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IMPORTANT SESSION ROYAL ARGANUM

HELD IN BELLEVILLE ON MONDAY OF THIS WEEK

PROMINENT MEMBERS PRESENT

Interesting Sessions Held—Reports from the District Are Encouraging—Concludes with a Banquet—An Insurance Association.

On Monday afternoon and evening the Associated Council of the Royal Arganum of the Susquehanna valley met with the Belleville Council in the Umline Hall. There were quite a number of distinguished gentlemen present from a number of cities and towns in Central Pennsylvania, among them being: W. H. Druckenmiller, of Sunbury; Prof. George Wilbur, of Professor J. H. Jenkins, of Bloomsburg; Supreme Representative Laedlein, of Williamsport; Edwin Rittenhouse and E. G. Goodman, of Jersey Shore; O. P. Miller and James Miller, of Lewisburg; W. W. Guelich, of Danville; W. H. Dickinson, L. C. Townsend and George N. Krouse, of Milton. The morning session was presided over by Past Ruler Druckenmiller, and there were several very interesting topics discussed for the benefit of the various councils in the district. This association is made up of councils reaching from Berwick to Sunbury, and up the river to Lock Haven, and then to Belleville. There are thirteen live councils in this district with a membership of 1500. The various reports showed that all the councils were in good shape, and new members are being added right along. Last year they did big business considering the dullness of the times. While this is true thousands of dollars have been given to widows and orphans who would have gotten nothing had it not been for the cheap insurance offered by the Royal Arganum.

The evening meeting was presided over by President Druckenmiller who introduced John Gates, Jr., of Pittsburgh, who made a glowing address and presented many inspiring reports of the good work now being done in the councils throughout Pennsylvania. He was listened to attentively and with much interest. Other inspiring addresses were made by Prof. Wilbur, of the Bloomsburg Normal school; District Deputy George N. Krouse, of Milton; O. P. Miller, of Lewisburg; A. Laedlein, of Williamsport, and others. Pres. Druckenmiller wound up the meeting with a beautiful address upon "Unselfishness and Happiness," which should prevail in the order. The entire convention was full of enthusiasm and much good feeling and cheer was manifested.

After the meeting in the evening the local Council invited the visiting members to Summers' restaurant where an elaborate banquet was held, the toastmaster being Dr. M. A. Kirk who filled the bill very acceptably.

Berry at Centre Hall.

Ex-State Treasurer William H. Berry will be in Centre Hall, this Thursday evening, November 11th, at which time he will lecture in Grange Arcadia, his subject being "A Discussion of Christian Citizenship." Mr. Berry is well known as a lecturer. He is an eloquent, forceful, convincing speaker, and will have a message every one should hear. Funds to defray the expenses of the lecture were raised by popular subscription. The doors of the hall will be thrown open to all. A collection will be lifted after the lecture, and the proceeds will be added to a fund already started to secure a lecture at some future date. Mr. Berry's lecture will be in no sense political. He will picture the highest standard of citizenship. The school children will be assembled and sing national airs.

Centre County Fair Postponed.

The home talent musical comedy, Centre County Fair, has been postponed to December 3rd and 4th on account of the numerous engagements of those who take prominent parts in the cast.

Miss Bock the instructor for the entertainment has been giving rehearsals each evening this week and says the Belleville talent is unusually good. About 200 people will take part, among this number there is one large children's chorus. Eight young men and young lady chorus and about 25 speaking parts.

Shoulder Torn Away.

Jesse Harmon, a merchant of Penfield, Clearfield county, was shot by his own gun and had his shoulder torn away, from the effects of which he is in a critical condition. He was by himself and stooped to loosen his dog from its chain. The animal in frisking about discharged the gun. The wounded man managed to get near a road and was found by a passing team. He suffers considerably from shock and loss of blood.

Killed at Medix Run.

