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THINGS ABOUT TOWN & COUNTY

-A new 200 horse-power boiler is to be added to the Bellefonte steam heat plant.

-The regular August term of the Centre county court will begin next Monday.

___Editor N. S. Bailey has been elected President of the Bellefonte Prohibition League.

-The Zion band will accompany the Bellefonte Golden Eagles to Altoona on the 6th of September.

-An unusual number of trifling court docket next week.

-The proceeds of the ice cream festival at Pleasant Gap on Saturday evening will be devoted to charity. -With a view to the improvement

of its roads Harris township has purchased a stone crusher of improved pattern. -The Bellefonte firemen were represented by a delegation of nine at the

----The Centre County Teachers' Institute this year will be held during the week commencing Monday, December

---The Bellefonte Commandery K G. E. will make a fine appearance in their new uniforms which they received

this week. -The district convention of the Christian Endeavor Society will be held in the Presbyterian chapel in this place,

September the 5th and 6th. -Company B returned home from the Gettysburg encampment last Saturday morning looking none the worse for their week of military exercise.

-Mr. Lewis Zimmerman, one of the oldest residents of Walker township, died at his residence near Hecla, last Monday morning, aged about 71 years.

--- Margaret, the little two year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward C. Cooke, died of cholera infantum last Friday and was buried Sunday after. noon at 5 o'clock.

in their clothing store.

--- George H. Noll, a cripple who bank, near Bellefonte, on Wednesday evening, at the age of 45 years.

-W. Fred Reynolds is happier than when he received his commission as Lieutenant Colonel on Gov. Pattison's staff, for a young son and heir, who is to be christened William Fred-

-A large supply of coal and other materials will allow the Valentine furnace to start operations next week. It neer in a general resumption of manufacturing operations in this neighbor-

--- The 6th day of September will be the last date upon which voters can register to give them the proper and safe right of elective franchise in the several election districts. See to it that your name is properly placed upon the regis-

will be served. Everybody is invited to listened to with great interest. attend, enjoy themselves and help the

-An unusual interest is being takber. The attendance from this town and County will be large.

Philipsburg and Houtzdale.

- The two most imposing edifices fonte are the new Brockerhoff building, on the sight of the old Conard House. brick work of the first, and the stone work of the latter, have been completed.

ketch you if you don't look out."

BOROUGH COUNCIL .-- At the regular meeting of the Bourough Council on Monday evening the Street Committee reported the Lamb street bridge in bad condition and unsafe for traveling.

The Water Committee reported the water works in good shape and working fourteen hours a day, and recommended the laying of a 12-inch pipe from the works to increase the water supply in the northern part of the town. The laying of this pipe would save a pumping of 216,000 gallons of water per day with the stream pump, and would afparts of the town. The recommendation was unanimously adopted.

The Fire and Police committee reported progress in the matter of getting the council chamber building repaired. The Market committee report \$11.50 market fees collected during the past two weeks.

The Fire companies reported the following elections. Chief Fire Marshall, commonwealth cases will encumber the Frank C. Williams; First Assistant, P. H. Gerrity; Second Assistant, Joseph

In regard to the county bridge across Spring creek at Lamb street, Borough Solicitor Dale stated that the viewers appointed by the Court had reported in favor of it, and the report will be brought before the grand jury next week. In regard to the present bridge the Committee was instructed to repair it temfiremen's convention in Dubois on Tuesporarily and make it safe for the pre-

> One member of the Nuisance committee reported a number of nuisances on jail hill in the shape of hog pens, and suggested the passage of an ordinance prohibiting the keeping of hogs inside the borough limits.

The Street committee submitted the profile of grade as made by the borough engineer for Linn street with the recommendation that it be adopted, which was accordingly done.

The Street committee was instructed to attend to the complaint of Mr. Fortney that the water from Allegheny, Linn and Curtin streets, in times of heavy rains, ran through the stone school house vard and washed it badly.

