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THINGS ABOUT TOWN AND COUNTY

Next week, the fair. Are you coming to the wedding at the fair next week. "Tracey the Bandit," at Garman's next Wednesday night. Many Centre county farmers have finished their seeding. The Ax Mann Sunday school picnic at Penns Cave recently. Many people about Bellefonte are suffering from a bad cold that seems to be epidemic. Mrs. Elizabeth Bradley and Miss Jennie Markle are the latest patients admitted to the Bellefonte hospital. The hunting season will soon be in. Make up your mind to be as careful as possible with your gun while in the woods. Miss Mea Bryan having resigned her position as clerk in the Milesburg post-office, Miss Rose Haupt has assumed the duties. Fine new granolithic pavements are being laid in front of the homes of Col. J. L. Spangler and Joseph Ceadar, on north Allegheny street. The needle work display at the fair next week will be such as to interest the ladies. Already the entries indicate that it will be of great variety. Miss Snyder would be pleased to show her patrons tailor and street hats Tuesday and Wednesday, Oct. 6th and 7th. Will announce the opening later. Charles Larimer came home from Clearfield on Wednesday evening suffering with appendicitis. His condition yesterday was reported as being very critical. Two great features that the fair people have been working to secure were finally landed yesterday. They are the Ferris wheel and "Mechanical Jerusalem," one of the wonders of the age. Bert Robb has resigned his position with the Potter Abstract Co., of Pittsburg, and is now connected with the Centre county bank in the capacity of a clerk and stenographer. The first consignment of trout for the new Bellefonte fish hatchery was received there Wednesday. It was made up of a number of cans of small trout that are to be developed for spawn. Mr. and Mrs. David Heaton, Mrs. R. D. Ardery, Abednego Williams, J. R. Williams and Miss Elizabeth Williams will represent the Martha Baptists at the meeting of their association to be held at Bellwood on the 7th. Yesterday afternoon Miss Margaret Sechler, of Baltimore, Md., who has been visiting her parents at the family home on Lion street for the past five weeks, delightfully entertained a number of her friends at a card and thimble party. On next Sunday morning, Oct. 4th, the new pipe organ will be dedicated in the Reformed church at the morning service. A dedicatory sermon will be preached by the pastor. Special music by an enlarged choir. Service of song in the evening. Sunday school at 11.45 a. m. Miss Rilla Williams, of Reynolds Ave., who is teaching school at Rock Forge this winter was taken suddenly ill on Tuesday and had to be taken from the school house. Her mother and a trained nurse brought her around all right by yesterday, when she was able to resume her duties. The Rev. James D. Morrow D. D. secretary of the Pennsylvania Bible Society, spent Sunday in Bellefonte in furtherance of the work. In the morning he preached in the Methodist church, made a talk in Petriken hall at 2:30 and at 3:15 addressed a union meeting in the Lutheran church. The managers of Petriken hall do not ask you as a matter of charity to go to see the moving pictures in the hall this evening. That is not the idea of it at all. You are to get full value for your money because the pictures will be shown to us as good advantage there as they could be anywhere else you would pay money to see them. There is a very well grounded rumor abroad in the community that the Centre Hall foundry is to be enlarged and started up under the impetus of new capital. D. F. Luse is to continue making his hydrants and, in addition, a specialty is to be made of metal bath tub fixtures. Some Ohio capitalists are said to be behind the proposition. On Monday evening some little boys were playing about the P. R. R. station here, when they decided to see who could make the most trips around a large circular flower bed. Robert Saylor was in the crowd and on his 104th lap he fell over exhausted, soon lapsing into unconsciousness. He was carried to his home in the Brown Row where he remained in a state of coma for nearly a day. "Tracey the Bandit" is the name of a wild and wooly western drama that will be seen at Garman's next Wednesday night. It is founded on the exploits of a prisoner who recently escaped from the Oregon state prison and terrorized the entire country. The company carries a band and orchestra and has several trained horses. They will give an exhibition of rough riding on the fair grounds during the afternoon.