Edward C. Bluch, employed by the Goodyear Lumber company at Medix Run, was instantly killed while at work in the woods the other day. He was in the act of running a string of logs down the trail when the last three logs on the string broke loose and striking Bluch in the back killed him instantly. He had been married only four months.

Pastor's Announcement.

There will be preaching service in the Methodist church at Millsburg next Sunday evening at 7 o'clock. Next Wednesday evening a series of special meetings will be begun in this church. R. Bayles Oyster, pastor.

PEARSON'S SUCCESSOR.

Governor Stuart, on Friday, appointed Dr. Samuel H. Gilliland, of Marietta, State Veterinarian, to succeed the late Dr. Leonard Pearson, whose death occurred in September in New Foundland. By reason of his office he becomes the secretary and executive officer of the State Live Stock Sanitary Board.

The appointee was born at Oak Hill, this county, and is a son of James Gilliland, of that place. He graduated from the Belleville Academy, the Millersville State Normal School and the University of Pennsylvania Veterinary School in 1901, and from the Medical Department of the same university in 1904. On three different occasions he spent much time studying in veterinary schools in Europe, making a special study of comparative pathology.

For eight years he was assistant bacteriologist to the State Live Stock Sanitary Board of Pennsylvania. Upon the resignation of Dr. M. F. Ravenel he succeeded him as bacteriologist to the board, and had charge under Dr. Pearson of the laboratory work and a portion of the field work of this board. He further supervised the work in connection with the experimental farm located in Delaware county. For two years he was demonstrator of bacteriology in the University Veterinary School.

For several years he has successfully managed two farms in Lancaster county and for a longer period has had direct supervision of one of the largest dairy herds in this county, and during this time succeeded in eradicating tuberculosis from the same. He is a member of a dozen medical and veterinarian societies.

Burned to Death.

Ex-Sheriff William Ishler, of Belleville, received the sad intelligence of the death of his sister, Mrs. Adam Swartz, who resided in Kansas City, Kas. On Tuesday afternoon, while burning waste paper in an alley, there was a stiff breeze blowing and her clothes took fire. She called for help when a wash-woman, the only person around the house, came to her assistance, but too late to save her life. The accident occurred about 1:30 o'clock in the afternoon and she lingered in terrible agony until 6 o'clock that evening. The clothing was burned from her body and in places the flesh was burned almost to a crisp. She was about sixty-two years of age. Twenty-nine years ago the family moved to Abaline, Kansas, where they remained for several years and then moved to Kansas City. When in Centre county the family resided at Centre Hall, where Mr. Swartz was the manager of the old Manufacturing Co. Later the family moved to Nittany valley and from there they went west. The unfortunate lady is survived by a husband and nine children, although there were twelve children in the union. She is also survived by three brothers: Emanuel Ishler, of Altoona, and William and John Ishler, of Belleville.

Hospital Notes.

Mrs. Jennie Jordan, Belleville, operation for appendicitis.

Mrs. Myrtle Fike, Belleville, admitted for treatment.

William Kemp, of Buffalo, employed by T. A. Shoemaker, took seriously ill last Friday.

Mrs. Mary Bidwell, Belleville, admitted for treatment.

Albert Parks, of Belleville, fell from a hickory tree, sustaining a compound fracture of right arm.

Frank Bond, Pittsburg, cook at Summers' cafe, (colored) died Wednesday morning.

The annual donation from Centre Hall auxiliary to the hospital was received last week, consisting of vegetables, fruits, jellies, etc. Centre Hall has always been very generous in their support to the institution, and the good women of that town deserve praise for their effort. In fact Centre Hall has been more generous than many other towns in this county, who have had many of their friends treated in the Belleville hospital.

Driving Park Sold.

The Phillipsburg Ledger says: "Sheriff Hurley was a business visitor in town this week. His errand here was to post bills for the sale of the property now known as the 'Driving Park,' at one time the center of attraction to the sporting element of the town, but of late years given over to its native wildness. If memory serves us right it seems we all heard of a big building boom out on that piece of ground when some Pittsburg people got hold of it and were going to have us all move out there and change the business center of the town about six blocks northeast."

