

ADDITIONAL LOCALS.

H. C. Williams was appointed postmaster at Beech Creek on Saturday.

The Logan hall, next Friday night, should be patronized by everyone.

Christmas evening go to the Methodist church and see the projectoscope. It will be a pleasant ending for the happy day.

Philip McGinley, formerly of Bellefonte, but now located at Loraine, Ohio, was married to Miss Laura Caldwell, of Milesburg, at noon, on Wednesday.

In our last issue we published a statement to the effect that the American ax and tool company contemplated concentrating its plants at a point in the Allegheny valley.

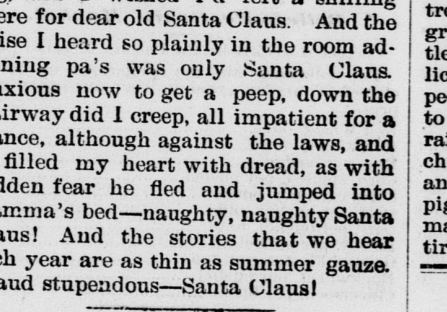
The Useful Holly. If we believe Pliny, the Roman historian and naturalist, the holly is a potent tree, exclusive of its Christmas privileges.

A Christmas Pie. The following appeared in the Newcastle Chronicle of Jan. 6, 1770: "Monday last was brought from Howick to Serwick to be shipped for London for Sir Hen. Grey bart., a pie the contents whereof are as follows—viz, 2 bushels of flour, 20 lbs. of butter, 4 geese, 2 turkeys, 2 rabbits, 4 wild ducks, 2 woodcocks, 8 snipes, 4 partridges, 2 neat's tongues, 2 curlews, 7 blackbirds and 6 pigeons.

Santa Claus. Once upon a midnight dreary, as I pondered weak and weary over all the Christmas presents that a boyish fancy drew, while with sleep I tried to tussle, tried with all my might and muscle, suddenly I heard a rustle, like the noise of Santa Claus.

A Christmas Gift. Starting appearance in church on the Sunday after Christmas of Uncle Hiram in the new overcoat his city cousins sent him.

Men who like to hold notes—Single ones. A united pair—Scissors.



THE GLOBE.

DRY GOODS, MILLINERY AND CLOTHING.

HOLIDAY GOODS AT HALF PRICE.

IN PREFERENCE TO PACKING AWAY ANY HOLIDAY GOODS WE WILL DURING THE WEEK BETWEEN CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEARS SELL ALL TOYS AND HOLIDAY GOODS AT EXACTLY ONE HALF THE MARKED PRICE.

ALL GOODS MARKED IN PLAIN FIGURES.

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Christmas Legends.

Many flowers are believed to have sprung into existence the night on which the Christ child was born.

In France there is a pretty legend of the rose called Sain-foin. When the babe was lying in his manger, this plant was among the grass and herbs which composed his bed, but suddenly it opened its pretty blossom and formed a wreath for his head.

The black hellebore, or Christmas rose, is also called Christ's herb because "it flourishes about the birth of our Lord Jesus Christ."

In Sicily the children put pennyroyal in their coats on Christmas eve because it always flowers at the exact time of Christ's birth.

In the east the rose of Jericho is said to blossom at Christmas, close at Good Friday, or the crucifixion, and open again on Easter, or the resurrection morn.

The peasantry in Spain believe that rosemary brings happiness with its perfume on Christmas eve because the Blessed Virgin hung the little flock of Jesus to dry upon the rosemary bushes.

The variegated thistle known as Our Lady's thistle was so called because of the Virgin's milk which dropped on it when nursing Jesus. Its healing qualities are attributed to this.

The snowdrop, or "fair" flower, of February blooms in memory of the time when the Virgin presented Jesus in the temple.

The pretty little wayside flower known as "Lady's Bedstraw" was so called because Mary made the manger bed of straw.

The yucca, or the yucca, is said to have been the tree of Joseph and Mary and sheltered them in their flight into Egypt.

The Star of Bethlehem was so called because of its resemblance to the star which guided the Magi.

The rose of Jericho is also called Mary's rose. It sprang up wherever the Blessed Virgin's feet touched the earth on her way to Egypt.

The juniper, which is sacred among the Celtic peoples, received its wonderful power because when Herod's soldiers pursued the holy family the juniper opened her branches and covered them from sight.

Another legend tells that the cross was made from juniper wood.

The pine, hazel, fig, date, palm and rosemary are all attributed with virtue as the shelters of the holy family.