THE HON. SAMUEL BRUGGER.—The Hon. Samuel Brugger, one of the best known men in Centre county, passed away at his home at Unionville on Monday afternoon, from heart failure, superinduced by pleura-pneumonia. Only last week he had been in Clearfield consulting a specialist, but returned on Thursday suffering from a bad cold, which developed into pneumonia, causing his death. With the passing away of the late Wm. P. Fisher and Mr. Brugger the vicinity of Unionville has lost two of the men who through years made much for the singularly prominent position it has always held in the personnel of the County. They were types of strong, useful, progressive citizenship and stood fearlessly for the right in all things. Samuel was the third of the twelve children born to Gabriel and Catharine Arnold Brugger. His father had emigrated from Veltheim, Switzerland, when only a child and located with his parents near Grubb's church, in Union county. After his marriage to Catharine Arnold he moved to the old Stone Valley church, in Northumberland county, where Samuel was born, August 26th, 1830. He spent his early life there and on a small farm near Mt. Pleasant, in Union county, to which his parents moved later. The public school system was not very extensive in those days and the best he could get was three months in the year and sometimes not even that. When only ten years he was put out to work for his board and clothing and after three years was taken back home to be sent to a private school for two months in the year. At the age of sixteen he taught a term of school in Greenwood township, Juniata county, which was the beginning of a long career as a school master. At intervals he attended Dickinson Seminary and other schools and for three months clerked in George Jaek's general store at Boalsburg for \$5 per month. Leaving there he cooked in a lumber camp for his board the following winter, then taught a term of school at Grahamton. With the money he had saved he went back to Dickinson Seminary, then again taught near Mt. Pleasant and Unionville, this county. In 1851 he traveled on foot through Pennsylvania, Michigan, Wisconsin, Illinois and Ohio, studying nature and working at times to replenish his exchequer. Upon his return he taught until 1853, when he went to Joshua Hoopes school for boys in West Chester. He returned from that institution in time to take a position as chairman on the survey of the Bald Eagle valley railroad and thereafter devoted most of his time to engineering, being very prominent in the early railroad construction and later as a surveyor of wild lands. Feb. 14th, 1856, he married Margaret Peters, who survives him with the following children: Walter M., of Clearfield; Mrs. W. F. Becker, of Harrisburg; Mrs. J. C. Rumberger, of Bellefonte; Joseph, on the farm at home, John, a traveling salesman; and Elizabeth C., who is employed in the C. R. E. of Pa. freight office in this place. His connection with the building of the Bald Eagle valley railroad dates from the driving of the first stake in October, 1856, to its completion, in 1864. His experience and proficiency as a constructing engineer made him prominent in the work and he had various commissions for the Sterling Mountain, Clarion River, Western Maryland, Boston, Hartford and Erie, Pennsylvania and Western, Susquehanna and South-western railroads. For a long time he was resident engineer for the Western Maryland. After his retirement from active work he settled down in the fine home he had built on the outskirts of Unionville to the enjoyment of life. His work as an engineer had awakened an interest in botany in him and he found much pleasure in nature study and fruit growing; occasionally going off into the mountains for just a little taste of his former rugged life as a surveyor. Politically he was a Democrat, but his politics was always from principle and never animated by a desire for spoils, though he was once prevailed upon to permit his election as county surveyor. His enthusiasm in party matters found a quieting influence in his deep seated devotion to the Methodist church, where he was regular in attendance and a class meeting leader. Mr. Brugger was an amiable, polished gentleman. He was not of the effervescent sort, but felt and thought deeply on subjects which his rare mind was capable of grasping. He was fond of friends and of his home and his courtly hospitality did much to make his place at Unionville noted as being one of the pleasantest in this county. Insertment was made yesterday afternoon in the Upper Union cemetery. CAPT. HENRY STEVENS.—Capt. Henry Stevens passed away at his home at Center Line, in Half-moon valley, on Wednesday evening at the age of about 80 years. He had been suffering for several weeks with kidney troubles and paralysis. Capt. Stevens was a very prominent farmer in that locality, he was a veteran of the Mexican war and was the first captain of Co. E, 45th P. V. I. during the Civil war and it was at the recent reunion of the company that he made his last public appearance. Mrs. Stevens died about ten years ago, but their four children survive. He was a member of the Lutheran church and will be buried at Gatesburg this morning at 10 o'clock. The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. George Darr died at their home in Coleville on Sunday morning.

