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"Let us see to it that a Government of the People, for the People, and by the People, shall not Perish from the Earth."—[A. LINCOLN.]

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Bellefonte Masonic Lodge, No. 268. A. Y. M. meets on Tuesday evening of or before the Full Moon.
Constant Comrades, No. 33. K. T. meets second Friday of each month.
I. O. O. F. Centre Lodge, No. 153, meets every Thursday evening at their Hall, Fourth and Centre streets, at 7 1/2 o'clock.
Forthcoming: The 1st Saturday evening of each month.
For Degree of the second Saturday of every month.
I. O. G. T.—This Lodge meets every Monday evening.

Bellefonte Church Directory.

Presbyterian church, Spring St., services at 11 a. m., and 7 1/2 p. m.; No pastor at present. This congregation are now erecting a new church, in consequence of which the regular religious services will be held in the Court House until further notice.
Methodist Episcopal Church, High St., services 10 1/2 a. m., and 7 1/2 p. m. Prayer meeting on Thursday night. Rev. Jas. Muller, pastor.
St. John's Episcopal Church, High St., services at 10 a. m., and 7 1/2 p. m. Rev. Byron McGann, pastor.
Lutheran Church, Lion St., services 10 1/2 a. m., and 7 1/2 p. m. Rev. J. A. Hackenberg, pastor.
Reformed Church, Lion St., no pastor at present.
Catholic Church, Bishop St., services 10 1/2 a. m., and 8 p. m. Rev. T. McGovern, pastor.
United Brethren Church, High Street, west side of creek; services 10 1/2 a. m., and 7 1/2 p. m. Rev. Isaac Pinwell, pastor.

BAKERIES.

NEW BAKERY AND CONFECTIONERY.
BUSH'S ARCADE, HIGH STREET, BELLEFONTE, PENN'A.
Z. T. GUDYKUNST.

Having purchased from Adam Horstbecher, his first class Bakery and Confectionery, and having added largely to his stock, is now prepared to furnish the public with good fresh BREAD, PIES, CAKES, CONFECTIONS, and everything in his line, at all prices. In connection with the above, is a FIRST-CLASS ICE CREAM SALOON for Ladies and Gentlemen, which will be open during the summer. Pic-nics, private parties, &c., can be supplied with all kinds of Confections, Ice Cream, Cakes and Fruits on very short notice.
Z. T. GUDYKUNST.

NEW BAKERY.
The undersigned respectfully invites the attention of the citizens of Bellefonte and vicinity, to his

NEW BAKERY,

on Bishop Street, as the only place where the best quality of BREAD, CAKES, PIES, CONFECTIONERIES, MINCE MEAT of our own Manufacture.
The best and neatest Ice Cream accommodations in the town. A room neatly furnished and carpeted, on first floor, for ladies and gentlemen, and a room on second floor for private parties—ladies and gentlemen. He prides himself on the superior quality and flavor of his Ice Cream, and most cordially invites his friends and the public generally, to call and realize the truth of the assertion, that McDowell makes the best Ice Cream in town.
Ja19/69. S. J. McDowell, Agt.

BAKERY & CONFECTIONERY.

ALLEGHENY ST., BELLEFONTE, PA.
The undersigned would hereby respectfully inform the citizens of Bellefonte and vicinity, that he is prepared to furnish all kinds of FRESH BREAD, CAKES OF ALL KINDS, PIES, &c., &c.
CANDIES, SPICES, NUTS, FRUITS, and anything and everything belonging to his business. He has recently completed a large and commodious addition to his building, and has furnished it in a style surpassing anything of the kind in the town, where ladies and gentlemen can, during the summer months, be accommodated with the very BEST OF ICE CREAM.
Having had years of experience in the business, he flatters himself that he can guarantee satisfaction to all who may favor him with their patronage.
J. H. SANDS.
Aug19/69.

HOTELS.

CONRAD HOUSE.

ALLEGHENY ST., BELLEFONTE, PA. (Opposite the Brokerhoff House.)
A HOTEL ON THE EUROPEAN PLAN, Licensed by the Court of Centre County, FIRST CLASS BAR, RESTAURANT, ROOMS AND STABLING.
AN EXCELLENT BILLIARD ROOM, with 3 tables, new and in perfect condition. Give the Conrad House a trial.
H. H. KRINE, Proprietor.
Jy21/69. ly.

