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—Oil market closed at \$1.58.
—You can get it at Hopkins' store. If
—Our old friend M. L. Range, of Stewart Run, knows what the printers like, and last Friday left a sack of fine eating apples at this office.

—The special services being held in the M. E. church will be continued every evening this week except Saturday. All are invited to attend.

—Spillman Riggs, the renowned humorist and lecturer at the court house next Wednesday evening. You will hear a good one if you go.

—FOR SALE.—Saw Mill complete, in good condition. Stearns reeding blocks. Rope feed. Clark gang edger. S. W. N. & Ed. M. Wilson, Clarion, Pa.

—Groundhog day next Saturday; but any prediction of an early spring will be lacking in validity unless accompanied by a drop in the price of eggs.

—Overcoats, heavy winter suits and everything for cold weather wear at just about cost now at the Hopkins store. Come early if you want a bargain.

—Last week J. J. Landers moved his mill from the mouth of Jake's run, on Tionesta creek, to Neiltown, where he will saw out a tract of timber for Dought & Foreman.

—Goods are going some at the Hopkins store these days. Those post-inventory bargains are striking the public about right, we should say. Don't fail to get your share.

—The Philadelphia Inquirer of Saturday says that Harry K. Hoch has signed to pitch ball for Wilmington, Delaware, the coming season. Oil City also claims to have signed Hoch.

—J. C. Scowden, the hardware man, has just one handsome outer left which some lucky fellow is going to get at a bargain if he'll speak quickly. The vehicle will be sold for less than it could now be bought for at wholesale.

—The coldest night of the year was Wednesday night last. Thursday morning thermometers registered from 16 to 20 degrees below zero. Saturday night was another of the cold ones, and Sunday morning 12 to 15 degrees below was the record.

—Remember the fourth number of the lecture course which is booked for next Wednesday evening, Feb. 9th. Spillman Riggs is said to be one of the ablest and finest platform orators of his day. Go and hear him and you will not be disappointed.

—The W. C. T. U. will hold a market at the home of Mrs. F. R. Lanson, Saturday afternoon, February 9th, beginning at 2 o'clock. A varied assortment of good things for the Sunday dinner will be on sale and the patronage of the public is cordially invited.

—The Kane Republican thinks that when the Baltimore & Ohio makes an electric road out of the narrow gauge running between Foxburg and Mt. Jewett, a project much talked about late, work will be running up hill. And many others have much the same notion.

—Last October, while Mrs. H. E. Bryner, of Pleasantville, was on her way to Bradford on a train of the P. R. R., she left her small handbag in the cars and had it given it up for lost. Through the efforts of Agent W. C. Inel, of this place, the bag and all its contents were returned to her last Saturday.

—The chemical plant of the Forest Chemical Co. at Lynch, which has been closed down since the retort house was destroyed by fire several months ago, was again started Tuesday. A new and better equipped retort house has been built, and the plant is now better than it was before the fire.—Sheffield Observer.

—Our ice harvesters have been on the anxious seat for some time on account of the slim prospects of a crop of that very necessary summer commodity, but if this weather will just hang on a few days longer the danger-point will have been past. The creek is frozen over but the ice has hardly reached the proper thickness for putting up.

—James Osborn, aged 72 years, and a lifelong resident of Erie and Venango counties, died at his home at Shamberg, Pa., Sunday evening last. He was a member of the U. S. navy during the Civil war, and in after years was engaged in the oil business. He was married to Miss Almira Proper, of Diamond, Pa., who, with four sons, survives him.

—The next annual convention of the Pennsylvania State Sunday School Association will be held at Uniontown, October 9, 10 and 11 of this year. The state workers are already arranging for this event, which it is thought and expected will surpass all former ones held by the association. This will make the forty-third annual convention of the organization.

—While the sleighing of the past week has not been the best ever, it has nevertheless answered the purpose very well, and has been utilized to the greatest extent by lumber and the haulers, from 50 to 75 loads finding their way to the station here every day, and their activity is gratifying to the beholder. The railroad business has surely been a bumper this season, and the end apparently not yet.

The Tionesta Pipe Line pump station at Little Tionesta creek has been shut down for over a week on account of a break in the pump. On Monday the company hauled a new 25 h. p. boiler out to the station and it is their intention to install an auxiliary pumping plant to be used in such emergencies. The power for the present plant is furnished by a large gas engine.