MRS. LYDIA YERGER.—After a long period of illness during which she suffered intense agony Mrs. Lydia Yerger, relict of Harry Yerger, passed away in the Bellefonte hospital, on Sunday evening. On Wednesday of last week she underwent an operation for cancer of the liver and then it was discovered that the disease had progressed too far to be removed and, in consequence, very little hope was held out for the friends. She grew steadily worse until Sunday night, when death relieved her from further affliction. Mrs. Yerger was born at Wilford, Bucks county, December 25th, 1839. In September, 1862, she married the late Harry Yerger and a few years later moved to Bellefonte, which has been her home ever since. She was a woman of mild temperament, devoted to her home and as long as she was able spent all her energy for her family and her church, the Lutheran, to which she was devoted. Surviving her are her children Howard E., of Patton; A. Oscar, of Howard; Elmer, of Morrisonville, Bucks county; Mrs. I. Lloyd Rimert, of Howard, and Mary R., at home. Interment was made in the Union cemetery on Wednesday afternoon. MISS JENNIE STOVER.—The spirit of Miss Jennie Stover took on immortality last Saturday afternoon and winged its way to the great white throne, where in sweetness and purity it will rest, rest forever. She was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Fall Stover, of North Water street and her life had been full of promise until about a year ago, when consumption developed and made an invalid of her. She was born at Unionville May 28th, 1877, and spent her girlhood there. Later she went to Tyrone and was employed for a time in the art studio of H. A. Gripp. After the family's removal to this place she made her home here where she came to be admired by all who knew her, for the lovable disposition and amiable character she possessed. When strong enough she was actively interested in the Methodist church and her last moments were soothed and sustained by an unflinching trust in her Jesus. Her parents and the following sisters and brothers survive her: Nora, Curtis, Alice, Cameron, Scott and John. Brief funeral services were conducted at 1 o'clock Tuesday afternoon by the Rev. John Wood, of the Methodist church, after which the body was taken to Unionville for burial in the family plot there. MRS. MARY MEYER.—Widow of Reuben Meyer passed away at the home of her son-in-law, Dr. J. W. Bright, at Rebersburg, on Monday afternoon. Her death was caused by paralysis and she had been sick for a long time. She is survived by six children, Mrs. J. B. Kreamer and Mrs. J. W. Bright, of Rebersburg; Jerome, of Miles township; Amazon, of Booneville; Calvin, of Pueblo, Col., and Daniel, of Osceola. Funeral services were conducted yesterday afternoon and interment was made at Rebersburg. JOHN M. NEIDIGH.—The death of John M. Neidigh occurred at the home of Lewis Winegardner, in Fiedler, on last Thursday. His death was caused by dropsy and he was aged 58 years, 7 months and 13 days. He is survived by one sister Mrs. Samuel Kreamer, of Fiedler, and two brothers Jacob, of Haines township, and Daniel, of State College. Rev. F. E. Lauffer conducted the funeral services on Sunday morning and interment was made in St. Paul cemetery. —Don't forget the fair next week. —Don't miss the wedding at the fair next Friday. —Rev. George T. Hunter, aged 34 years, and a native of Indiana, has accepted the call to the pastorate of the Presbyterian church of Tyrone. —Constable McKinley, of Milesburg, recently arrested a boy named Meyer, from this place, and another named Bing, from Unionville, for fast doing through that borough. —Rev. Dr. R. L. Gerhart, formerly pastor of the Reformed church of this place, announced to his congregation in Lewisburg recently, that he expects to be married this fall. —Farmers who have grain to exhibit should remember that the best exhibits at the county fair next week are to be taken to the world's fair at St. Louis next year. There the eyes of the whole world will see it. Let us show the world that Centre county can raise fine grain. —The chart is open for Hanford in "Taming of the Shrew." This will be a first class attraction—our word for it—and if you miss it you will have no one to blame but yourself. Remember that the leading man in this production is the same Mr. Hanford who, two years ago, was sharing honors with Maud Adams in her revival of Romeo and Juliet. —For the fifth time the big saw mill owned and operated by Edward Matson, near Ansonia, on Marsh Creek, has been destroyed by fire. The latest conflagration occurred Wednesday night of last week, when the mill, three N. Y. C. cars loaded with sawed lumber and a lot of bill stuff was destroyed. The watchman discovered the flames at 10:30 at night and called the mill men, but in spite of their most strenuous efforts the place burned. The loss is placed at \$20,000.