OUR HOUSE.

The undersigned adopts this method of informing his friends and the public generally, that he continues to keep the Hotel on the corner of Allegheny and Bishop Sts., known by the cognomen of

NATIONAL HOTEL.

MILLHEIM, CENTRE COUNTY, PA.
The undersigned adopts this method of informing the travelling community, and citizens generally, that he has refitted and furnished anew throughout, with first class furniture, this well known and established house—the NATIONAL HOTEL, Millheim, Pa. He is well prepared to furnish first class accommodations to all who desire to make a hotel their home, or pleasant temporary abode. The custom of the travelling public, and all surrounding country, is respectfully solicited. Courteous and attentive servants are engaged at this popular Hotel. The Stabling is the very best, and none but careful and accommodating Hostlers are employed.
JONATHAN KREMER, Proprietor.
Jy14/69. ly.

PLEASANT GAP HOTEL.

The undersigned having purchased the Hotel property at Pleasant Gap, adopts this method of informing his friends in part, that he has refitted and furnished his house in the best style.

HIS TABLE.

will be supplied with the best market will afford, and

HIS BAR.

with the best of Liquors

HIS STABLING.

is the very best, and the proprietor prides himself therefore, upon the fact that his accommodations, both for man and beast, cannot be surpassed by any Hotel in the country. His old friends, as well as strangers and travellers, are most cordially invited to call on him at her rooms, at Bellefonte, Pa.
Jy21/69. ly.

BROCKERHOFF HOUSE.

ALLEGHENY ST., BELLEFONTE, PA. HOUSEAL & KROM, Proprietors.
A FIRST CLASS HOTEL—COMFORTABLE ROOMS, ALL THE MODERN CONVENIENCES, AND REASONABLE CHARGES.
The proprietors offer to the travelling public, and to their country friends, first class accommodations, and careful attention to the wants of guests at all times at fair rates. Careful and good stable for horses. An excellent table well served, and supplied with fine liquors. Servants well trained and every thing requisite in a first class Hotel. Our location is in the business part of the town, near the Post Office, the Court House, the Churches, the Banks, and the principal places of business, renders it the most eligible place for those who visit Bellefonte on business or for pleasure. AN OMNIBUS WILL CARRY PASSENGERS and baggage to and from all trains free of charge.
Jy12/69. ly.

GARMAN'S HOTEL.

DAN'L GARMAN, Proprietor.
This long established and well known Hotel, situated on the southeast corner of the Diamond, opposite the Court House, having been purchased by the undersigned, he announces to the former patrons of this establishment and to the travelling public generally, that he has thoroughly refitted his house, and is prepared to render the most satisfactory accommodation to all who may favor him with their patronage. No pains will be spared to give his guests every convenience or comfort of his guests. All who stop with him will find
His Table abundantly supplied with the most sumptuous fare the market will afford, done up in style, by the most experienced cooks.
His Bar will always contain the choicest of the various one and all, and he feels confident that all will be satisfied with their accommodation.
AN EXCELLENT LIVERY is attached to this establishment, which will be spared to his part to suit the convenience of his patrons.
Jy12/69. ly.

RESTAURANTS.

ARCADE SALOON.

Geo. M. PECK, Proprietor.
herby inform my friends and the public generally that I continue to keep the

ARCADE SALOON.

in Bush's Block, adjoining Howell, Gilliland & Co's. Store. Meals can be obtained at ALL HOURS during the day. Oysters, the very best, cooked in every style. Meals provided for Regular Boarders when ordered, and at reasonable rates. Thankful to the public for past favors, the continuation of which is respectfully solicited.
G. M. PECK.
Jy12/69. ly.

THE GEM RESTAURANT.

MEALS AT ALL HOURS.
THE undersigned avails himself of this method of informing the citizens of Bellefonte and vicinity, and the travelling community in general, that he has opened a first class

GEM RESTAURANT.

in the basement of Bush & McLain's new hotel near the most fashionable styles, and constantly on hand
Oysters in every style, Roast Chicken, Pork Steak, Ham and Eggs, Fresh Fish, Veal Cutlets, Cold Fish Balls, Baked Fish, Roast Turkey, Beefsteak, Fried Sausage, Mutton Chops, Tea and Coffee, Cram Chowder, Lamb's Fries, Fried Eggs, and everything to suit the taste. Feeling assured that general satisfaction will be given, he invites us to pay him a visit.
JOHN WILPHANT, Bellefonte, Pa.
Ja19/69. ly.