State Defeats Bucknell.

On Saturday morning two sections of a special train left Belleville and State College with about 800 rooters. They were taken to Lewisburg where a battle royal took place when Bucknell and State lined up for football honors. The crowd was a record breaker and the game a cracker jack. From the start State showed superior work and endurance and it was not long until they began to score.

Throughout the game State showed that it was no trouble to win and piled up a score of 33 to 6. Fully 7,000 persons witnessed the game.

William Burket, of Whipoorwill farm near Warriorsburg, seems to be the champion corn raiser in that valley. Mr. Burket raised eight hundred bushels on a ten acre field this season and that is as pretty as any yellow corn ever put on the market.

Hon. J. C. Meyer Honored.

Representative J. C. Meyer, of this county, has been selected as one of the members of the Legislative Election Commission, created at the last session of the Legislature to draft a new ballot law.

OFFICIAL VOTE IN CENTRE COUNTY

LARGE MAJORITIES ROLLED UP ON A SMALL VOTE.

AGAINST THE AMENDMENTS

The "7th Amendment" Gets Badly Slashed—Munson's Large Vote—Centre County in the Democratic Column—Has Large Majorities.

Herewith is given the result of the official count of the vote cast in Centre county, Tuesday, November 2nd. As there is very little change from the table published last week, we simply give the total vote cast for each candidate and the amendments.

Hardly more than 60 per cent. of the county was out, and upon a full vote the Democratic pluralities would, on the same proportion, have run from 600 to over 2,000. This can not be very gratifying to our friends who have been proclaiming from the house-tops "that Centre county is Republican." As the towns have the strong republican vote and the country districts are largely democratic, they had every advantage in this campaign of securing a larger per cent. of their party vote than those who are scattered in the rural districts.

It is also gratifying to note that in the vote for supreme court justice and on the infamous 7th Amendment the verdict is the most pronounced. These were the two most important issues in the campaign, and on which the Centre Democrat dwelt the strongest, as did the other democratic papers of the state. Our Republican contemporaries took the other side on the same issue. They belated, frothed at the mouth, raved—and begged and entreated—W. C. Centre county opposed Moshchisler, by over 1200, and the infamous "7th Amendment" by over 1800, which was an overwhelming vote. Just how it happened other than a free expression of the voter, we leave our unfortunate and disappointed contemporaries to explain to their satisfaction. The following are the official totals:

OFFICIAL VOTE.		
State Treasurer:		
J. A. Stober, R.....	2004	
George W. Kipp, D.....	2503	499
Frank Fish, Soc.....	183	
Ed. Moore, Pro.....	72	
Auditor General:		
A. E. Sisson, R.....	1980	
James W. Clark, D.....	2515	535
C. W. Smith, Pro.....	184	
William Parker, Soc.....	72	
Judge Supreme Court:		
R. VonMoeschler, R.....	1663	
C. LaRue Munson, D.....	2913	1244
H. L. Robinson, Pro.....	124	
S. A. Schwartz, Soc.....	54	
Jury Commissioner:		
John D. Decker, R.....	2119	
J. Adam Hasel, D.....	2492	373
Vote on Amendments:		
Yes. No. Maj.		
First.....	828 1808	850
Second.....	941 1721	781
Third.....	921 1718	797
Fourth.....	889 1725	836
Fifth.....	952 1692	740
Sixth.....	925 1715	790
Seventh.....	461 2352	1891
Eighth.....	998 1619	711
Ninth.....	919 1704	785
Tenth.....	916 1696	780
Schedule.....	624 1679	1055

As to the fate of the amendments in the state, the vote is slowly being compiled at the state Department. Outside of Philadelphia there was a majority of about 34,000 against all of them. In that city the vote is different and it is thought that it will be in favor of the amendments and large enough to secure their adoption. At this time the result is uncertain, but it is believed the amendments will carry with possibly the 7th defeated.