—An Arnostock youngster was kneeling before his white cot with bowed and hands folded. He was repeating his "Now I lay me," and had got as far as "I pray Thee, Lord, my soul to keep," when his little sister advanced from behind and tickled his feet. With head still bowed Arthur continued: "If you'll excuse me just a minute, Lord, I'll knock the stuffin' out of Nellie."

—According to a decision handed down by the United States supreme court, the fellow who runs a gambling joint or permits gambling on property under his control is liable for every cent lost by a person who plays in any gambling game. The decision ought to put a stop to gambling almost everywhere. All a man who loses his money in one of these places has to do is to bring suit and prove his loss and the proprietor will be forced to make good.

—A Pullman car having on board a medical specialist was taken up the road past here at a lively speed at an early hour Monday morning, bound for Olean, N. Y. The occupants of the car were Frank E. Perley, private secretary to ex-Governor Higgins of New York, and Dr. Carl Von Schlatt, an eminent German specialist in heart disease, who had been secured to attend the Governor, whose condition has been critical for several days past. The special train passed here about 3:30 a. m.

—Two freight trains on the River division of the P. R. R. met in a head-on collision at Thompson's early Saturday morning. Mistaken orders were responsible for the accident, in which Conductor James Dunn and Engineer L. S. Morto, both of the southbound train, were slightly injured. Eleven cars were smashed, two of them going over an embankment. Two wrecking crews cleared the trouble by building a track around the debris, and passenger trains were not very much delayed.

—Don't forget the farmers' institute booked for Friday and Saturday of this week at the court house. Try to attend all the sessions, but if you can't do that, be there as much as possible, for this institute is going to be the banner event of the kind yet held in this county. Good State speakers, and the best local talent will give you good entertainment. The pupils of Rooms No. 1 and 2 of the Boro schools will sing on Friday evening, and the Skidoo Club, of Room No. 4, will furnish music during the entire institute.

—The last log was run through the big mill at Lamona on last Tuesday, January 15th. The mill is now dismantled and ready for shipment to Azen, Va., where a crew of men from here will leave with their families next week. Among those who will go at once are: John Fisches, Wm. Metzger, J. W. Easton, F. G. Engle, Jerry Aiken, Frank Daniels, Frank Josephes, Robert Jackson and son, Scott Harriger, and J. W. Parrish. All are married and will remove their household goods and families at once, the company paying transportation.—Marienville Express.

—Yesterday, January 29th, was the 65th anniversary of the birth of William McKinley, martyred President of the United States. Within recent years his memory has been kept green by the wearing of a carnation, the Ohio man's favorite flower. The Carnation League of America has been formed to keep fresh McKinley's memory and to instill greater patriotism into the observance of all national holidays. The wearing of the carnation on each anniversary of McKinley's birth has grown more common within the last five years, and probably the next anniversary will see more carnations worn than ever before.

—There is nothing in the world more pathetic than the meek, timorous, shrinking ways of certain old people—we have all seen them—who have given up their homes into younger hands, and subsided into some out-of-the-way corner of it, to sit by the fire and table henceforth as if afraid of "making trouble," afraid of being "in the way," afraid of accepting half what is their due, and going down to their graves with a pitiful deprecating air as if constantly apologizing for staying so long. There is no scorn too deep nor sharp for the sons and daughters who will accept this attitude on the part of those to whom they owe so much.

—There is no doubt that the Pure Food law has lifted a great burden from the buyer. The Government undertakes to compel the man who prepares, mixes or compounds our food to tell the truth about it, and to keep out of it what is actually harmful. It is now only for us to know how to choose among these foods what suits our taste and purse.

—There should also be more study of flavors and brands, more education of the taste, more willingness to learn the facts about the new food products that have made their appearance in the last quarter century, but have not until now been sold under their true names. We shall at last have a chance to know whether we are paying out our money for nutrition or for flavor or for what is rare and curious, and we may govern our expenditures accordingly.—The Ladies' World for February.