MISCELLANEOUS CARDS.

CUMMINGS HOUSE.

Bishop Street, Bellefonte, Pa. Convenient and suitable for Boarders and the Travelling Public. Paro, reasonable and on time. Especial attention paid to the wants of guests. W. J. HOSBERMAN, Proprietor.

BELLEFONTE MEAT MARKET.

BISHOP STREET, BELLEFONTE, PA.
The oldest Meat Market in Bellefonte. Choice meat of all kinds always on hand. ja6/69. ly. B. V. BLACK.

M. S. GRAHAM, Fashionable Barber.

Basement of the Conrad House, Bellefonte, Pa. The best of Razors, sharp and keen, always on hand. He guarantees a SHAVE without either pulling or pinning. Hair Oils, Hair Restoratives, Paper Collars, &c., constantly on hand. ja18/69. ly.

AARON R. PAUP, J. T. SALMONS, LEVY PAUP, PAUP, SALMONS & CO., Contractors and Bricklayers, Bellefonte, Pa., adopt this method of informing those wishing to build that they will furnish brick and lay them, by the job, or by the thousand. Will set Heaters, and do all kinds of work in their branch of business. ja20/69. ly.

JEREMIAH FASIO, HOUSE & FURNITURE PAINTER.

Painter, Gilder and Sign Painter. All kinds of Gilding and Fancy Painting done to order at the lowest rates and in the best style. Orders left at Irwin & Wilson's Hardware store will receive immediate attention. sept.22/69. ly.

P. OENKIRK, WITH ARTMAN, DILLINGER & COMPANY, No. 184, NORTH THIRD ST., PHILA. Pa.

Two Doors above Arch, formerly 226, MANUFACTURERS AND JOBBERS IN Carpets, Oil Cloths, Oil Shades, Wux Yarn, Cotton Yarns, Carpet Chains, Grain Bags, Window Paper, Baiting, &c. Also, WOODEN AND WILLOW WARE. Brooms, Brushes, Looking Glasses, &c. Jy21/69. ly.

MUSIC, DRAWING AND PAINTING SCHOOL.

Mrs. M. S. DUNHAM

having been a successful teacher of Vocal and Instrumental Music—Piano, Melodion, Organ and thorough Bass—Painting and Drawing for the last twelve years, is now prepared to admit a few more scholars to her school, upon reasonable terms.
Having recently received a splendid new Piano, of a celebrated Boston manufacturer, which pupils not having instruments of their own to practice on, can have the use of.
Thankful for the liberal patronage heretofore received, she hopes to merit a continuance of the same. Rooms up on the east side of Arch, over Centre Co. Banking House, on Allegheny street. Also, agent for all kinds of good Musical Instruments. Address, or call on her at her rooms, at Bellefonte, Pa. Jy21/69. ly.

W. M. S. TRIPPLE, MERCHANT TAILOR.

BUSH'S ARCADE, UP STAIRS, BELLEFONTE, PENN'A.

Having just received, from Philadelphia, a large stock of Broad Cloth, Cassimeres, and a extensive variety of Spring and Summer Goods, I am prepared to furnish my friends and customers, the very best at the most reasonable prices.
My thanks are due, those who have patronized me for many years, and a cordial invitation is hereby extended to the public generally, to call and examine my Goods and Prices before purchasing elsewhere. I am also prepared, at all times, to make up Goods furnished by customers. All suits warranted to fit.
W. S. TRIPPLE.

MEAT MARKET.

N. W. Cor. Diamond, opposite Court House, BELLEFONTE, PENN'A.

JESSE MORGAN,

Would respectfully call the attention of the citizens of Bellefonte and vicinity, to the superior quality of

FRESH MEAT! FRESH MEAT!

Constantly to be found on hand.

BEEF, PORK, MUTTON, VEAL, POULTRY, &c., always on hand. ja6/69. ly.

GEORGE BLYMYER, Andrew Blymyer, Jacob C. Blymyer, J. P. Blymyer.

MILROY WAREHOUSE.

GEORGE BLYMYER & SONS, having taken possession of the Warehouse at

MILROY, MIFFLIN COUNTY, PENN., beg leave to announce to the citizens of Centre county that they are prepared to buy

ALL KINDS OF GRAIN

AT THE HIGHEST MARKET PRICES.