Roosevelt's Hunting Story.

"Hunting the Mountain Sheep" is the title of Teddy Roosevelt's story to be found on page 6 of this issue. This is one of his most entertaining articles and should not be missed. Next week you will have a thrilling tale entitled "Hunting the Wolf."

In this connection mention is made of a wild rumor afloat last week, that Roosevelt had been stricken with a tropical fever, and another later that he had been killed. It caused excitement throughout this county, and abroad. Both stories have been emphatically denied by telegrams from Africa stating that Mr. Roosevelt was well, and at no time had his life been in danger from any source.

No More Shooting Oil Wells.

As the result of the shooting of the Gummo oil well in Bald Eagle township, Clinton county, last Thursday, the expected oil was not found. One hundred and eighty pounds of nitroglycerine were put into the earth forty-five feet and the charge was shot off by a professional shooter. There were a number of Lock Haven business men in the affair. Much disappointment is felt over the failure, as it is said that oil lies under the ground in that section. The failure may have the effect of causing no more wells to be shot in that township.

Dickenson Law's Only Co-Ed.

Mrs. Mary Love Collins, of Tyrone, has entered the Dickenson School of Law, at Carlisle, to prepare for the legal profession. Mrs. Collins was formerly a resident of Carlisle, and is a graduate of Dickenson College, in the class with her husband. She is the only co-ed in the law school this year. Last year there were two, and both graduated.

Many a man who looks like 30 cents can make a noise like a dollar.

LABOR LEADERS FACE IMPRISONMENT

GOMPERS, MITCHELL AND MORRISON LOSE CASE

VIOLATED AN INJUNCTION

Received Jail Sentences—The Buck Stove & Range Co. Case—A Boycott Case—Defied the Courts—Will Appeal to Higher Courts.

The three labor leaders, Gompers, Mitchell and Morrison, all officers of the American Federation of Labor, have lost their case in the District of Columbia Circuit Court of Appeals, and the only thing that now stands between them and the serving of the jail sentences handed them by Judge Wright, several months ago, is the United States Supreme court, to which the labor leaders say they will carry their case.

The three men received jail sentences—Gompers a year, Mitchell nine months and Morrison six months—because they persisted in violating an injunction issued on behalf of the Buck Stove and Range company, of St. Louis, and the purpose of which was to keep the name of the company off the "We Don't Patronize" list in the official monthly organ of the federation. The labor leaders defied the mandate issued and were promptly arrested for contempt of court. The trial occurred before Justice Wright, and the men drew jail sentences.

In handing down the decision Justice Van Orsdel and Robb upheld the action of Judge Wright, but Justice Shephard filed a dissenting opinion, claiming that the injunction issued was entirely too broad. Justice Van Orsdel was especially severe on John Mitchell for presiding over a convention which openly voted to disregard the injunction.

WEDDINGS.

Bitner—Klinefelter.
The marriage of John K. Bitner and Miss Bessie E. Klinefelter took place at the Lutheran parsonage, in Lewisburg, recently. Rev. M. S. Cressman, D. D., officiating. Both parties are residents of near Tusseyville, the groom being a son of George Bitner and the bride a daughter of William Klinefelter.

Jury—Long.
On Monday evening Miss Agnes Long, of Tyrone, and Russell Jury, of Belleville, were married. The bride has been residing at the piano at the scenic and is an elegant manipulator of that instrument. The groom is a son of Jacob Jury, of this place, and is employed by S. H. Williams.

Forney—Hact.

At 3 o'clock p. m. on November 7th, at Pine Glenn, in Burnside township, Herbert S. Forney and Amanda Hact, both of Pine Glenn, were united in the bonds of wedlock by T. W. Weaver, J. P.

Morton—Walker.