—William W. Pennell, one of Titusville's prominent citizens committed suicide by shooting himself in the head, at his office, on Monday night of last week. His dead body was discovered Tuesday morning by his son, who had been at the office the night before, and finding the father had gone to stay with a friend for the night. No cause for committing the rash act can be assigned. Mr. Pennell was the secretary of the I. O. O. F. Relief Association, and his accounts, having just been audited, were found correct; his family relations were of the most pleasant sort, his financial affairs were in good condition, and he seemed to be in the enjoyment of life's greatest gift, contentment. He was 61 years of age, and is survived by his widow, four sons, and one daughter, wife of John R. Miner, of New Brighton, Pa., a former citizen of Jenks township. A sister, Mrs. J. H. Bowman, lives at Neiltown, this county, in which community the deceased resided many years, and where his memory will be much revered.

PERSONAL.

—Mrs. Charles Butler is visiting her parents at Endeavor this week.
—Born, to Mr. and Mrs. William Bish, of Oldtown, Jan. 24, 1907, a son.
—Chas. Russell and son, Nelson, were down from Kellestville Tuesday.

—Orion Siggins, of West Hickory, was a business visitor in Tionesta Monday.
—Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Mealy, of the borough, Jan. 27, 1907, a son.
—Miss Helen Smeearbaugh is visiting her sister, Miss Josephine, at Washington, Pa., Seminary.

—Joseph Green, of East Hickory, was a pleasant caller at the REPUBLICAN office last Wednesday.
—Mrs. William Wilson, of Oil City, was a guest of her cousin, Mrs. Thomas Mays, a few days of last week.

—Mrs. S. J. Campbell left Monday for a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Henry Giering, at Youngstown, Ohio.
—Mrs. Charles Amann and son Paul of Warren, are visiting in Tionesta as guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Huling.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Proper very pleasantly entertained a number of their intimate friends at a six o'clock dinner at their elegant home Monday evening.
—Corbett Agnew, who is employed down at Cranberry, Venango county, passed up the road last evening for a few days' visit at his home at West Hickory.

—E. G. Bishop, manager of the Glasgow Woolen Mills Co.'s store in Oil City, was circulating among his numerous customers in and about Tionesta yesterday.
—Lewis Nellis, of Monterey, Pa., was a guest at the home of John Noble a part of the past week, and met many old friends of his boyhood days, which were spent in Tionesta.

—T. D. Collins left for California last Wednesday on business connected with his extensive lumber interests in the Pacific coast states. He expects to be absent several weeks.
—Mrs. S. C. Johnston, who has just passed through a siege of typhoid fever, is again confined to her bed, threatened with a relapse. Her many friends are hoping that nothing serious may develop.

—Law Arner, of Tionesta, a ball player who has appeared on the diamond at this place on several occasions and gave a good account of himself, was in town a short time Tuesday.—Sheffield Observer.

—O. B. Keller, father of former county treasurer, F. A. Keller, died on the 9th inst., at the home of his daughter, at Kutztown, Pa., aged 68 years. For some time past he had made his home with his son, at Pigeon, Howe township.

—Miss Vera Berger, of Rimersburg, Pa., has been a guest of Miss Cornelia Everett during the past week and will return home today. Last evening Mrs. Q. Jamieson entertained a party of young people at her home, in honor of Miss Berger.

—Her many Tionesta friends will be pleased to learn that Mrs. John T. Carson is in a fair way to recovery from her illness at the Oil City hospital, where she submitted to a critical operation on Friday last, Dr. J. B. Siggins performing the surgery. Latest advices from her bedside are to the effect that she is doing nicely.

—Morris Neal, a young man whose parents reside at Nebraska, where his father has charge of the upper bag yard, was conveyed to the hospital at North Warren on Monday, having within the past few days shown decided symptoms of aberration. It is thought a short course of treatment at the hospital will restore his reason.

—Many friends of Miss Rachel Wheeler, of Endeavor, will be pleased and much relieved to learn of her rapid recovery from an operation for appendicitis to which she was obliged to submit about ten days ago at a Buffalo hospital. Mrs. Wheeler left her daughter doing nicely on Monday, Miss Mary Allinger remaining with her at the hospital.

—T. B. Lehentaler, superintendent of the Westcott handle factory at Endeavor, was obliged to relinquish his duties at that place about six weeks ago on account of ill health, and has been absent for some time. We learn that he was operated upon for appendicitis, and that his recovery has been quite slow and tedious which will be learned with regret by his many friends.