SALT WHOLESALE AND RETAIL.

COAL AND PLASTER ALWAYS ON HAND. Thankful for past favors, we solicit a continuance of the same. Jy14/69. ly.

MERCHANT TAILORING, ESTABLISHMENT.

NO. 7, BROCKERHOFF'S, ROW.

The undersigned takes pleasure in informing the citizens of Centre county and the public generally, that he is just opening a

SPLENDID AND RICH ASSORTMENT

OF FOREIGN AND DOMESTIC

Cloths, Cassimeres and Vestings, when he is prepared to make to order in the latest and most fashionable styles, for men or boys. Goods sold by the piece or by the yard. He also keeps on hand a full line of

GENTS FURNISHING GOODS, of every style and description. He is also agent for the celebrated

SINGER SEWING MACHINE. ja6/69. ly. JOHN MONTGOMERY.

PROFESSIONAL CARDS.

J. G. LOVE, Attorney at Law, Bellefonte, Pa. Office on High St. ja6/69. ly.

JAMES H. RANKIN, Attorney at Law, Bellefonte, Pa. Office in Henry building, 2nd floor. ja6/69. ly.

R. C. HUMES, F. T. HARRIS, Cash. FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF BELLEFONTE, Allegheny St., Bellefonte, Pa. ja6/69. ly.

SAMUEL LINN, A. O. FURST, Attorneys-at-Law, Bellefonte, Pa. ja6/69. ly.

M. H. MALLISTER, JAMES A. BEAVER, MALLISTER & BEAVER, Attorneys-at-Law, Bellefonte Penn'a. ja6/69. ly.

EDMUND BLANCHARD, EVAN M. BLANCHARD, E. & M. BLANCHARD, Attorneys-at-Law, Allegheny St., Bellefonte, Pa. ja6/69. ly.

W. W. BROWN, Attorney-at-Law, Bellefonte, Penn'a., will attend promptly to all business entrusted to his care. ja6/69. ly.

JOHN H. ORVIS, CYRUS S. ALEXANDER, ORVIS & ALEXANDER, Attorneys-at-Law, Bellefonte, Pa. Office in Conrad House, Allegheny St. ja6/69. ly.

W. J. KEALSH, Attorney-at-Law, Bellefonte, Pa., will attend promptly to all business entrusted to his care. Bonds, &c., mar10/69. ly.

AUGUSTUS HIBLER M. D., Physician and Surgeon. Office at his residence near the Quaker Meeting House. Will attend to all business in his professional department at all times. ja6/69. ly.

URIAH STOVER, Licensed Auctioneer, will attend to all sales entrusted to his care. Charges reasonable. Address, Uria Stover, Houserville, Centre Co., Pa. ja6/69. ly.

GEORGE F. HARRIS, M. D., Physician and Surgeon, Pension Surgeon, Centre county, will attend promptly to all professional calls. Office on High St., North Side. ja6/69. ly.

C. E. CHANDLER, M. D., Homoeopathic Physician and Surgeon, Bellefonte, Penn'a., Office—2nd floor, over Harper & Bro's Store. Residence at the office. Sept. 15, 1869. ly.

W. H. ARMSTRONG, SAMUEL LINN, ARMSTRONG & LINN, Attorneys-at-Law, Williamsport, Pa., will attend promptly to all business entrusted to their care. ja6/69. ly.

JAS. H. DOBBINS, Physician and Surgeon, Office in Bishop St., Bellefonte, Pa. Will attend to all business in his profession, faithfully at all times, and all hours. ja19/69. ly.

A. B. HUTCHISON & CO'S. Job Printing Office, "Republican" Building, Bishop Street, Bellefonte, Pa. Every description of Plain and Fancy printing done in the neatest manner, and at prices below city rates. ja6/69. ly.

D. R. D. TRIPPLE, Homoeopathic Physician and Surgeon, continues to practice his profession as usual. Every description of Plain and Fancy printing done in the neatest manner, and at prices below city rates. ja6/69. ly.

D. G. BUSH, GEO. M. YOCUM, BUSH & YOCUM, Attorneys-at-Law, Bellefonte, Pa., will attend to all business entrusted to them, with promptness. Office on North East Corner of Centre and Mrs. Irwin's stone building. ja18/69. ly.

