Democratic Watchman

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THINGS ABOUT TOWN & COUNTY

-Erb's circus begins its season, in Philipsburg, to-day.

-Everything that is stylish in millinery can be found at Mrs. Gilmore's. -George T. Bush returned from

his southern trip, on Tuesday morning. -___L. T. Munson spent several days in Philipsburg during the fore part of

the week -Ex-Rep. J. H. Holt, of Moshan-

on, dropped in to see us on Wednesday forgotten in a day had the avoricious

----Leonard Rhone Esq., of Centre Hall and 'Squire Reifsnyder, of Millheim, are on the sick list.

their hour of passion.

usual sentence.

fine and costs of prosecution.

sentenced to four months in jail.

procuring a suit of clothes from C. B.

under false pretense-We gave a full

history of the case some weeks ago--

ed between prosecutors and defendant.

assault and battery upon his neighbor

of some trees. Defendant found guilty

and sentenced to pay \$5.00 and costs.

and county to pay costs.

Judges Furst, Riley and Rhoades

were on the bench when crier Galbraith

announced the opening of Court. Most

of the morning session was taken up by

the constables' reports and petitions of

various kinds. The Grand Jury got

club will play at the College this afternoon, at 3 o'clock. Admission 35cts.

-Mrs. W. L, Speer is enjoying the delightful sea breezes at Atlantic City. the guest of her niece Mrs. C. L. Valen tine.

-Miss Blanche Hayes left, Tuesday morning, for Philadelphia, where she will stay several weeks visiting and sight seeing.

Prof. J. H. Waters, of the University of Missouri, has accepted the chair of Agriculture at the Pennsylvania State College.

-Centre Hall is to have a stave dozen of them judging from the number of bad boys we have.

-It is highly probable that Kellar, the most eminent magician in the world, will give a matinee in this place, on Saturday, May 21st,

-Rev. George M. Glenn, Mrs. Glenn and their son Randolph, of South Williamsport, are visiting friends and relatives in Half Moon.

-Miss Laura Hafer returned from Philadelphia, on Wednesday morning. She has been attending a college of dental surgery and is home on her Spring vacation.

-Mr. A. H. Rhone, an old friend and patron of the WATCHMAN, has pulled up stakes at Gallitzin, with the intention of becoming a citizen of Cumberland, Maryland.

----Miss Mary Ishler, a daughter Emanuel Ishler, of Altoona, and a

THE WEEK IN COURT .-- On Morday and court adjourned to re-convene on norning the regular April term of court Monday next. convened and began the trial of a long Mr. James, the Philipsburger, who list of cases many which should never was foreman of the Grand Jury, cer-

have been brought in. It is really too tainley left a most favorable impression bad that the Justices, throughout the of his ability in the capacity to which he county, do not exercise better judgment was appointed and in appreciation of the in the trial of the petty little cases, manner in which he kept the work going brought before them, instead of bringa silver handled, silk umbrella was preing them here for the county to bear the sented him. It was the first thing of costs. If the court would put the costs the kind that has ever been done in the on the Justices, instead of on the counhistory of our court.

ty, there would be less expense attached The following is the report of the to the holding of our Quarter Sessions and a more friendly feeling in every Grand Jury which performed its duties community. As it is now; every garthe past week. It will be seen that that den fence squabble is carried to the body, found the county property in fair condition, the offices in good order and Squire and he has not the tact to adjust intelligently run ; the new improvements matters, but gives the parties law. After lately made by the Democratic Comthey have once begun suit they cannot withdraw, and in many instances life missioners, excellent and highly satisfactory, and everything in good shape, time feuds are germinated from a little but still needing additional changes, retongue fight which would have been pairs, etc : Justice but calmed the aggrieved in

To the Honorable Judges of the Court of Quarter Session, of the Peace of the county of Centre, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, the Grand Inquest of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania inquiring, for the county of Centre, in all mat_ ters relating the same do respectfully report, First-We have acted upon all the bills

of indictment offered by your District At. torney.

down to work at the start with A. T. 2nd-We inspected the jail and dwelling James, of Philipsburg, as foreman, and and recommend some repairs in and the regular work then began as follows: about the same: the steps and windows Com. vs. Staton Milton, f. and b. are very much out of order, the Range in the kitchen should have a new top and Defendant plead guilty and received the grate. Several rooms need papering, the cells in the jail need white-washing and Com. vs. Edward Decker, of College better ventilation and one board partition Twp., charged with making an assault needs casing with sheet iron, several locks on important doors should be replaced with a butcher knife, upon his wife. with new ones, the sewers should be tak-Guilty, with three months in jail, \$25,00 en into consideration, the pump is out of order, the jail walls should be plastered Com. vs. Ed. Barar and Benny Wy. on the inside and last but not least we recommend that a neat and newly furland, two Milesburg boys, aged 14 and factory. Bellefonte should have a half 15 years respectively, charged with an the Court House which would please nished Sheriff's office be placed in or near assault upon a little girl. Guilty and many who away have business with that official and avoid the climbing of the hill Com. vs, H. S. Johnson, charged with