—Mrs. M. C. Wheeler, relief of the late William F. Wheeler, of Portville, N. Y., and stepmother of Congressman-elect N. P. Wheeler, of Endeavor, died at Fortress Monroe, Virginia, Jan. 21, 1907, whither she had gone some months prior for the benefit of her health. She was aged 84 years, and is survived by one daughter, Miss Lilla C. Wheeler, and one other stepson, Hon. W. E. Wheeler, of Portville, N. Y.

—The out-of-town guests at the luncheon party given by Mrs. Robertson and Mrs. Gaston, at the home of the former, Thursday afternoon, were Mrs. J. A. Turner, Mrs. A. J. Siggins and Miss Frances Siggins, West Hickory; Mrs. M. E. Abbott, East Hickory; Mrs. W. H. Stiles and Mrs. G. W. Warden, Endeavor; Mrs. Leon Watson and Mrs. W. A. Shewman, Kellestville; Mrs. Margaret McNeal, Indiana, Pa. About 60 guests enjoyed the prettily appointed function.

—William Merrell, one of Jenks township's oldest men, and one of it's citizens for the past 13 years, died at the home of his niece, Mrs. John Dodge, on the 17th inst. His death came suddenly and without any pretension of dissolution. He retired as usual in the evening feeling well, but was dead in the morning when the family awoke. He was aged 86 years, and was born and reared in Philadelphia. His wife and four children preceded him to the grave some years ago, and he came to make his home with Mr. and Mrs. Dodge.

—Bee's Laxative Cough Syrup containing Honey and Tar is especially appropriate for children, no opiates or poisons of any character, conforms to the conditions of the National Pure Food and Drug Law, June 30, 1906. For croup, whooping cough, etc. It expels coughs and colds by gently moving the bowels. Guaranteed. Sold by J. R. Morgan.

—Thompson's Barosma, Kidney, Liver and Bladder Cure makes a permanent cure. 50c and \$1.50. Dunn & Falton.

Leg Crushed and Amputated.

George MacGowan, a former Tionesta boy, met with a serious misfortune on Monday last week while working in the lumber woods at Kellestville for T. D. Collins, resulting in the loss of his right leg. He was engaged with a team in gathering up some scattered logs which he was dragging to the box mill, and when descending a slight grade the logs slewed around catching and crushing George's right leg, inflicting severe injuries. Drs. Detar and Serrill attended him until Thursday when it was found that an operation would be necessary in order to save his life, the main artery having been severed and circulation destroyed. He was taken to the Warren hospital, where on Monday of this week the leg was amputated at the knee, and it is thought he will recover without further trouble or complications. Mr. MacGowan, who formerly lived at Michie's mill below Nebraska, has been unfortunately late, having just fairly recovered from a recent severe illness when overtaken by this distressing accident. Having a family depending upon him his circumstances are such as to appeal strongly to the sympathy of his neighbors and more favored friends.

Porkey Items.
The lumbermen of this place are pleased to see the sleighing. Quite a lot of lumber has already been hauled from A. L. Weller's mill and piled at the creek ready for shipment.
Lafayette Littlefield and family returned home Monday from Mayburg, after attending the play and visiting Mrs. L.'s parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rayhorn, over Sunday.

Pat Cronin, of North Clarendon, passed through our town Monday. Mr. Cronin was repairing the telephone line.
Mr. and Mrs. John Littlefield were Sheffield visitors Wednesday.
Mrs. Highgate was a Sheffield visitor Tuesday.

The S. & T. had a wreck at Mayburg on its second trip and the freight had to accommodate the afternoon passengers from Sheffield.
Mrs. Thomas Miller was a Mayburg visitor for a few days.
Mrs. Fairweather, of Kane, is visiting her son and wife at this place for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Littlefield have returned home. Mrs. Littlefield expects to stay at home until spring, when they will go to housekeeping.
James Littlefield and wife visited his parents over Sunday.
The quarterly meeting was quite largely attended Sunday at Minister.

Mr. and M. F. Catlin and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Dotterer, of Kellestville, took advantage of the sleighing and drove to church at Minister Sunday.
Mrs. Terrill, of Newmansville, is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Blum for a few days.
Mrs. Daniel Downey is visiting her son, John Downey, at Bluejay for a few days.