WILSON & HUTCHISON, Attorneys-at-Law, Bellefonte, Pa. Every description of Plain and Fancy printing done in the neatest manner, and at prices below city rates. ja6/69. ly.

W. M. BLAIR, D. Y. STETTER, BLAIR & STETTER, Attorneys-at-Law, Bellefonte, Pa. Can be consulted in both the English and German languages. Office on the Diamond, next door to Garmann's Hotel. feb19/69. ly.

CENTRE CO. BANKING COMPANY—Respects its obligations to its Depositors, Discount Notes, Buy and Sell Government Securities, Gold and Coupons. HENRY BROCKERHOFF, President. J. D. SNOOKER, Cashier. ja18/69. ly.

GEO. L. POTTER, M. D., Physician and Surgeon, offers his professional services to the citizens of Bellefonte and vicinity. His office is located in the building occupied by Mrs. Livingston, on Spring St., two doors South of Presbyterian church. mar17/69. ly.

W. M. BROWN, Licensed Auctioneer, hereby informs the public that he holds himself in readiness at all times, to attend to all Auctions, Vendues, or Public Sales of real or personal Estate. Charges reasonable. Call on, or address, William Brown, Bellefonte, Pa. mar17/69. ly.

S. BELFORD, D. D. S., Practical Dentist, office in Arnold's Tailors, over Irwin & Wilson's Hardware Store, Allegheny St. Dr. B. is a graduate of the Baltimore College of Dental Surgery, and respectfully requests the citizens of Bellefonte and vicinity, to call on him at his residence, opposite the last week of each month. apr14/69. ly.

J. W. RHONE, DENTIST, Boalsburg Centre Co., Pa., respectfully informs the public that he is prepared to execute any description of work in his profession. Satisfaction guaranteed, and rates as moderate as may be expected. Will be found in his office during the week, commencing on the first Monday of each month. ja18/69. ly.

INSURANCE—LIFE & FIRE—Joseph J. Rankin of this Borough, insures property for the following Stock and Mutual companies, viz: Lycoming Mutual, York Enterprise, and Real Estate Companies of New Haven, and any other reliable company desired. Also, Provident Life Company of Phila., and other good Life Companies. ja6/69. ly.

J. F. HOLAHAN, Physician and Surgeon, having removed from Emporium, Centre county, has located in Bellefonte, Centre county, Pa. where he will faithfully attend to all business entrusted to him in his profession. Office in his residence on Main Street, where he can always be seen unless professionally engaged. In his absence from home, orders may be left at the store of Thos. Holahan. mar10/69. ly.

J. D. WINGATE, D. D. S., Dentist, Office corner of Spring, and High St., Bellefonte Pa.—Thankful for past favors, would respectfully solicit a continuance of the same. Has the right for Centre County to use Dr. S. Stueh's patented improvement of dental plates. That this is an improvement we have the written testimony of our best and most talented Physician in the United States. Office rights for sale. ja6/69. ly.

Original Poetry.

ACROSTIC.

BY BECKIE HARRIS.

Beauty and grace, and "Grooming Band,"
Entice ladies their souls to send,
Low into fashion's dismal vaults,
Looking for balm, (one of their faults),
[Eye judged this, and had her share],
Frowning on other faces fair,
On natural beauty—rich and rare,
Nodding to fops with high-crowned hats,
They blush beneath their broad-rimmed flats;
B. ger for fray, they lose the day.
Roving around with injured brains,
Each young gent of his girl complains,
Partly swears he'll woo no more,
Unless his heart for love gets sore,
Bows to the first powder and paint,
Looks in each face just like a saint;
I've judged you both, fair Miss, and gent.
Can you forgive? but, if you can't,
A sinner I'm content to be.
Now, a proverb I'll whisper these:
He who thinks, a faultless piece to see,
Thinks what ne'er was, now is, nor e'er shall be.

THE FAIR.

The Biggest Success of the Season.

WHAT WAS THERE, AND WHAT WASN'T.

Everything Noted.

Minus the warty space of the blanket sheets, we are compelled to put out our report of the second Annual Fair of the Centre County Agricultural Society, up to the present grounds, in concise and snappy directness.
Mention of the rare adaptation of the location to the purposes of a County Fair—the vast number of delighted spectators present—immunity from accidents, and all manner of "pleasantness" enjoyed—courteousness and efficiency of Society officers, police and attendants, would be but useless repetition of what thousands saw and remarked scores of times during the continuance of the Fair. We will, therefore, commence at the beginning.