3rd-The improved water closets we found in a satisfactory condition. 4th-We found Treasurer Gramley's of-

Shaffer & Sons, the State College tailors fice in good shape and plenty of cash-and as we passed into the Commissioners office we were more than pleased looking into the Rochester filing system, which Verdict : "not guilty" and costs dividsaves much labor and is security for important and valuable documents, and would recommend some substantial cov-Com. vs, Isaac Tressler, charged with ering for the floor. 5th-The District Attorney's office needs

William Colpetzer, whom he struck new office furniture as the present outfit does not compare with the good appear during an altercation about the planting ance and dignity of the gentleman who administers that office.

6th-The Prothonotary's office is in good Com. vs. Pat. and Hugh Ward, order and now with improvements to the charged with cutting timber on land vault should meet with the entire satisfaction of all tax payers of the county for belonging to the Lehigh Valley coal the proper care and feeling of all valucompany. Defendants proved an alibi able records. 7th-The Recorder's office is in proper

Com. vs. William Colpetzer, charged condition and we only recommend a new covering for the floor. with adultery. Case brought by Isaac 8th-The stairs and Tressler, who evidently wanted to get | Court Room needs some cleaning and releading to the 9th-We hardly know what to suggest in regard to the front yard, but think it should be put in a more presentable shape for property so open to public view and not forgetting curb stones for the protection of the walk.

IF HE VISITS YOU, BE READY .- An exchange gives the following account of of Lancaster, was in town, on Wednesa fraud which we thought necessary to day, endeavoring to sell our commissionworn you of. A fraud is traveling through the country under the names of James B. Aoward, Walter A. Scott, Arthur B. Wilson, and other aliases, swindling Odd Fellows Lodges and members. About a month ago he was in this town, and while here broke into the room of Jun-

iata Lodge, No. 117, I. O. O. F., by cutting around the lock, broke open a desk and affixed the seal of the Lodge to a number of visiting cards which he is said to have stolen from some other Lodge. The burglary was not discovered by the members until the next night of meeting, nor was it known that he had done anything until word came from the secretary of Marine Lodge, No. 62, of Luray, Va., stating that he had loaned Walter A. Scott, who represented he was a member of Juniata Lodge, the amount of \$15,73 to pay his

expenses home. He asked for a refunding order. The matter was referred to Grand Secretary James B. Nicholson. of Philadelphia, who at once sent a circular to the Odd Fellows Lodges in the State warning them of the impostor. The swindler is about 5 feet, 6 inches tall, medium height, dark complexion, dark hair and mustache. He professes

to be a steel engraver, and is represented to be pleasant and intelligent in conversation. His residence is not known. The scamp is still on his travels. After leaving Luray, Va., he went to Wilmington, Del., where he tried to impose on a Lodge ; next he went to Patterson, N. J., April 1st, where he got into the Lodge when in session, said he was in distress, fooled them out of \$5 on the, the card and retired with an overcoat in the anteroom, belonging to one of the members ; April 3d he was at Poughkeepsie, N. Y., where he fleeced the Lodge out of \$15; and the last heard of him he was in Great Falls, New Hampshire, April 5, where he got \$15 more

under the name of Arthur B. Wilson. On Thursday the postmaster here received a letter from F. L. Chapman, at Shelburne Falls, Mass., making inquiry as to the name of the Lodge, showing that the fraud has been there also. He has been operating the same game in Ohio, where he is said to have stolen traveling cards from a lodge room in that state, and had them sealed with the seal of Allen Lodge, No. 223, of Lima, Ohio. He is in possession of the annual traveling password of the order, and is

Lodges. The scamp is playing his game the ground has been secured and in the

-Representative Walter Franklin, ers booths to be used at the election next fall.

-Bedford cords 30 to 75 cents. Lyon & Co.

-On Sunday morning |a little boy baby was born at the home of W. L. Malin, on east Howard street. Mr. Malin has two daughters and is naturally very much elated over the advent of a son into the household

-Boys suit \$1.20 1.50 1.75 2.00 and upward Lyon & Co.

-Chas. Nau has received license for his Tyrone hotel and expects to have his bar running in a few days. If Charley becomes as much of an expert in mixology as he is on the piano, Tyrone people will certainly get good drinks.