At 8:30 p. m., November 5, Charles D. Morton and Annie M. Walker, both of Moshannon, were married at the residence of T. D. Weaver, J. P.

Automobile Wrecked.

A large farm wagon of the hay rack type on which was loaded a demolished automobile was an unusual sight which landed in Tyrone last Friday evening about 8 o'clock. The team and teamster hailed from Unionville and the automobile was the property of Clark Grazer, of Pennsylvania Furnace. Four persons had occupied the car and were speeding toward Tyrone from Belleville on Wednesday night and when about a mile on the other side of Unionville, the steering gear broke suddenly, throwing the car into a bank along side of the road. The occupants miraculously escaped by jumping. The car, which is a handsome Lambert runabout, had the left front wheel torn off and the machinery more or less damaged. It was taken to the garage of the Tyrone Auto car company for repairs.

Date Changed.

On account of a number of things interfering the Belleville order of Elks has postponed its charity entertainment from Nov. 19th and 20th to Friday and Saturday evenings, December 3rd and 4th. The entertainment will be new and novel which will be something that everybody can enjoy. The proceeds will be for charitable purposes, thus not one cent will be used in any way to maintain the lodge, one dollar given for the relief of the poor will go where it is most needed.

Turkey Hunter Kills Friend.

The fourth fatal gunning accident of the season in this section occurred at Hellsburg late Saturday afternoon when Benjamin Dugan, a hunter, 17 years. The friends were hunting shot his companion, John Weil, aged wild turkeys. Weil hid near a turkey "run," and Dugan, coming through the underbrush mistook his cap for the plumage of a turkey and fired.

A Suggestion.

Mr. Editor: I would kindly suggest to the supervisors of Gregg and Potter townships that they clear the road from Centrehall to Penn Cave, of limbs and other rubbish which would make it safer for rigs to pass when meeting autos. The limbs make it difficult to turn out especially when a horse slob at the autos. A User of the Road.

—Rev. Dr. Schmidt will preach a sermon for young men, Sunday evening in the Reformed church. Sunday marks the opening of "the week of prayer for young men."

RECENT DEATHS

VAN VALIN:—James Van Valin died Monday evening at his home in Hlawatha, Kansas. The deceased, who was aged about 65 years, was born at Unionville, this county.

GUELICH:—Mrs. Hanna Guelich, widow of John Guelich, and the mother of George Guelich, died on Thursday at her home in Clearfield, aged 83 years. She was a native of Millsburg, this county. Surviving are three sons and four daughters. The funeral took place on Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

GILLAN:—Mrs. Elizabeth Gillan died at Chambersburg on Wednesday night of last week, aged 67 years. She was the oldest sister of Mr. R. U. Reamer of this place. Surviving her are a husband and eight children, four sons and four daughters. Mr. and Mrs. Reamer attended the obsequies at Chambersburg on Saturday. The deceased was a highly esteemed lady of Chambersburg.

SIMLER:—John H. Simler, a native of Phillipsburg, and son of Capt. H. Simler, now residing in Pittsburg, died on Saturday afternoon at his home in that city, the result of a complication of diseases following an attack of malarial fever contracted in the Philippines while doing service as a member of Co. I, Seventeenth Regiment, U. S. A. He leaves to mourn his death a wife and two children. Interment at Pittsburg.

BROWN:—Mrs. Elizabeth Brown, widow of the late James M. Brown, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Annie M. Cottle, at Milroy, on Sunday evening, Oct. 31, after an illness of less than a week's duration. Her age was 58 years, 4 months and 22 days. Her first husband, Jas. Alexander, died 48 years ago. Her second husband, James M. Brown, died 13 years ago. Surviving her are the following daughters: Mrs. Emma G. Hoffer, of Washington State, Mrs. Annie Cottle and Mrs. James B. Close, both of Milroy, Indiana. Funeral services were held from the home of her daughter, Mrs. Annie Cottle. Interment in the Woodlawn cemetery. She was a sister of Cyrus Alexander, dec'd, and a native of near Centre Hall.