THE GREAT CENTRE COUNTY FAIR NEXT WEEK.—The fair contagion is spreading in all parts of the county, so that all that is needed now is fair weather to bring the largest crowds ever assembled in one place in this county together next week. There is no more doubt of it that the great fair will be greater than ever this year. Three mousous days; every one of them fraught with the most refined amusements for the public. In order that you may know exactly what is going on we publish again the following brief summary of the attractions: FREE SHOWS. Every day—Wednesday, Thursday and Friday—there will be the great free open air attractions as follows: An unparalleled exhibit of fruit, vegetables, cereals, manufactures, needle work and triumphs of the culinary art, together with hundreds of head of horned cattle, sheep and swine. Mr. John McMahon, the world's champion back somersault high diver. Milo Vagge, bag puncher and hoop roller. Vontell and Nina, the daring trapeze artists. Spellman troupe of trained dogs, performed by Mlle Von Tock. Zallia, the wire wonder. All of these attractions will be seen on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday. The admission each day will be only 25 cts. The special features for each day are: WEDNESDAY'S SPECIALS. The 2:40 race, purse \$300 The 2:18 race, purse \$300 The public wedding ceremony of Mr. Cyrus A. Schuurs and Miss Martin, of Moshannon, who will be married on the fair grounds during the afternoon. The fair association will present them with \$50.00 worth of furniture. THURSDAY'S SPECIALS. The 2:35 race, purse \$300.00 The 2:24 race, purse \$250.00 FRIDAY'S SPECIALS. The 2:27 race, purse \$300.00 Free for all race, purse \$300.00 The great sale of the fine cattle specially brought from the West for exhibit at the fair. These special features are all in addition to the numerous ones enumerated above that take place everyday. Look over the list carefully and thoughtfully and you will acknowledge that never before was so much offered for the small sum of 25 cts and there will be so much doing everyday that it will be difficult to decide which one to take. The best plan is to attend everyday and then you will miss nothing. Special trains will leave Bellefonte at 7 o'clock on Thursday and Friday evenings running as far as Coburn. The Bellefonte Central R. R. will hold its evening train at the junction until after the races each day. A DRUNKEN DAGO'S DASTARDLY ACT.—Dominic Constance is a young Italian about 23 years of age who has been employed about the Stevens quarries up Buffalo run, for long enough time to pick up a good bit of the lan guage and some of the very bad habits of this country. On Sunday he was drunk and went up onto the Buffalo run road to the home of David Rothrock, where he was well known because of his frequent calls on the family for supplies. During these visits he had become enamored of one of the daughters of the family, but his attentions being objectionable he was told to keep away. In his drunken condition, however, he heeded nothing and marched right up to the house, demanding of Mr. Rothrock, who was standing out in the yard, that he be permitted to see the girl. Mr. Rothrock promptly ordered him away and told him never to come back again, whereupon he whipped out a 32 calibre revolver and fired twice at the old gentleman at close range. Fortunately neither shot took effect. Mr. Rothrock took refuge in the house and Dominic, with the smoking revolver in his hand, paced up and down the road outside. Finally he struck off towards the church and then the Rothrocks sent word to sheriff Taylor with Henry Lowery, who happened to be driving past. Meanwhile the villainous Italian proceeded to the church in search of his fair one, but a note from home apprised her of her danger and she slipped out with Mr. Rerick and started off in search of the sheriff. Mr. Lowery, having delivered the first message, sheriff Taylor, with Harry Johnston, as a deputy, was already on his way to the scene. Arriving there he got Mr. Rothrock in the buggy with him to identify the Italian and the three started to drive down to the shanties at the quarries. About mid-way down the lane Dominic was met returning to the scene. Mr. Rothrock identified him at once, whereupon the sheriff jumped out and ordered him to throw up his hands. Instead of doing it the murderous Italian reached for his gun again and had it out, but before he could get it leveled the sheriff had him covered with a revolver and Johnston had a bead on him with a double barreled shot gun which Mr. Rothrock had taken along. Seeing this the Italian dropped his weapon on the grass and the sheriff manacled him and hustled him off to jail. The revolver which the Italian was using was a 32 calibre and when the sheriff arrested him it had five loads in it. —Wednesday, Thursday and Friday will all be great days at the fair. They will be of equal importance. No one of them will surpass the other. So be careful not to miss any of them.