THE BLAME SHOULD GO WHERE IT BELONGS .- Adjutant General Greenland at Harrisburg on Monday stated that the militia men will be paid for their services at the encampment at ner's flight. Gettysburg as soon as the pay rolls have been received at his department and approved. The Harrisburg Patriot says: Governor Pattison and Adju--Montgomery & Co. have settled tant General Greenland disclaim all with the insurance companies and will blame on the part of the national receive the amount of \$3,200 for guard authorities for the delay in shipdamage to their goods by the recent fire ping the troops from Gettysburg. Concerning the complaint of rations, Adjutant General Greenland says Colonel was a familiar figure to most of our Curtin took extra pains to visit the britownsmen, died at his home at the mine gades to ascertain whether they had sufficient food supply and was assured that all were satisfied, and especially was this so in his report on the first brigade. The matter will not be allowed to rest until the real offenders are personally

EX-SENATOR PEALE OF LOCK HAV-Senator Peale delivered an address in them first. which he said in reference to the newsis to be hoped that it will be the pio- paper talk of his entering the contest 1877 when he was named for State Senator by his constituents the nomination cost him but \$15-honest legitimate exbecome since that time that a nominafully \$5,000. As he was addressing an -The Evangelical Sunday school audience composed of both parties he will hold a festival in their church this did not confine himself to his own party, Friday and Saturday evenings, August but attacked political corruption in gen-24th and 25th. Ice cream, cake, etc., eral. The ex-Senator's remarks were

HARTMAN-GARBRICK.-On the 15th of August the wedding bells rang merrily at Hecla Park. The occasion of it en by the Grand Army veterans and was the marriage of Mr. Calvin S. Garother old soldiers of Bellefonte in the brick and Mary Hartman, which took G. A. R. National Encampment that place at noon on that day at the home will take place in Pittsburg in Septem- of the bride's parents, Rev. W. K. Diehl officiating. The day itself sympathetically smiled in brightest sun--The new railroad was opened for shine upon the happy pair. After the freight and passenger traffic between ceremony a sumptuous feast was served Houtzdale and Philipsburg last week. and enjoyed by all present. Later in It will give a large soft coal tonnage to the day the bride and groom left in the Beech Creek and Reading railroads. their own conveyance for an extended Sixteen trains a day will be run between | trip. "Cals" superb team of bays is able to cover many miles in a few days. All his friends unite in congratulating now in course of construction in Belle- him in securing for himself such a charming companion, who will help him hold the reins in the future, and the and the new armory building. The best wishes of a host of friends follow the happy pair.

--- The report that Gardner, the ab-- Last Saturday night Mrs. Barb. sconded cashier of the Altoona Second Fusser tackeled Bert Henderson up in National Bank, had been heard from front of Nighthart's barbar shop and and that he intended to return and degave him a couple of good sounding liver himself up, has not, as yet, been whacks before he had time to recover confirmed. In addition to the arrest of Porter township, and Hartsock's Fort Hecla this season than this rollicking William Hill, Herb Benner, and many others from his surprise. Young men take clerk Miller for making false entries in in Penn township. The purpose in lo- party of railroad people. Aside from warning; indulge not in slander, as she the bank books, Harry L. Calbaugh, cating the sites of these forts is that they the usual games there will be tub races, claims he did, or the "goblins will the ledger clerk, has also been arrested | may be marked with a stone or monu- dancing, pie eating matches and the on a similar charge.

-J. K. Rohn has been appointed postmaster at Eagleville.

- The Lock Haven picnic at Hecla Park last Saturday numbered about six hundred attendants.

-The body of I. J. Thompson, who died in the hospital at Warren, was taken to Lemont last Saturday for interment.

-Mr. and Mrs. Will H. Keller, of Lancaster, are rejoicing over a young son, who was born the day his grand ford an unlimited supply of water in all father, the late Col. D. S. Keller, was

> -Charles Jobson, of Mill Hall. was in Altoona last Friday when Bank Examiner Miller shot himself. He says that the excitement over the occurence was intense.

