroke when he became unconscious. He passed away soon afterwards. He was about 70 years of age, and well and favorably known in that section of the county. His wife died several years ago and among his surviving children are the following: John and Calvin, who live in the west; Mrs. Harry Hagan, Mrs. Dick Armbruster, and Mrs. Mose Stover, of Farmers Mills. The funeral took place Tuesday morning.

JOHN FRAZIER—a well known farmer in Potter township, died Friday, March 16, at his home west of Centre Hill, after an illness of about ten days. On April 6, 1874, Mr. Frazier was married to Margaret Ellen Jane Kline, of Reading, the ceremony having been performed at Jacksonsville, this county. There were born to this union ten children, seven of whom survive, namely: Charles D. Tusseyville; Mrs. William Cummings, Tusseyville; Carrie B. James Runkle, Howard P. John S. Cora M. The deceased was a son of Daniel Frazier, and was born and raised in Penns Valley. The brothers and sisters are: Jeremiah, of Pittsburg; James, of Wakefield, Kansas; William, of Pleasant Gap; Caroline, wife of David Reamy, Pleasant Gap; also the following, who are half brothers and sisters: Albert and Charles, of Stockton, Ill.; Mrs. John Brown, of Spring Mills; Mrs. David Knapp, of McVeytown. The stepmother, Mrs. Harriet Frazier, of Pleasant Gap, also survives. Mr. Frazier was a hard working farmer, and was thoroughly honest in all his dealings. The funeral took place the following Wednesday, interment at Tusseyville.

Fire at Unionville.

Wednesday morning the large double house in Unionville, occupied by William Eckenroth and Joseph Gill caught fire from a defective flue and burned to the ground. The household effects of both families were saved. We were unable to get the loss or insurance.

BELLEFONTE RED MEN CELEBRATE

A Pleasant Social Event Held at Their Hall.

BODY OF GOOD LOYAL MEN

Cozy Quarters in the Centre County Bank Building—Their First Banquet Proves a Success—Largely Attended.

Friday evening a representative of the Centre Democrat spent over two hours very pleasantly with the Red Men, No. 71 of the Nehasane tribe. The occasion was their first banquet which proved to be one of the greatest successes of the kind ever held in Bellefonte. It took place in their cozy hall on the third floor of the Centre County Bank building, and for beauty and grandeur it would be difficult to surpass. The music was furnished by Detrick's orchestra and it was simply superb. One of the principal features of the evening was the feast of good things, which was elegantly served by a number of young ladies. The Red Men were present with their wives and sweethearts, all of whom thoroughly enjoyed the good things.

After the inner man had been bountifully supplied, Henry C. Quigley, Esq., was chosen toastmaster, and when in that position the young and promising barrister is in his element. Great disappointment was manifested when it was learned that the speakers who were coming from Williamsport could not reach Bellefonte on account of the wash-out on the line of Bald Eagle Valley railroad. There is always some one in Bellefonte who can size up to an emergency of this kind so Toastmaster Quigley jumped into the harness himself and made quite an interesting address. He then called on Rev. J. Allison Platts who, as usual made one of his strong characteristic addresses, Francis Speer closed this part of the program with a few remarks relative to the order. This was followed by a sale of cakes which netted the order quite neat little sum of money. The last chapter of the evening's program was dancing. When they have another of these feasts we want to be there.

The Improved Order of Red Men is one of Bellefonte's most progressive fraternal organizations, and thus is rapidly growing in numbers. It is composed of good loyal fellows, who have banded themselves for the protection of themselves and their home. It is one of the most substantial organizations in existence and thus is worthy of support.

Storey Cotton Swindler Sentenced.

It will be interesting to the numerous Storey Cotton company victims in Centre county to know that Frank C. Marrin, of the Storey Cotton company, was sentenced last week by Judge Holcomb to the United States District Court at Philadelphia to serve four years in the Eastern Penitentiary and to pay a fine of \$5,000 and the cost of the prosecution. Marrin will take his case to the United States Circuit Court of Appeals. After being sentenced he immediately renewed his bail in the sum of \$10,000. John F. Graham, proprietor of the hotel Jamison, is Marrin's bondsman.

V. Gilpin Robinson, counsel for Marrin, made an earnest plea for leniency for the convicted man. Mr. Robinson declared that although Marrin stood convicted on the first count of three indictments, charging him with conspiracy to devise a scheme to defraud by use of the United States mails, there was really only one offense.

To Present Bryan's Name.

Ignatius J. Dunn has been selected by the Nebraska delegation to the National Democratic Convention at Denver to nominate William J. Bryan for President. Dunn is one of the four delegates-at-large, is city attorney at Omaha and has been identified with Democratic politics in his home State for 12 years. He is a strong supporter of Bryan, a brilliant orator and an attorney of high standing. During the internal dissensions which have rent the Democratic party from time to time he has managed to strike a happy medium, and now represents a united party in Nebraska. Unassuming and of a quiet disposition, Dunn is nevertheless considered equal to the occasion for which he has been selected. He has a well-rounded, clear voice and will be able to make himself heard in all parts of the big auditorium.

Elects New Officers.

On Monday evening, March 16th, the stock holders of the Yeager Manufacturing Company met at the office of James A. B. Miller, Esq., and elected the following officers: James A. B. Miller, President; Maurice W. Yeager, Vice President; Thomas J. Sexton, Secretary and Treasurer; and John J. Bower, W. D. Zerby, M. W. Yeager, H. C. Yeager and H. C. Quigley, Directors—the President and Secretary being also Directors by virtue of office. The company has taken hold with renewed energy and this week commenced the shipment of swings, with every promise of a good year's business.