-Boys knee pants from 25 cents to \$1. Lyon & Co.

-From the noise eminating from the vicinity of the lime kiln's, on Wednesday morning, we are led to suppose that Robert McCalmont will be springing a rain making machine on unsuspecting Bellefonters ere long.

-Mens black dress suits \$8.00, 8,50 9.00, 10.00, 12.00 and 15.00. Lyon &

-Jacob Heller, of Sandy Ridge, was a grand juror at Court this week and called to see us, on Wednesday. He reports things very dry out around his place and for fear that they will not brighten up soon he has taken a large contract to manufacture red brick, in Philipsburg, this summer.

-The best styles of mens dress pants \$2.50, 3.00, 3.50, 4.00 and 5.00. Lyon & Co.

The entertainment given by the students of the Academy in the opera house, last night, was well attended and quite a success. A fair sized house seemed highly delighted.

-Mrs. Gilmore's fine line of laces, ruchings and millinery is attracting crowds to her store.

OUR NEW PARK .-- Last fall the WATCHMAN told its readers that a mevement was on foot which, when consummated, would give this county well prepared to swindle unsuspecting one of the finest recreation parks in the State. We are pleased to say now that

On the athletic field the Bellefonte

OWEN-BULLOCK.-On Wednesday

adroitly, and is making good time skip- course of a few weeks will be thorough-

PROHIBITIONISTS IN CONVENTION,-On Friday afternoon the temperance element of the county met to give "King Alcohol" his annual trembling fit. How well they succeeded will not be seen for some time to come, and notwithstanding the fact that they have partially lost their grip on Judge Furst the convention seemed hopeful and bright.

Rev. Zeigler, county chairman, called the meeting to order and Dr. Isaac Guss, of Philipsburg, was made permanent chairman. After Rev. Craig, of Julian, had invoked the blessings of God on the work Rev. Zeigler read the opening ad_ dress, in which he showed the temperance work to be in a most flourishing condition in the county. His talk was based upon personal observations made while canvassing for the new temperance paper, the Centre County Shield and was exceedingly encouraging to the workers in the cause.

Their county ticket was made as follows: Associate Judge, William Thompson, of College township; Representatives, W. J. Dale, of near Bellefonte; C. C. Hess, of Rush township; Prothonotary, Walter Scott, of Philipsburg .- No nomination was made for District attor-

ney; Dr. Guss and Rev. Zeigler were reelected to positions on the State Central committee; and Christian Buck, of Unionville; Dr. W. S. Biglow, of Philips-

burg; William Thompson, of College township; Dr. George Swartz, of Bellefonte were chosen delegates to the State Convention with William Fisher, of Unionville; W. T. Bair. of Philipsburg ; Wm. Bell, of State College, and Samuel Shafferof Bellefonte as alternates.

H. D. Patton, state chairman, addressed a general meeting afterwards and Miss Lilly Runals, a New York prima donna, sang some clever selections. A general meeting was held in the evening when a large crowd assembled, in the Court House, to hear the speakers.

-----Ladies blazers in tans and other light shades \$3.00 \$3.50 and upward. Lyon & Co.

-The residents of west Willowbank street were greatly excited, on Saturday afternoon, when a team of horses, which had been tied in front of Mitchel Lieb's house, took fright and ran away. They dashed wildly down the street and broke through the fence, into the Gentzel property, entirely demolishing it and the harness, though the horses and wagon escaped with very little injury.

-Dress gingham 61, 7, 8, 10, 12 15 and 20 cents. Lyon & Co.

niece of Sheriff Ishler, of this place, was married to Mr. Frank Mokle, on last Thursday afternoon.

-That Nittany Valley railroad craze is on again. It seems that when the engineers, who are supposed to be running up and down Sugar Valley almost continuously, find nothing else to do they come over and arouse the Nittanyites.

-The firm of Bunnell & Aikens, in this place.

-Joseph Acton, a well known miner, residing at Philipsburg, was crushed to death by a fall of coal, in Derby mine, on Friday afternoon. He was working with his two sons at the time, when the premature fall crushed his skull into an unrecognizable mass.

-Just after the WATCHMAN had gotten off the press, on last Friday morning, we learned of the fire which completely destroyed the residence of Alexander McDowell, near Snow Shoe. The origin of the fire is unknown and the loss was about \$2000 fully insured.

----Mrs. P. to Judge F.--"Judge can I say something."

Judge F. to Mrs. P .- "No, I'll see you later."

If his Honor really intends doing such a thing we might have another term.