News Purely Personal. —Sidney Kieffer, of Tyrone, spent Sunday with his many friends in this place. —Miss Roberta Noll is in Altoona visiting her sister, Mrs. George Van Dyke. —Mr. and Mrs. John Strayer are entertaining Miss Mary Went, of Williamsport. —Mrs. Benjamin Gentzel is in Lewistown visiting her daughter, Mrs. Frank Cole. —"Dr." John Henderson returned to Philadelphia, on Tuesday, to resume his medical studies. —Mrs. Julia Walsh and her daughters have just returned from a visit with friends in Jersey Shore. —Harry Holloway, of Philadelphia, is visiting his parents, Dr. and Mrs. H. C. Holloway, of Linn street. —Miss Flora Parrish, of Ebsenburg, is a guest of her brother, Dr. C. M. Parrish, in the Petriken building. —Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Rees, of Reynolds Ave., are away on a trip to Scranton, Philadelphia and Atlantic City. —Lewis H. McQuiston has arrived home from quite an extended visit with friends in Butler and points in Ohio. —Mr. and Mrs. Hamilton Humes, of Jersey Shore, spent Friday night with Mr. Wm. P. Humes, in this place. —Frank C. Williams spent Sunday in Altoona, with Mrs. Williams and the children, who have been visiting her parents there for some time. —Mrs. W. V. Larimer, who has been visiting the Morrises and Hartsocks in Phillipsburg for a few days, has returned to her home on Thomas street. —H. V. White Esq., of Bloomsburg, was in town on Wednesday night on his way to State College to attend a meeting of the trustees yesterday. —Mrs. Daniel M. Clemons, of Pittsburg, and her sister, Mrs. J. Mac Gohsen, of Tyrone, were in town yesterday spending the day with Mrs. Frank Clemons. —Rev. R. L. Erhard, who was transferred from Clayville to Clearfield by the recent U. B. conference, spent Monday night with friends at his old home here. —Station agent Walter Fletcher, of Clearfield, was in town on Saturday greeting the friends he made while a student in the Hutchinson school of railroading in this place. —Misses Anna McCoy and Kate Shugert returned to their studies at Bryn Mawr college on Monday. Miss Mary Orider left Wednesday for her second year's work at Miss Shipley's. —Mrs. S. B. Finnegan and her children, Florence and Margaret, are expected home from Philadelphia today. They have been visiting friends in that city for the past five weeks. —W. H. Bartholomew, of Centre Hall, who represents the Mutual Benefit Life Ins. Co. of Newark, was in town on Tuesday looking after a little personal business and talking some insurance on the side. —Jas. Potter, accompanied by Misses Lucy Potter, Mary Blanchard and Nan Hoy, drove over to Winburne on Saturday to spend Sunday with the Somervilles at that place. They returned on Tuesday. —Mrs. Jacob Hassel and her two dear little daughters, Henrietta and Dorothy, have been visiting the Baum family on east Bishop street for the past month, are going back to their home in Washington Court House, O., to day. —Mrs. Frank Davis arrived home on Saturday from a very pleasant visit with friends in Rochester, Lakeville and Genesee, N. Y. She was accompanied by Mr. Davis' mother, who will make her future home with them on Logan St. —Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Yerger, of Morrisville, Bucks county, and their two little daughters, arrived in town on Tuesday morning. They came on account of the death of Mr. Yerger's mother and will remain in town for several weeks. —Jas. A. McClain, of