-Rev. Charles T. Steck, formerly of this place, but now of Shamokin, was a candidate for either Congress or Assembly in Northumberland county, but the result of the county convention does not show that he was nominated for either of those offices.

-The Democratic Convention of Lycoming county, which met in Williamsport on Tuesday, made the following nominations: Congress, William B. Holloway; state senator, Hon. J. Henry Cochran; members of assembly, Otto G. Kaupp, H. H. Rutter and Walter E. Ritter, the latter renominated for the third time.

-Some days ago the children belonging to a family named Shafer, at Salona, were playing in a tub of water few minutes afterwards a blast was set stone was thrown and fell right in the tub. Had it struck one of the children it August and the 1st and 2nd of October, was large enough to inflict serious if not fatal injury.

-One of the things which is puzzling the people of Altoona is the apparent lack of any effort to catch Gardner. As he certainly had between \$75,-000 and \$100,000 in cash with him, his capture ought to mean a great deal toward rehabilitating the bank. Nothing now is seen of the Philadelphia woman who was staying here previous to Gard-

-The Centre Hall Reporter, refering to the fact that 1895 will be the centennial anniversary of the building of the first house in Bellefonte, which was its commencement as a town, suggests that the people of the place should next year, and call in the outside world anniversary of the town.

culation in Lock Haven. The counterperfect workmanship. The phrase "In the people. Dr. Hollingsworth, of erick, arrived at his house on last Fri- EN DECLARES HIMSELF OUT OF POLI- God We Trust" is blurred, and the eagle | Hagerstown, Md., the celebrated Horse TICS .- At the annual pumpkin picnic and goddess are not as finely cast as on Tamer, will give daily entertainments. A held in Nippenose Valley last week, ex- the genuine coin. The banks detected large display of fine stock, machinery

> -The Lock Haven Express speaks for State Senator, that his ambition had of a visit of General Hastings, last week, run its course. He was done with poli- to Nittany Valley and the scenes of his tics. He knew of no office within the boyhood. Accompanied by Mrs. Hastgift of the people he would accept. In | ings he was met at the Central depot by Mr. George Weymouth, of Lock Haven, who owns the old Hastings farm in which the General spent hi penses. But so corrupt have politics early days, to which they went and where dinner was served. Places of intion for the same office now would cost | terest in the valley were visited and old memories revived.

> > -The Veteran Club of Centre county will hold their annual picnic at Hunter's Park, on the line of the Bellefonte Central Railroad, on Saturday September 1st. It is held earlier than usual in order not to conflict with the National Encampment at Pittsburg. The arrangements for transportation provide for one fare for the round trip on the Tyrone division and the P. & E. division of the Pennsylvania railroad and of the Central Railroad of Pennsylvania; special train over the Pennsvalley road to Coburn in the evening. Regular trains will carry all others home the same evening.

> > -In the interest of local history sites of the old forts that were built in Pennsylvania as defences against the Indians are being marked. This is being done by an organization called the Indian Forts Commission, and Mr. Jay G. Weiser, of Middleburg, Snyder counment as historical landmarks.

FOSTER SAYS WE WILL HAVE A WARM FALL AND A LATE WINTER .-My last bulletin gave forecasts of the storm waves to cross the continent from August 16 to 20 and 22 to 26. The next will reach the Pacific coast about the 26th, cross the western mountains by the close of the 27th, the great central vallevs from the 28 to the 30th, and the

eastern states about the 31st. The disturbance will be of more than usual force and severe local storms may be expected. As this is also an earthquake date, it cannot be determined whether the force will find relief through a great earthquake in some earthquake country or a great storm, or be divided and cause moderate storms and moderate earthquakes.

This disturbance will be at its greatest within the six days, August 28 to September 2, inclusive, probably on September 1. If it reaches its climax on that date its effects will be felt on the Pacific coast and off the Atlantic coast, as the storm waves will be due on those meridians at that time.