When they passed through the forest, all the trees bowed in reverence; only the aspens remained erect and arrogant. So the Holy Child pronounced a curse, and as the sound of his voice the aspens began to tremble through all her leaves and has not ceased to tremble to this day.

There came not a breath of wind through the trees.

Then why did the aspens shiver? Another version is: Once, as our Saviour walked with men below, His path of mercy through a forest lay, And mark how all the drooping branches show What homage best a silent tree may pay.

Only the aspen stood erect and free, Scorning to join the voiceless worship pure. But see! He cast one look upon the tree, Struck to the heart, she trembles evermore.

An old legend tells that the Virgin Mary washed the swaddling clothes of the Holy Child beautiful flowers and bushes sprang up.

In Italy the lupine is said to be cursed by the Virgin because when she carried the Holy Bambino through a field they rustled so loudly she feared that robbers were following her to kill the Holy Child.

Another version tells that they all withered and fell flat, and when she found out her mistake she blessed them, they grew erect and bore tenfold better produce than before.

The brooms and chickpeas rustled and crackled so loud that they brought Herod's soldiers near, and Mary cursed them.

New Advertisements.

NOTICE.—Notice is hereby given that the first and final account of J. S. Goldman, committee of Amelia Goldman, lunatic, will be presented to the court for confirmation on Wednesday the 28th day of Jan., 1898, and unless exceptions be filed thereto on or before the second day of the term the same will be confirmed.

NOTICE.—Notice is hereby given that the first and final account of Robert Smith assignee of John F. Heckman, trust for the benefit of creditors, will be presented to the court for confirmation on Wednesday Jan. 26th, 1898 and unless exceptions be filed thereto on or before the second day of the term the same will be confirmed.

NOTICE.—In the matter of the assigned estate of Luther Guisewitz, notice is hereby given that the inventory and appraisement under the several acts of assembly setting apart three hundred dollars to Luther Guisewitz has been confirmed, and will be presented to the court for confirmation absolute on the 28th day of Jan., 1898 and unless exceptions be filed thereto on or before the second day of the term the same will be confirmed absolute.

PETITION FOR DIVORCE. Alverta Shaffer (In the Court of Common Pleas of Centre county, No. 3 Ang. Term, 1897.

Whereas Alverta Shaffer your wife has filed a libel in the Court of Common Pleas of Centre county against you, now you are hereby notified and required to appear in said Court on or before the 28th day of January next, to answer the complaint of the said Alverta Shaffer and show cause if any you have why the said Alverta Shaffer should not be divorced from the bonds of matrimony entered into with you, and in default of such appearance you will be liable to have a divorce granted in your absence.

UNSEATED LAND APPEALS FOR 1898. Notice is hereby given that an appeal for unseated lands will be held at the commissioners' office, Bellefonte, for the several assessment districts, as follows:

Triennial Assessment. Notice is hereby given that the Commissioners of Centre county will meet the taxpayers at the following times and places for the purpose of hearing and determining appeals for the triennial assessment for 1898.

Benner and Spring townships, Monday, January 31, at the Commissioners' office, Bellefonte.

South Phillipsburg and South Phillipsburg boroughs, Tuesday, February 1, at the public hall, Phillipsburg.

Walker and Marion townships, Friday, February 4th, at the election house, Hubersburg.

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COURT PROCLAMATION.—Whereas the Honorable J. G. Love, President Judge of the Court of Common Pleas of the 4th Judicial District, consisting of the county of Centre and in Centre county, having issued their precept bearing date the 24th day of Dec. to the effect of holding a Court of Oyer and Terminer and Peace in Bellefonte for the county of Centre, to commence on the 4th Monday of Jan. being the 24th day of Jan. 1898, and to continue two weeks, notice is hereby given to the peace officers of the Peace, Aldermen and Constables of their proper persons, that they be then and there noon of Centre, that 10 o'clock in the forenoon of the 24th, with their records, inquiries, those things which to their office appertain, to do done, and those used by the prisoners that are to prosecute against them as shall be just.

WANTED.—TRUSTWORTHY AND ACTIVE gentlemen or ladies to travel for responsible, established houses in Pennsylvania. Monthly \$25.00 and expenses. Position steady. Reference. Enclose self-addressed stamped envelope. The Dominion Company, Dept., Y. Chicago. 42-35-4in.

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THE ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of the Bellefonte and Conkling Railroad Company will be held at the Company's office in Bellefonte, Pa., on Monday, January 10th, 1898, at 10 o'clock a. m., for the election of officers for the ensuing year, and the transaction of other business.