--- Council has appointed another committee to assess damages for the lenghthening of Curtin, Lamb, Linn, Howard, High, Bishop and Beaver streets out to the eastern borough line. A committee to do the same work was appointed some time ago, but could not agree upon the valuation.

----Monday morning Mr. W. O. Malin came down town so happy that everybody knew something unusual had happened. Here's to the new son, that weighed eleven pounds and that is, the the Malin family. May he live to be a church. joy to his mother and an honor to his father.

Miss Kate Bullock, and Jos. L. Mont- paid monthly. gomery.

even with Colpetzer for having him ar- pairs. rested. It appears that Colpetzer was

married to Fannie Wilson, nearly twenty years ago, and one child blessed their union, but Fannie was too giddy for William and she left him. After eight years had elapsed he took unto himself another helpmate, in the person of a Miss Tressler, a sister of the prosecutor, and several children have come to them. Now Isaac Tressler is charging piano dealers of this place, has been his brother-in-law with adultery and as disolved by mutual consent of the he had no divorce from the first woman partners. Mr. Bunnell will open up a and no marriage certificate to the second music store, in Philipsburg, while J. A. he has been found guilty of the charge. Aikens will continue at the old stand, Sentence was suspended and defendant gave bonds in the sum of \$500,00 for his appearance at the August court. The Court advised him to institute proceedings for a divorce, at once.

Com. vs. Henry Williams, charged with vagrancy, by A. J. Thompson. Bill ignored and county to pay costs. Com. vs. Samuel Harpster, charged with cutting timber on lands of G. E. Rider. Guilty and motion for a new trial made.

Com. vs. John Rishel Jr. charged with horse stealing, by Foster Fannon. Bill ignored and county to pay costs.

Com. vs. Elmer Henderson, assault and battery ; 2nd, feloniously shooting with intent, etc.; 3rd, wantonly discharging a revolver .-- This case was brought by young Richards who threat. ened to whip Henderson because he made some unsavory remarks about the desertion case to try at the August girl he was going with, and a full account of the shooting appeared in the

WATCHMAN at the time True bill, but continued to next term. Com. vs. Jno. Young, charged with larceny by Rev. Jackson, of Julian. As the boy was only 9 years old he was discharged.

Com. vs. Samuel and Jesse Long

charged by the Bethseda Evangelical Association, with failure to pay \$100, the consideration the association was to of the bride's parents, in Buffalo Run, by receive if a camp meeting was held in the Rev. Mr. Warton. The bride, who Long's woods and the owner's given all the stand privileges. A verdict for bright and accomplished young lady only boy in the present generation of \$103,45 was returned for Bethseda eminently fitted to be the companion

desertion, proved to be one of the spiciest be. The wedding was a very quiet af--Among the Bellefonters who at. little cases that has been tried for some fair; only a fix of the most intimate tended the Owen-Bullock wedding, at time. It afforded lots of amusement for friends and relatives being present. Mr. Mechanicsburg, on Wednesday evening, the court and audience. Peters was re- Guyer Mattern was best man and were: Mrs. Gen. Hastings and daughter quired to pay \$5,00 per week mainten- Miss Lever, of Stormstown, was maid of Helen, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Woodcock, ance, and the rent of the house in which honor. After an extended visit to the swindler, for he is dangerous.-Ex. H. P. Harris, Mr. and Mrs. Frank his wife lives. And was required to eastern cities, the happy couple will go Montgomery, Mose Montgomery and give bonds that maintenance would be to housekeeping at Scotia, where the A number of petitions were presented Carnegie Bros.

10th-We reported favorably for new bridges at Troys Crossing, Rush township, Centre county, Pa, and report in a manner for new iron bridges in College township, Pa.

11th-We respectfully tender thanks to the Honorable Judges, District Attorney and all county officials for attention and favors received by A.T. JAMES.

Bellefonte April 27. 1892., Foreman.

-- Mrs. Judge Christian, of Richmond, Virginia, is visiting friends in Centre Co., on her way home from a six months trip through the West.

-----Clinton county fish wardens are busy arresting illegal fisherman and if their example is only followed by our own officers the fish in our streams will perhaps be protected.

-Miss Anna Shaw, the State Organizer of the Young Woman's Christian Temperance Union, spent several days, the fore part of the week with Mrs. John P. Harris. Sunday she addressed the vesper services of the Christian Endeavor Society and the Epworth League, and on Monday evening conducted a meeting, in the Temperance rooms, in the interests of the Ys.

-----The last chance for Cleary, now under sentence of death at Lock Haven was given him before the board of pardons on Tuesday last. What the result of the hearing will be is not yet known but the general feeling throughout this section, is shown in the hope that the death sentence will be changed to a term of imprisonment.