TUESDAY.

Nobly recovering from the dreary and forbidding prospects several preceding days combined to anger her fate, broke cool and hopeful. The glorious Sun threw upon an October's day was the nearest forecaste of the reward of the best hereafter, vouchsafed to man by heaven. Doubtless the October days in Winthrop's memory, embraced sunnier hours than

"Kissed the sun to-day,"
but ours were "sufficient unto the day," and the desponding took hope.

Early morn discovered several energetic exhibitors and suitors heavily armed with hammers, nails, saws and various other implements of manufacture. These implements have stood in hand the day through, and the racket and din ceased as the sun went down. Gradually the grounds assumed a busier aspect, and the scattering vehicles of enterprising exhibitors trailed up the hill and deposited their loads, just as a myriad other wagons have done before them.—Attentive and "oiled" officers busily and appropriately arranged all goods consigned to their care. By noon a small falcon market of vegetables, fruit and "non-such" amply justified the Vegetable Department in putting on airs, and proclaiming herself a demonstrable success, whatever disaster occurred to the other classes. Such peaches, pears, apples and golden grapes never moistened our mouths—figuratively—and nervous our digits—needlessly—since before Fate booked us for a Reporter, and then we had such things. Of this Department, its contents and proud owners, another day or two will needs be ours before facts and figures can be given.

Floral Hall was early saddled and bridled by our young friend Jas. McClure who prominently displays fine handiwork of skilled workmen, at the West end of the Hall. At the East end, the artistic genius of young Nolan appears in pictured colors. The group of five sketches—two crayon and three oil paintings—will be appropriately "yours truly" in due time. Late in the day, the tasteful and elaborate handiwork of busy fingers burred bipeds lovelap, gradually filled the "void," and, with jellies, honey-combs, and other "tasteful" "appurtenances," the Floral Hall came near announcing itself as a fact as the vegetable kingdom. To-morrow will leave no doubt of what this Department will be.

The Mechanical Department presents anything but that representative appearance so desirable at fairs, and so suggestive of the material prosperity of a county. Save the broad acres of waving grain and sheafs of golden wheat, nothing so deeply, perfectly and truly represents the staple condition of a county so well as the Mechanical Department at a County Fair. Three reapers, one cornsheller and separator, a complant and churn, embraces, save the Dexter Washing Machine, down by the creek, all the receipts in this Department today. But then, to-morrow, we trust, will

show a better collection. Of those present, as well as those to come, our time will gladly be occupied by—and by

The Stock market ruled confoundingly low, the whole day through. The forenoon chronicled the arrival of one lone Durham bovine, the property of Mr. Samuel Gilliland. She was joined in the afternoon by a yoke of 2975 lb. oxen, the property of Dr. Elias W. Hale. The show of stock, numerically, can be little worse, and poor as it is, it exceeds the exhibition in poultry. Two lone Cochins Chinas kept silent watch the whole day long, unmolested and unnoticed by woman or child. Biddy looked as cheerful as the prospects invited, but it was plainly evident the "old boy" was heartily disgusted at his limited fare. Play your wits, old chancier, the morning will dawn brighter.

The track is in splendid condition, and it is a great pity there is not more of it. The usual variety of brutes that could, and couldn't go; drivers good, and those who never drove before—nor ought again; and vehicles, various, gave the track an animated look.

Several harmless short-winded "spurs" between light weights, for beer and benzine, were presided over by the Champion of country anatomy and nothing—Later, and a slight buzz announced the arrival of Lipton's speedy "Rose," driven by A. Mullen. A few leisure warming-up turns, and away went thence, rattling off her spars beautifully. The light weights, abashed, retreated, just as a second interjection denoted the coming of Richard's "Harry Clay." The terms were speedily arranged, and the magic "go" found the splendid beasts abreast, here—inside We dare not amplify Harry's merit, but suffice that "Harry's" record, in three heats, was 3:18, 3:09 and 3:10, "Rose" had pressing. Opinions vary, and we hold our own. There is nothing so certain as the uncertainty of a horse race. Death was distanced in that direction long ago.

The sun smiled benignantly on the myriad policemen and departing figures of the pleased spectators. To-morrow will, we confidently predict, see the "show" in full blast. Then we shall see what we shall see.

WEDNESDAY.