Senator Penrose Ill.

Just before going to press the report was that Senator Bois Penrose was seriously ill at his home in Philadelphia; unless a change for the better comes soon his cause will be hopeless.

Mrs. Mary Ann Allison Rishel, of Clintonville, celebrated her 57th birthday on Monday, 23rd inst. Mrs. Rishel is one of the real daughters of the Revolution; her father, Matthew Allison having been a soldier of the Revolutionary war. His remains are buried at Jacksonsville, Centre county.

—Men's \$2. working shoes \$1.48. Yeagers shoe store.

WEDDINGS.

LINGLE-SWARTZ.

William F. Lingle and Miss Lucina Swartz were recently married, and made a trip to Centre Hall, the old home of the groom. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Swartz, of Lewisburg, formerly of Centre Hall.

AUMAN-KERN.

Saturday evening at the Reformed parsonage, Mr. Harry R. Auman of Millheim and Miss Jennette Kern of Bellefonte, the Rev. Ambrose M. Schmidt officiating. The best wishes of their many friends follow this newly wedded pair to their home in Millheim.

MARKLE-HOMAN.

At the Lutheran parsonage, on Tuesday evening, March 24th, Lloyd A. Markle, of Bellefonte, were united in holy wedlock, by Rev. Frederick Wm. Barry. May much blessing and joy attend this happy couple as they sail life's sea together.

BIBLE-BUDD.

Wednesday last week, at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Budd, near Centre Hill, Miss Bertha M. Budd, and Harry E. Bible were married, the ceremony having been performed by Rev. Daniel Gress. After a wedding dinner, the young couple boarded the train for a short home-moon trip to Pittsburg and other points, and then housekeeping will begin at Altoona, where the groom is employed by M. P. Brumbaugh, general merchant.

DUNLAP-IRVIN.

Thursday evening at 8:30 o'clock Jesse Dunlap, son of County Commissioner John L. Dunlap, was married to Miss May Irvin at her home on Penn street. The young couple being well and favorably known the wedding festivities were largely attended. The nuptial knot was tied by Rev. John Hewitt, pastor of the St. John's Episcopal church. During the evening elegant refreshments were served after which the evening was spent in having a social time. The bride was the recipient of a large number of handsome presents.

ORWIG-RUTHERFORD.

Clyde E. Orwig, a senior in the electrical engineering department of Pennsylvania State College, and Miss Helen A. Rutherford, of the department of music of Dickinson Seminary, Williamsport, announced Thursday to their parents and friends that they had been married at Sunbury on January 8 last. The Rev. O. G. Morton, D. D., pastor of the Sunbury Presbyterian Church, performed the ceremony. The bridegroom is a resident of Millburg, Pa., and is a son of Horace W. Orwig, a wealthy lumber dealer. The bride is a daughter of Samuel W. Rutherford of Laurelton, Pa., who is connected with the Laurelton Lumber Company's department store. The little romance began several years ago when the bride and bridegroom attended a public school together. Their marriage announcement, although a great surprise to a large circle of friends, was not startling news to the parents and near relatives, as their engagement was announced some time ago. The parents however, were opposed to the marriage until after the young people graduated from college.

WADDLE-TWITMIRE.

Wednesday evening at 6 o'clock a very pretty but quiet wedding took place at the home of Dr. Harry Pickel, at Millersville, Pa. The contracting parties were Philip D. Waddle and Miss Ella Turbet Twitmire, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Twitmire, both of Bellefonte. The bridesmaid was Miss Margaret McGinley, of Bellefonte and the best man was Wilbur Twitmire, Jr., brother of the bride, who is now a student of the University of Pennsylvania, at Philadelphia. The officiating minister was Rev. James B. Stine, pastor of the Bellefonte Methodist church. Following the wedding a dinner was served after which the bride and groom left on a wedding tour to Philadelphia, New York and Trenton, New Jersey. On their return home they will take up their quarters at the Bush House where Mr. Waddle is the head clerk. Mrs. Pickel, at whose home the nuptial event took place, is a sister of the bride, and owing to the ill health of the bride's mother it was thought advisable to have the wedding take place within this domicile where everything passed off very pleasantly in the presence of the members of the respective families and a few friends. The happy couple is so well known in this community that it is unnecessary for us to throw any bouquets, only to wish them much success and happiness through life.

Hospital Notes.

Last Friday Mrs. Jennie Wyle, of Aaronsburg, underwent an unusual operation, the removal of a 40-pound tumor from the side, and condition indicates a speedy recovery.

Mrs. Schlagel of Madisonburg, underwent a serious operation the same day. Nancy Stover, of Stormtown, and Bessie Toner, of Bellefonte, were discharged during the past week. Mrs. Sara Stover, of Bellefonte, underwent an operation for gall stones; and Miss Vera Shope had a thumb amputated.

Other patients admitted are: Mrs. Helen Dabbs, John Lieb, Anna Carter, Minnie Stout, Mrs. Ott and Engino Resino, all of Bellefonte, and Bessie Rieser, of Snow Shoe. At this time here are twenty-five patients in the Bellefonte hospital.

Voices From Afar.

L. O. Packer writes us from Turtle Creek: Business is certainly dull in this part of the country at present, and an abundance of hardships.

Mrs. Ed. Williams, nee Biltmeyer, writes from Senoar, making a remittance. "Uncle Sam is getting quite strict, but of course, the editor must live and we cannot do without the good old reliable Democrat among these wild bituminous hills of Somerset county."

—Ladies \$3 patent coil button shoes \$2. Yeager shoe store.