-Miss Eva Gray and Mr. Frank Clemson were married, Tuesday morning at nine o'clock, at the residence is a daughter of Mr. Wesley Grav, is a and helpmate of a young man as worthy Com. vs. W. H. Peters, charged with as Mr. Clemson has proven himself to groom is general superintendent for cheviot suits 5.00, 6.00, 6.50, 7.00, 8.00,

ping around the country with his ill ly equipped for outing parties. gotten money. Lodges, and members of the order, should be on the alert to catch of the Bellefonte Central railroad, at him, and bring him to justice. Hunter's station, and embraces a beau-

tiful grove rising, in a gentle slope, ----Mens black and brown cheviot from the railroad to a cleared plateau suits \$3.50, 6.00, 6.50, 7.00, 8.00 10.00 where the athletic grounds will be laid upward. Lyon & Co.

out. Gigantic pines and oaks are dominant and the ground is covered BELLEFONTE SHAKEN UP -- On Wednesday morning, at 8.30, a most terrific with a velvety sward, though at places explosion occurred at the quarries opergreat bowlders and roots crop out to ated by McCalmont & Co., just a short | lend a romantic appearance to the distance below town, and as our build- place. A spring will be the feeder of ings shook and trembled many residents a miniature lake, over which several ran out into their yards thinking that an rustic bridges will be swung and paearthquake was come. vilions, toilet houses and everything Down about the quarries everything

for convenience will be erected. was excitement. Men were running to and fro vainly trying to find some trace team will play its games, to which exof the dynamite warming house, while cursion trains will be run from the others were so excited that they did not union depot. A round trip ticket inknow what they were doing. The cause cluding admission to the games will be of the explosion no one could tell. It sold. One of the valuable points of the was evident that the warming house had field lies in the fact that it will be a been "in it" however for no trace of it neutral ground for College championhas yet been found. It was a little 8x8 ship games. Next week we will give building in which the dynamite was a more extended account of it. placed to warm it up preparatory

to using. A stove was always kept going in the place and the dynaevening, at half-past eight o'clock, mite sticks were laid along on shelves. Rev. J. A. Woolcock pronounced the At the time the explosion took place. ceremony which united in marriage there were about forty pounds of dyna-Mr. John Montgomery Bullock, of mite, and ten of Judson powder, in the this place, and Miss Mary Maude place and Theo. McNichols, the boss Owen, of Mechanicsburg. The nupquarryman, says everything was right tials were solemized at the home of when he left it just a short time before. the bride's parents, where a large num-The report was heard for miles and the ber of friends had assembled. The shock was felt throughout the entire ceremoney was pronounced in the spacommunity. Windows were shattered, cious parlors of the Owen's home, cisterns cracked and plastering broken. which were beautifully decorated with While down near the quarry, men were thrown violently to the ground. Wild tropical plants and cut flowers. Jos. ideas of California earthquakes and Par-L. Montgomery, a cousin of the groom .

isian bomb throwers flooded through our acted as best man and Miss Helen mind as we heard the report and the on- Hastings, only daughter of Gen. D. H. ly reason why we didn't count our beads Hastings, was maid of honor. Hardand throw our wealth into the creek was man P. Harris, of this place, and sevbecause we didn't have any. eral gentlemen whose names we have

been unable to learn were the ushers. THE LATEST SWINDLE--The latest The groom is one of Bellefonte's windle is carried on by means of a doubmost honourable and industrious young le fountain pen, one end of which is men. Having been connected with the filled with good substantial ink, the other with ink that fades away in a day or two. The sharper writes the agreement, contract, or whatever way he may have chosen with ink that will not last. In a and future success. His bride is a few days he has a slip of paper with young woman of rare accomplishments nothing but a signature over which he and is the only daughter of Charles N. car write a note and easily turn it into Owen, one of the leading merchants of cash. Look out for the fountain pen Mechanicsburg.

They are now enjoying their honey. moon, but will be at home, Thursdays, -Young Mens black and brown after May 12th, at No. 24 N. Alle-9.00 and 10.00. Lyon & Co. gheny street.

-----The story that the P. R. R. was The new park in located on the line after the Du Boise estate coal and timber lands is a canard.

Furniture For Sale-Cheap.

An antique oak side board, with plain mirror and half a dozen dining chairs to match will be sold cheap. _Also 8 dining chairs, in solid walnut. All in the best of condition. Inquire at this office.

FOR RENT .- A good stable near the passenger station. Rent cheap. Iuquire at this office.

-Don't miss seeing those \$10 suits at Fauble's.

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20.00. Pantaloons made to order \$5.00-6.00-7.00.

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