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HORSE WAGON AND HARNESS FOR SALE.—The fine horse, Conkling wagon and harness used by Geo. W. Jackson & Co., millers of this place, is for sale at a bargain on or address GEO. L. JACKSON, Bellefonte, Pa. 42-44-4

A FINE FARM FOR SALE.—A fine farm located near Beech Creek, within 1 mile of two rail-road stations is for sale cheap. Address, WILLIAM McCALMONT, 44 West Main St., Lock Haven, Pa. 42-50-17

ORPHAN'S COURT SALE.—By virtue of an order issued by the Orphan's Court of Centre county, there will be exposed to public sale, upon the premises in the Boro, of Howard, on SATURDAY, JANUARY 1ST, 1898, at 10 o'clock a. m., the following real estate late the property of Samuel Brickley, to-wit:

All that certain messuage, tenement and lot of ground situated in the town of Hubersburg, known as lot No. 6 in the town plot of Absalom S. Tipton, and conveyed by N. J. Mitchell, bounded and described as follows, viz: beginning at a post at a twenty foot alley North thirty-five degrees West one hundred and sixty feet to a post, thence along a hundred and sixty feet to a post, at the great road fifty-five degrees East, sixty feet to a post, thence South thirty-three degrees East, one hundred and about thirty six feet to a post, thence along a road to the place of beginning, containing premises, which by deed of Absalom S. Tipton, the decedent, having thereon erected a

TWO STORY FRAME HOUSE AND Stable Wood-house, Smoke House, Out Kitchen and all necessary out-buildings.

All that certain lot of ground situate on the South side of Main street, near the Diamond in Pennsylvania, beginning at the corner of Grove Alley, thence along Main street North fifty-five degrees, thirty-nine feet to a four foot alley, thence along said alley South thirty-three degrees East, eighty-three feet to an eighteen foot alley, thence along said alley South, fifty-five degrees, thirty-nine feet to a place of beginning, thence along said alley North thirty-one degrees West, eighty feet to a place of beginning, thence along a road conveyed by John F. Packer, being part of a road conveyed by the said Absalom S. Tipton, the decedent, having thereon erected a

GOOD 2 STORY FRAME HOUSE CONDITIONS OF SALE.—Ten per cent of purchase money to be paid when the property is knocked down; balance of one-third upon confirmation absolute of return of sale; one-third in one year from confirmation absolute; and the other two-thirds in two years from confirmation absolute. Deferred payments to bear interest from confirmation absolute of return of sales and to be secured by bond and mortgage on the premises.

J. C. METZ, Atty. W. BRICKLEY, Administrator. 42-50-21.

AGGREGATE STATEMENT OF THE TRIENNIAL ASSESSMENT.

AS RETURNED BY THE SEVERAL ASSESSORS OF CENTRE COUNTY FOR THE YEAR 1898.

Table with columns: Real Estate, Horses & Mules, Cattle, Occupied, Dogs, Money, Livery, Unseated Lands. Rows list various townships and boroughs with their respective assessed values.

In accordance with the Act of Assembly regulating Triennial Assessments, and constituting a Board of Revision, the Commissioners of Centre county herewith publish the above Statement showing the Aggregate Statement and Assessments made by each Assessor in the county for 1898, upon properties taxable by law; and herewith give notice that the 7th and 8th of January, 1898, at the Commissioners' office in Bellefonte are fixed upon for determining whether any of said valuations of Assessors have been made above or below a just rate, as we further notice that the assessments as made and returned by the several Assessors will, from now until the days fixed for final adjustment, be open for the examination of all citizens. We invite information as to the value of property located in any of the districts, and hope all taxpayers will avail themselves of this opportunity to aid us in perfecting and adjusting the assessments.

Attest: N. E. ROSS, Clerk. Commissioners' Office, Bellefonte, Pa., December 23rd 1897. M. F. RIDGLE, THOS. W. FISHER, DANIEL HECKMAN, Commissioners.

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BELLEFONTE, PA., Dec. 24th, '97.

A CLOTHING SURPRISE IN THE HEART OF WINTER

Beginning to-day we will inaugurate a clothing sale of such "extraordinary offerings" as will eclipse any sale in the history of this community. It will be a harvest of exceptional value giving. It's a bold stroke for great business, figuring on a small margin of profit, relying on a tremendous response. Here is an opportunity to buy thoroughly reliable and stylish clothing for men and boys in the heart of winter, when they are needed most, and at "end of the season prices."

Every item we print will bear the closest investigation. Those that come first naturally get the cream of selection.

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