Very high tides will occur about these dates. Professor Falb, of Vienna, has, if the papers report him correctly, selected Aug. 16 for the great tidal waves. I would have selected August 29 to September 2, probably September 1, as the date of dangerous tidal waves, and I am of the opinion that the papers wrongly reported his dates.

From 17th to 19th of August will probably develop severe disturbances in various parts of the world and produce hight tides, but nothing to equal those from August 28 to September 2.

September will be a very warm month, with no killing frosts, except in and their mother called them away. A the extreme north, where light frosts may occur from the 29th of August in off in the quarry near by when a large the far north-west to September 3 in the far northeast. During the last days of frosts will do some damage in the extreme northern portions of the United States. September will also be a dry month as an average over the United States and Canada. Locally the rainfall increase in many of the drouth districts, and decrease where rains have been plentiful.

Winter will probably come in late, and a long, warm period of fall weather, with an unusually beautiful Indian summer, may be expected.

PATRONS PICNIC AND EXHIBITION OF CENTRAL PA., GRANGE PARK, CEN-TRE HALL, SEPT. 17 AND 22, 1894 -The management is actively engaged in fitting up the Park and getting ready for the grand re-union of the farmers of Centre county and Central make a grand centennial demonstration | Pennsylvania. Unusal attractions will be to celebrate with them the hundredth Master of the National Grange; Hon. Mortimer Whitehead of New Jersey, Past Lecturer of the National Grange ; - Counterfeit silver dollars of the Hon. J. C. Ailman, Lecturer of Penncoinage of 1891 are reported to be in cir- sylvania State Grange; Dr. Warren, State Ornithologist; Dr. Rothrock, feit has a good ring and is noticeably Botanist of the State Forestry Commislarger than the usual coin. The spur- sioner; Professors Waters and Frear of ious dollar can easily be detected from the Pennsylvania State College, and among a lot of good dollars by the im- other eminent gentlemen will address and implements. Elegant music, vocal and instrumental,

Camp will open, Saturday, Sept. 15. Religious services 10:30 a. m. and 2:30 and 7:30 p. m. on the Sabbath.

INSISTS THAT IT WAS MURDER .-Assistant U. S. District Attorney Griffith insists that the death of Bank Examiner Miller at Altoona was murder and not suicide. He said to a Pittsburg interviewer on Wednesday:

"The murderer might easily have been in the room without President Levan seeing him. The president is very near-sighted, especially without glasses. The murderer could have stepped into the vault, or have made his way into a back room that was seldom used. and afterward mingled with the crowd. The powder grains on Miller's head also indicated he had not shot himself. They plainly showed the muzzle of the revolver had been held a foot and a half or two feet away from him, which a person in firing at himself would

that there were two revolvers in the drawer lying side by side on the bottom of the drawer. After Miller was dead one was found on the top of the other, and the under one was wrapped in a newspaper of the date of the day before. It would have been absolutely impossible for Miller to have placed the revolver where it was, if he shot himself.

BEECH CREEK PICNIC :- On Saturday, August 25th, the Beech Creek emty, and Milton S. Lytle, historian of ployees will hold their annual picnic sites of four of the old forts in that coun- quire fifteen coaches to move this party, ty, and will make a future visit to an- which usually numbers one thousand. Shirley, near Shirleysburg; McAlevy's Creek people have a wide reputation Fort, in Jackson township; Anderson's and it is safe to say that no jollier Fort, near Petersburg; Lytle's Fort in crowd of merry makers will have visited

-President Levan, of the Second

day was large and the parade was im

-Rev. Robert H. Kline will con duct the services at St. John's Episcopal church next Sunday, August 26th, morning and evening.

--- C. S. McCormick, Esq., a well known attorney of Lock Haven, announces himself as a candidate for State Senator on the Democratic ticket.

-The Democratic judicial conference of this District will meet at Tyrone on the 31st inst., and will nominate C. M. Bower, Esq., for President Judge of the District, as he has the conferees of both Centre and Huntingdon counties.