MUNSON:—Richard Edward Munson, son of the late Hon. Chester Munson, of Phillipsburg, and a cousin of L. T. Munson, of Belleville, died at his home in Phillipsburg on Sunday evening at 6 o'clock, the result of a complication of diseases, with which he had been ill for six months or more. His suffering of late was very severe. The deceased was born in Phillipsburg on October 27, 1844, making his age 65 years and 10 days. In April, 1869, he was united in marriage to Emma Robinson, of Montour, N. Y. He had served two terms as Burgess of his town. He was active some years ago as a merchant and coal dealer. Besides his wife he leaves one brother, James H., of Fort Smith, Ark., and two sisters, Mrs. Gertrude Lingie and Mrs. T. J. Lee, of Phillipsburg. The funeral took place Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

HOLLOBAUGH:—Sarah, wife of the venerable John Hollobaugh, died Friday evening about 5 o'clock at the family home in Morris township, Clearfield county, a couple of miles north of Phillipsburg, after an illness of about two years. As the result of a stroke of paralysis suffered ten months ago, she had since been an invalid. The deceased, who was aged 75 years, 1 month and 29 days, was born near Millsburg, this county, her maiden name being Sara Walker. She was married 56 years ago to John Hollobaugh, to whom twelve children were born, five of them surviving. Her husband a veteran of the Civil war and now nearly 79 years of age, also survives. She was a Methodist by faith, kind hearted and beloved by all who knew her, and her death will be mourned by many friends. The funeral took place on Monday at 1 o'clock a. m., with interment at Emigh's graveyard.

SHAFFER:—At noon on Tuesday, at Nittany, Mrs. Sophia C. Shaffer, wife of ex-Sheriff B. F. Shaffer, died aged 81 years. In May, 1834, over 25 years ago, Mrs. Shaffer was stricken with paralysis, and at that time it was thought she could not live many years, but her wonderful vitality and a strong will enabled her to round out four score years and one. Her maiden name was Miss Sophia Barger and was born in Nippenose valley, Lycoming county. Early in life she joined the Lutheran church and always was faithful to the discharge of every duty. Being kind and good she had the respect of all who knew her. For many years she lived at Nittany where she raised her family, and was the wife of one of the most progressive farmers in Centre county. Besides her husband, who was her constant companion, and who will feel her loss most, there survive her two sons and three daughters, viz: L. A., of Belleville; W. E., of Millinburg; Margaret, wife of W. T. Knecht, of Cedar Springs; Mabel, wife of L. E. Swartz, of Hubersburg; and Kate Allison at home, who has had the care of the mother. There also survive her three sisters, Mrs. Margaret Wagner, of Nippenose valley aged 85, Mrs. Anna Rauch, of Illinois aged 83 and Mrs. Mary Meixell, of Lewisburg aged 79. Interment will be in the cemetery at Snyderstown at 10 o'clock on Friday morning.

An Improvement.

The public road through Benner township to State College has been considerably improved by the supervisors of those townships by removal of loose stones and abolishing breakers. The users of that highway are certainly pleased with what has been done and to know that at a suitable time further improvement will be made.

ALFRED OSMAN ATTEMPTS SUICIDE

IN HIS BEDROOM AT THE HOME OF MISS ANNIE BIBLE

CUTS HIS THROAT WITH RAZOR

Fails to Sever the Vital Parts and His Recovery is Assured—He Resides at Centre Hall—Recovered from Serious Illness.