Rev. Montgomery took dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Fairweather, Sunday. Grandma Bailey, of Minister, is on the sick list.
Miss Lois Welsh, of Balltown, has gone to Sheffield to attend school and take music lessons.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Dotterer, Mr. and Mrs. Ves. Shots and children and Rev. Montgomery had supper with Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Gillespie, Sunday evening.
Mrs. Mute Jordan returned from the Oil City hospital, Monday. She is slowly recovering, and her many friends are glad to see her home again.

Business is rushing on the Minister railroad. They have taken to carrying passengers on the steam loader. Can't accommodate many at a time, but are glad to take what they can.

Miss Tena Zuendel has returned to her home at Ross Run, after visiting her sister, Mrs. B. J. Weller, of this place.

About Capt. Clapp's Will.
Local war survivors who were out with Captain John M. Clapp, deceased, during the Civil war, have not yet been able to persuade themselves that the story that he had left each a bequest of \$5,000 is a myth, although his will recently probated in Washington, D. C., made no reference whatever to his former comrades-in-arms. On Thursday several of the members of his company were interviewed by a stranger, who urged that his mission be kept a secret, and who refused to divulge his name. His story was to the effect that he had come on from New York to look after the interests of the men who expected to benefit by the will of Captain Clapp. That there was a second will that had not come to light, but that he was trying to locate it, and the soldiers would then come into their own. He also informed them that the will in Washington, D. C., was illegal, and that the document would not stand trial, as it should have been probated in Chautauque county, N. Y., which was the legal residence of the deceased.

This information has aroused all of the former hopes of those approached of receiving a small fortune from the Clapp estate. Whether the stranger is practicing a cruel imposture upon these oil soldiers, through motives prompted to make himself appear large in their eyes, or with a view of encouraging them to give him money to follow up an alleged investigation, or whether he is sincere, and there is a later will than that probated at the national capital can only be surmised, as it was impossible to learn his identity.

The shattering of their dream of wealth has proven to be a severe blow to the men who were led to expect that they would receive it, both by the hints dropped by Captain Clapp and neglect of any one in authority to deny the truth of any of the stories to that effect that were current here for the past month or more, and if the stranger is a sharper, they are apt to prove easy dupes. If money is demanded for carrying out the alleged search for the will, it would be a wise thing on the part of the men approached or their families to refer the agent to an attorney to carry on the negotiations. The publicity that the phantom bequest has received through the press all over the country offers a rich field to crafters and confidence men.—Oil City Derrick.

—Don't let the opportunity slip by. Hopkins is selling all winter goods at prices that will astonish you. No goods carried over if low prices will move them.

Nominations for February Election.

TIONESTA BORO.
Republican—Justice of the peace, C. A. Randall, S. S. Canfield; council, J. W. Jamieson, W. J. Campbell; school directors, J. R. Clark, W. G. Wyman; assessor, H. E. Moody; auditor, John G. Jamieson; judge, C. A. Hill; inspector, S. R. Maxwell.

Democratic—Justice of the peace, D. W. Clark; school directors, T. F. Ritchey, James Haslet; council, J. A. Adams, R. M. Herman; assessor, H. E. Moody; auditor, G. G. Gaston; judge, C. A. Hill; inspector, C. J. Killmer.

TIONESTA TWP.
Republican—Supervisors, Will S. Clark, Lyman W. Mong; school directors, James Mealy, Jas. Swabb; judge, W. W. Thomas; inspector, John Allio; auditor, Fred Dryer; clerk, Orion Allio.
Democrats nominated J. C. Hoovler for supervisor, and Charles Corb for inspector, and endorsed the balance of the Republican ticket.

GREEN TWP.
Republican—Supervisor, F. E. Hunter; school directors, Fred Klinefelter 3 years, Philip Wolf, 3 years, Thomas Sibley, 2 years; auditor, R. P. Kerr; assessor, R. W. Lodeburn; judge, James Smith; inspector, Ed. Nani.

HICKORY TWP.
Republican—Supervisor, C. H. French; treasurer, G. W. Warden; auditors, W. H. Stiles, M. E. Abbott; school directors, J. P. Aylesworth, F. L. May, H. W. Albaugh; assessor, Joseph Green; justice of the peace, J. Albaugh; judge, H. O. Taft; inspector, John Thompson.