-The Republican conference for this judicial district will probably be held in the first week in September. The chances between Love and Lovell are even, as each feels disposed to hold on to the last. There is not likely to be much love lost between them.

-L. Olie Meek, whose careful and diligent work in the composing and job rooms of this office raised it to its present high standard of excellence-a standard it means to sustain, has bought Grieb and Nidick's store at the State College and gone into the hardware business. The place is not a large one; but if it is possible to help it thrive by the one who will do it.

-A later phase of the Altoona Bank embezzlement was the arrest, on Monday, of Mayberry Miller, one of the clerks of the Second National Bank under Cashier Gardner, on a charge of making false entries in the books of said bank, by which Gardner was assisted in his dishonest action. The arrest was made at the instance of George M. Coffin, chief of the government bank examiners who came on from Washington and took charge of the bank. Miller, who was held in the sum of \$5,000, is 23 years of age and unmarried and came to Altoona from Sandy Ridge, Centre county, where he yet owns stock inherited from his father in the Sandy Ridge Fire Brick works. Aside from being wild and addicted to the drink habit to a great degree, not much of bad can be said about him, and he is, perhaps, no worse than many others of his age.

News Purely Personal.

-Mr. and Mrs. John Noll and their daughter, Bertha, have gone to Atlantic City for a residence of Henry Heaton.

-Mr. and Mrs. Herman Holtz, with their daughter, Edith, departed Monday evening -Mr. Adam Baum, of Philadelphia, and Mr.

Koester of Jersey Shore, spent a few days in -Mrs. D. H. Hastings, baby Sarah, and

maid, spent last Sunday in Philipsburg, the guests of Mrs. R. G. Kinsloe. -Mrs. Daniel Clemson of Pittsburg, on her way home from Atlantic city, was in town, this week, seeing friends and relatives. -Miss Mary Adams, who has been in

Youngstown, O. for two years, came home Wednesday to visit her father and brother. -Mrs. Will Galway, after spending five weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry

Harris, of Howard street, left for her home in Radford, Va. Thursday morning. -Mr. Will Hayes, a clever young botanist

and business man of Chicago, Ill., who has from 90c. up to \$2.50, last year \$1.50 to been visiting his sister, Miss Blanche Hayes | \$3 00. in this place, left last Saturday for his western

-Mrs. J. W. Gephart and her three children are expected home Saturday from the north-eastern part of Mi-souri, where they have been visiting Mr. Alfred Hayes for "the last month.

-Mortimer O'Donahugh left yesterday for his home in Philadelphia, to see and bring back with him his brother from Cork, Ire-[and, who is making his first visit to the Unit-

Washington and her little daughter, who have been the guests of Mrs. Henry Harris since last Friday, have gone to Snow Shoe for a short stav -Miss Letitia Landis, who has been visitng in town for three weeks, left for her home

in Berwyn near Phila. Thursday morning, with her little nephew, Harry Landis, who is "Another thing," Mr. Griffith said, "is going to spend the winter with his grand

-Mr. H. B. Shaffer, a newspaper man of Belford, Kan., and a son of H. E. Shaffer, who for years was a successful lawyer in Huntingdon, brought into this office Monday morning, copy of the paper on which he works. It is different from the ordinary paper, as it was made entirely from the stalks of the sun-flower, the only thing that thrives in that land of drougths, cyclones and Peffers.

-Atlantic City seems to be the Mecca for all our travelers this season. Yesterday Mr. and Mrs. Levan, Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Bartley, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Shaffer, Mrs. S. D. Ray, Mrs. Twit mire, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Lutz, Mr. and Mrs Huntingdon county, have visited the and games at Hecla Park. It will re- Donachy, Mrs. H. Yeager, Mr. and Mrs. J. Showers and son Harry, Mr. and Mrs. Swartz Mr. and Mrs. Robert McKnight, Jr., Mrs. S. Williams, Mrs. George Van Tries, Mrs. Rush other. They were as follows: For | For pure wholesome fun, these Beech Larimer, Mrs. McKin, Misses Marjorie Youl ton, Mary Murry, Mary Newel, Jennie Howley, Maggie Curry, Clair Saylor, and Messrs. L T. Munson, William Jenkins, Will Thomas, W. T. Speer, Fred Sourbeck, Clayton Brown started for that popular resort via the Cen tral R. R. of P. which runs chair and parlot cars from the Lamb street station to Phil adeldelphia without a change, for the party's ac-

comodation.