Alfred Osman, a well-known resident of Centre Hall, attempted to end his life early Wednesday morning, which created considerable excitement in the little borough over the mountain. For some time he had been making his home with Miss Annie Bible, who resides a mile below Centre Hall. In the morning about 6 o'clock Miss Bible heard a strange noise coming from the room occupied by Mr. Osman, and in going to make an investigation found the door locked. She could hear only the strange noise, and, becoming frightened, she quickly telephoned to a neighbor, who soon appeared on the scene. The door was broken open and Osman was found on the bed with the blood oozing from a wound in the neck, caused by a razor in his own hands. Drs. Dale and Alexander were quickly summoned, who upon examination found that the wound was about five inches in length and cut into the windpipe. While the wound is of a serious character, it is not necessarily dangerous. Dr. Dale put a number of stitches in the wound and the indications are that he will finally recover.

Alfred Osman is about 50 years of age and always resided in Centre Hall. One unfortunate thing about his life was he had a strong appetite for alcoholic beverages. He is a bricklayer by trade. Over a year ago he was seriously ill in the Belleville hospital with pneumonia. He finally recovered and returned to Centre Hall where he has been living since.

HALF MOON TWP.

The farmers are all about town with their fall work and waiting to talk on the telephone. They think it will not be long for the poles are about ready to plant.

Miss Clark, of Eagleville, and Nancy Hieberling, of Penna. Furnace, spent Saturday and Sunday at the home of the latter's sister, Mrs. D. J. Beck.

Miss Brickley, of Romola, is doing quite a lot of sewing in our vicinity again.

—Mrs. David Cupp is very poorly at this writing; we are glad to note that Mrs. Wrye is some better.

On last Monday evening nineteen young people gathered at the home of George L. Ebus to spend a pleasant evening with them before they departed for their new home in the west. The evening passed very rapidly in playing games and with music, both instrumental and vocal, and everybody seemed to enjoy them to the fullest extent. About 11:30 o'clock delicious refreshments were served. Among those present were as follows: Misses Minnie and Erma Branstrater, Edith and Maud Fisher, Helen and Mabel Ebus, Alta Dodd, Bertha Wilson, and Lorena Stevens, at the home of James and Calvin Morrison, Harry and Daniel Fisher, Cooper and Joseph Branstrater, Thomas Wilson, William Gates, Earl Myers and George Callahan. About the midnight hour all departed to their home thinking of the pleasant evening they had spent.

—Mrs. Ezra Fisher, of Winata, spent a few days with his son, James Fisher.

The Methodists of Centre Line expect to have a festival at the home of J. C. Stevens on Friday evening.

J. M. Morrison and wife Sundayed in Sinking valley with her sister, Mrs. John Cole.

The Methodists have made quite an improvement on their church and expect to have their re-opening on the 28th of this month.

Grange Meeting.

Centre County Pomona Grange will meet in Hall of Progress Grange, at Centre Hall, Thursday November 18, 9:30 a. m. This will be the time for election of officers for the next two years. All 5th degree members have a right to vote for officers. All 4th degree members are cordially invited. The business will be transacted in the 4th degree, but the election of officers and the conferring of 5th degree, which will take place at 1 p. m. We would like a good turnout at this meeting, as it will be the last meeting of the Pomona Grange before the State Grange meeting, December 21 to 24 at State College. Yours Fraternally, LEONARD RHONE, Master. D. M. CAMPBELL, Sec.

VALLEY VIEW—Benner Twp.

Roland Miller and wife, after a pleasant visit among friends in Pittsburg and Ohio, returned to their home here.

Miss Mary Justice, who has been nursing a sore jaw for several weeks, is recovering slowly.

Geo. Emil moved from here to Belleville last week. James Justice moved in the house vacated by Emil.

Listen for the wedding bells on Thursday evening.

The stork visited the home of Harry Bradley and left a fine young boy.

Good-bye to Home to be Gay.

Angered because her parents refused her permission to attend a party, Nora Guyton, of Altoona, fourteen years old, disappeared from home Friday noon, and her mother is almost frantic with grief. Her parents learned that she had told playmates she intended to run away.

It is believed the brewery interests of Pennsylvania have received a stunning blow in an opinion just handed down by the Schuylkill county court to the effect that brewers dare not own or lease saloons. The court decides that this is a clear infraction of the law.