KINGSLEY TWP.
Republican—Supervisor, M. F. Catlin; school directors, C. Y. Detar, F. J. Henderson, R. C. Heath; auditor, Harry Pierson; treasurer, A. H. Downing; assessor, Wesley Kinch; assistant assessor, Harry Rudolph; judge, James Ault; inspector, F. B. Robbins.

Rural Carriers' Rules.
A rural mail carrier from Port Bryan, N. Y., has had a set of rules prepared for his patrons which are evidently meant to be read "over the left." Here are some of them:
"1. Do not stamp letters, especially in winter, as the carrier has taken off his mittens and will spend some time anyway in looking for pennies.
"2. Avoid placing the correct change in the box, as the carrier always carries a national bank in his vest pocket.
"3. If you desire a two-cent stamp, a postal card or three stamped envelopes, do not write your needs on a slip of paper and thus annoy the carrier. Just drop a half dollar in the box; the carrier is a mind reader and will know what you want.
"4. We most earnestly advise buying stamps one at a time, requesting the carrier to wait while you write—it is so pleasant when the thermometer is about zero. It is also respectful to the horse.
"5. Please attach your mail box to a tree or the fence, as these serve to guide the carrier in storms and deep snow.
"6. Report the carrier every time you are not otherwise occupied. It will make him alert and happy.
"7. In telephoning to a carrier to bring out a couple of plow points and a 25-pound sack of flour just drop a couple of apples if the box—not a dime, mind—as apples make a horse's hair look slick and shiny. Never under any circumstances place a spare rib in the box, as the only record of a rural carrier eating meat was made five years ago, when a farmer who had slaughtered 25 pigs gave a carrier a liver for his Thanksgiving dinner.—R. F. D. News.

Advancement of Christian Religion.
The annual presentation of statistics of the churches of the United States, compiled by Dr. H. K. Carroll, appears in the New York Christian Advocate of Jan. 17th, and shows the net gain of all denominations in 1906 as 4,300 ministers, 8,635 churches and 870,389 communicants. The Roman Catholic church reports 11-143,455 communicants, with a gain of 239,948; but the writer explains that the figures are not the result of an actual count, but are derived from estimates of "population," Catholic "population" including all persons baptized—old and young. Following the Roman Catholic church comes the Methodist (17 bodies) with 6,551,891 communicants, an increase during the year of 118,475; then the Baptists, with 5,140,770, an increase of 93,162; the Lutherans, with 1,957,433, an increase of 116,087; the Presbyterians, with 1,771,877, an increase of 48,006; the Episcopalians, with 1,354,758, an increase of 29,461. The Christian Scientists have 80,197 members, showing an increase of 9,993; the Evangelical, 179,339, an increase of 12,361. The Catholics gained more than double the increase of any other faith, the Methodists and Lutherans followed with about 118,000 each. The Baptist is the only other denomination that gained anything like 100,000, the rest falling far below that figure. But three minor bodies, the Friends, the River Brethren and the Theosophists, report losses, so that taken as a whole, the cause of Christ showed material advancement during the year.

Greenwood, Barnett Twp.
Blair Spangler of North Pine Grove spent Wednesday evening at the home of John Barton, and enjoyed a vocal and violin musical treat by Miss Lizzie and Will and Mark Barton.
Will Barton was at Spangler's Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Coon visit their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Coon, last week.
Lizzie and Mark Barton were Redclyffe visitors Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. John Barton visited her friend, Mrs. Mrs. James Cousins, Wednesday and had a pleasant time.
Mrs. Harve Confer visited Mrs. Wm. Irwin, near Cooksburg, Saturday, who has been ill for some time, but is improving somewhat now.

Lizzie and Mark Barton, Alta Timlin, Amy Work, Lulu Crossman and Mrs. Crossman of this vicinity, and Harry McKenzie, and Ruth and Earl Painter, of Ella post office, attended the entertainment at Cooksburg Saturday evening.

—A friend of mine was afflicted with Bright's Disease and given up by the doctors. He was urged to try Thompson's Barosma, and today he is as well as ever. Amos Goodwin, 126 W. 19th St., Erie, Pa. The dollar bottle contains much more than two 50c bottles. Dunn & Falton.

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