-The fine silver plated cornet and National Bank of Altoona, is a relative slide trumbone to be given as awards at of merchant tailor Levan of Bellofonte. Hecla, Aug. 30, are now on exhibition in the show window at Mr. F. P. The concourse of Odd Fellows at Blair's jewelery store. They are beautithe celebration at Rebersburg last Satur- ful instruments, finely engraved and and strictly first class. They are from the Henry Distin Manufacture Co., Williamsport, Pa.

PROGRAM FOR TOURNAMENT AT HECLA. AUGUST 30TH.

8 to 10 A. M. Escorting bands from trains by committee from Bellefonte band Band concerts. " " Grand Parade, all the bands play-

Dinner-Price 25 cents. 12.42 " " Organization of Tournament Association on the Band stand 1-15 P. M. Grand Contest.

ing the same tune.

1.30 to 5" " Dancing at the Pavilion 3.30 " " Judges Decision. While awaiting the Judges report selections will be played by the different bands.

Supper-Price 25 cents. " " Band Concerts. to 11 30" " Dancing at the Pavilion.

No entrance fee to the grounds will be charged. Free to all. Dancing afternoon and evening. Dinner and supper at 25 cents per meal.

-Between 9 and 10 o'clock last Monday evening a fire was discovered in the barn of Albert Gummo, who resides near Furst's in Nittany Valley mill. Spontaneous combustion is supposed to be the cause of the fire. Shortly before the fire was noticed, a son of Mr. Gummo heard an explosion and ran to the house and informed his parents. A few minutes afterwards the barn was ablaze. The farmers in the neighborhood assisted in getting the horses and cows out of the burning structure, but booming a business and conducting it in the flames gained such headway that an honest and wide awake manner, he is the barn, wagonshed, corncrib, the season's crops, farm implements and four calves were burned. The buildings were new, having been erected two years ago. The loss to Mr. Gummo is a serious one, and is estimated between \$3,500 and \$4,000. He had about \$2000 insurance.

> -The theory that Bank Examiner William Miller might have been murdered in the Second National Bank has been abandoned by everybody but Assistant United States District Attorney Griffiths. He still believes there are certain features of the case which look as if Miller were not a suicide. The looting of the bank by ex-Cashier Gardner to the extent of \$100,000, and the shooting of Bank Examiner Miller while investigating the matter, are twin morsels for all the gossips in Altoona.

-There will be a festival at Marsh Creek, on Saturday, September 8th, for the benefit of the Marsh Creek Baptist Mission church. All are invited to a tend and aid in a good cause. The festival will be held in the grove near the

Low Tariff Prices .-- In view of the fact that the Senate bill has passed we will close out our entire stock of clothing at cost.

Ten-Dollar (\$10.00) Suits. (5.00) " ... Black Cheviot Suits, that were \$12 now \$8.50 7.50 6.50 5.00 Ten-Dollar (\$10.00) Boys' Suits....now at \$6.00 (8.00) (6.00) (5.00)fwo " (2.00) One Dollar and Fifty (\$1.50) Boys suits at 1.25 Twenty-five (\$1.25) Boys' suits 1.25 All shoes, Oxfords, &c., at cost. We have just opened a big line of fall hats bought at low tariff prices. Fur hats as low as 50c., last year \$1.25; Stiff hats

LYON & Co.

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Potatoes per bushel .. The Democratic Watchman.

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\$3.00 if not paid before the expiration of the
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all arrearage is paid, except at the option of the
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