Spangler, spent Sunday in town and on Monday evening went down to the Nitany Country club as the guest of Col. Spangler, who is entertaining Mr. Joseph Campbell, secretary and treasurer of the Blubaker Coal Co. at the club this week. —Mr. and Mrs. Sterling T. Smith, of Washington, D. C., are visiting at the home of his sister, Mrs. Maria S. Rhoads, on Linn street. Joseph N. Rhoads, general supervisor of the N. Y. division of the P. R. R., and his wife are also guests at the Rhoads home. —Mrs. Harry Fenlon is in Philadelphia for a two week's visit. She went Monday morning with Mrs. Jacob Thomas, the Misses Smith, Mrs. James B. Lane and Miss Mary Thomas who returned to their homes in Philadelphia that day after spending the summer in this place. —Geo. W. Keichine was stepping around in town on Tuesday, calling on his friends. You will note that he does not say in town on business, because Mr. Keichine is a gentleman of leisure since he has moved to Pine Grove and he lets other fellows worry about business now. —Miss Anna Blanchard, who has been traveling in Europe all summer with Mrs. Wister Morris and her family, arrived home on Monday. She was accompanied by her sisters, Misses Rebecca and Christine, who have been visiting relatives in New Jersey and Overbrook during her absence. —Mr. Edward Loughry, of Tyrone, was in town on Friday, looking the picture of health, and quite as facetious as ever. Mr. Loughry has been taking it easy for the last few years and his occupation, as they would call it in a jury panel, of being a "gentleman" seems to agree with him to a T. —Mrs. Ella Fredricks, of this place, after spending a week at Niagara Falls visiting Mrs. L. M. Rerick returned home Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Rerick, formerly resided up Buffalo Run but are now residing at Niagara Falls, where Mr. Rerick holds a very good position in the shredded wheat biscuit works. —Col. Austin Curtin, Col. and Mrs. E. R. Chambers, and Col. and Mrs. W. F. Reeder, were Bellefonters in attendance at the reception given by Maj. Gen. Charles Miller to Governor Pennypacker at the Nursery club at Franklin, on Tuesday evening. It was one of the most notable military and social functions ever given in the State. —Mrs. Robert Russell and her family left yesterday for their new home in Binghamton, N. Y., their former residence. Their home on Willowbank street has been dismantled but Mr. Russell, the head blacksmith of the Standard scale company, will remain in town until the works are moved to Beaver Falls. —W. A. Smart—"Bill"—was in town on Monday on his way back to Pittsburg after spending Sunday with his parents at State College. He is out of the base ball, foot ball and iron business now and has settled down into a full fledged independent oil operator, just like Jim Guffey and the rest of them. We don't know whether "Bill" has offered to buy or sell Jim yet or not, but if there is anything in prosperous looks he could do it a dozen times or more. —Mrs. Katharine Triplett went to Philadelphia, on Monday morning, to undergo an operation in Will's eye hospital for cataracts on her eyes. After her arrival there it was found that she had burst a blood vessel at the back of an eye, presumably by coughing, and the surgeons give little hope of her recovering her sight. Mrs. J. D. Geissinger is with her and after she is discharged from the hospital they will visit her son Charles who lives in the city now.

—Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Spangler and the latter's sister, Mrs. Hoover, were in town yesterday on their way home to Hastings after a short visit to Centre Hall. A PUBLIC WEDDING AT THE FAIR.—In last week's issue the WATCHMAN stated that the management of the Centre county fair was on the hunt for a couple who would consent to be married on the fair grounds during the great event next week. On Monday evening we received a letter from Mr. Cyrus A. Schuurs, of Moshannon, stating that he was ready to accept the offer and would appear with Miss Martin, his bride to be, on any day set. Accordingly the time has been set for Wednesday afternoon next at 3 o'clock. That day Mr. Schuurs and Miss Martin will be publicly married in the judge's stand on the fair grounds. The fair association will present them with \$50 worth of furniture and any merchant in the county desiring to make an additional present to the couple can do so from the stand. You are invited to the wedding. SPECIAL TRAINS ON THE BELLEFONTE CENTRAL.—On account of the great Centre county fair next week the Bellefonte Central railroad will hold its afternoon train on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday at the Junction, at the lime kilns, until after the races and all other special events occurring on the days named. The round trip rates will be as follows: Pine Grove Mills.....66 Strubles.....60 State College.....60 Krumrine.....60 Wadde & Briarly.....40 Fillmore.....35 Hunters Park.....25 No tickets less than 25cts. A GENEROUS OFFERING.—Mr. John Hoy, of Wadde's Station, was in town on Tuesday and brought with him a donation to the Bellefonte hospital that speaks volumes for the generosity of the people of that vicinity. Among the articles were 5 bushels of potatoes, a sack of flour, 7 doz. eggs, a lot of jellies and preserves and more than \$20 in cash. The donation was very acceptable indeed; especially as it indicates that the people of Buffalo Run appreciate the hospital. —Next Tuesday night Mr. Hanford and his company will be seen at Garman's in "Taming of the Shrew," one of Shakespeare's best comedies. This company is a fine one and we feel it our duty to advise you to go. Don't stay at home and, after some one else tells you how good it was, say how sorry you are to have missed it. The WATCHMAN wouldn't advise you to go to the opera house unless certain of the play being all right. —The seventy-third anniversary of the Centre Baptist association will be held in the Logan's valley Baptist church, Bellwood, Wednesday and Thursday, October 7th and 8th, 1903. The introductory sermon will be preached by the Rev. A. Z. Myers, of Phillipsburg, the doctrinal sermon by the Rev. W. L. Jones, of Ebsenburg. Woman's Missionary society meets Tuesday afternoon, Oct. 6th. For orders for excursion tickets address, with stamp enclosed, Mr. Edward Bell, Sabbath Rest, Blair county, Pa. —150 Overcoats for men, youths and children for half-price at Montgomery & Co. Philadelphia Markets. The following are the closing prices of the Philadelphia markets on Wednesday evening. Wheat—Red.....73 1/2 @ 79 1/2 No. 2.....75 1/2 @ 79 1/2 Corn—Yellow.....56 @ 57 1/2 Mixed new.....49 @ 51 1/2 Flour—Winter, Per Br'l.....8.00 @ 8.20 Penna. Roller.....3.50 @ 3.70 Favorite Brand.....4.50 @ 5.00 Rye Flour Per Br'l.....3.25 Baled hay—Choice Timothy No. 1.....10.00 @ 15.00 " " " ".....12.00 @ 14.00 Straw.....8.00 @ 18.00 Bellefonte Grain Market. Corrected weekly by C. Y. WAGNER. The following are the quotations up to six o'clock, Thursday evening, when our paper goes press: Red wheat, old.....72 New wheat.....72 Eye, per bushel.....75 Corn, shelled, per bushel.....50 Corn, ears, per bushel.....50 Oats, old and new, per bushel.....50 Barley, per bushel.....50 Ground Flaxseed, per ton.....8.50 to 9.50 Buckwheat, per bushel.....12.00 to 14.00 Cloverseed, per bushel.....\$7.20 to \$8.10 Timothy seed per bushel.....\$2.00 to \$2.25 Bellefonte Produce Market. Corrected weekly by Sechler & Co. Potatoes per bushel new.....40 Onions.....25 Eggs, per dozen.....25 Lard, per pound.....10 Country Sausagers.....10 Sides.....10 Hams.....12 Tallow, per pound.....4 Butter, per pound.....18 The Democratic Watchman. Published every Friday morning, in Bellefonte, Pa., at \$1.50 per annum (if paid strictly in advance) \$2.50, when not paid in advance, and \$2.50 if not paid before the expiration of the year; and no paper will be discontinued until all arrearage is paid, except at the option of the publisher. Papers will not be sent out of Centre county unless paid for in advance. A liberal discount is made to persons advertising by the quarter, half year, or year, as follows: SPACES OCCUPIED 3m 6m 1y One inch (12 lines this type).....\$ 5 \$ 8 \$ 10 Two inches.....7 10 15 Three inches.....10 15 20 Quarter Column (5 inches).....12 20 30 Half Column (10 inches).....20 35 55 One Column (20 inches).....35 55 100 Advertisements in special column 25 per cent additional. Transient ads. per line, 3 insertions.....20 cts. Each additional insertion, per line.....5 cts. Local notices, per line.....20 cts. Business notices, per line.....10 cts. Job Printing of every kind done with neatness and dispatch. 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