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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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LODGES.

Bellefonte Masonic Lodge, No 268. A. Y. M, meets on Tuesday evening of or before the Full Moon.

Constans Commandery. 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, Bush's Arcade.

For the conferring of Degrees the 1st Saturday evening of each month.

For Degree of Rebecca, 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 7½ 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 10½ a. m., and 7½ p. m. Prayer meeting on Thursday night. Rev. Jas. Mullen, pastor.

St. John's Episcopal Church, High St., services at 10½ a. m., and 7½ p. m. Rev. Byron McGann, pastor.

Lutheran Church, Linn St., services 10½ a. m., and 7½ p. m. Rev. J. A. Hackenberger, pastor.

Reformed Church, Linn St., no pastor at present.

Catholic Church, Bishop St; services 10½ a. m., and 3 p. m. Rev. T. McGovern, pastor.

United Brethren Church, High Street, west side of creek; services——

African M. E. Church, west side of creek; services at 11 a. m., and 7½ p. m. Rev. Isaac Pinnell, pastor.

BAKERIES.

NEW BAKERY AND CONFECTIONERY.

BUSH'S ARCADE, HIGH STREET,
BELLEFONTE, PENN'A.

Z. T. GUDYKUNST,

Having purchased from Adam Horkheimer, 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 times. 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.

my19'69-1y. 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

BRED, 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.

ja13'69.1y. S. J. McDOWELL, Ag't.

BAKERY & CONFECTIONERY.

ALLEGHENY ST., BELLEFONTE, PA.

The undersigned would hereby respectfully inform the citizens of Bellefonte and vicinity, that he is prepared to furnish at all times

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 month, 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.

aug4'69 1y. J. H. SANDS.

HOTELS.

CUMMINGS HOUSE,

Bishop street, Belletonte, Pa,
Convenient and suitable for Boarders and the Traveling Public.
Fare, reasonable, and on time. Especial attention paid to the wants of guests.
W. J. HOSTERMAN.
sept. 15, '69-tf. Proprietor

CONRAD HOUSE.

ALLEGHENY ST., BELLEFONTE, PA.
(Opposite the Brockerhoff 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. KLINE.
jy21'69 1y. Proprietor.

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

"OUR HOUSE."

The Proprietor has spared no pains in furnishing the house with new furniture. The beds and bedding are the very best; the rooms commodious and well ventilated. The accommodations, boarding, &c., are equal to any of the high priced Hotels. Only 25 cents for meals. Thankful for past favors, he solicits their continuance, and promises satisfaction to all.

mar17'69-1y. WM. BROWN, Propr.

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 the 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,
jy14'69-1y. Prop'r.

PLEASANT GAP HOTEL.

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

HIS TABLE

will be supplied with the best the 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. WM. ICKHOFF,
mar24'69 1y. Pleasant Gap, Pa.

BROCKERHOFF HOUSE,

ALLEGHENY ST., BELLEFONTE, PA.
HOUSEAL & KROM, Proprietors.

A FIRST CLASS HOTEL—COMFORTABLE ROOMS, PROMPT ATTENDANCE.

ALL THE MODERN CONVENIENCES, AND REASONABLE CHARGES.

The proprietors offer to the traveling public, and to their country friends, first class accommodations and careful attention to the wants of guests at all times at fair rates. Careful hostlers and good stabling for horses. An excellent table will be served. A Bar supplied with fine liquors. Servants well trained and everything 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. my12'69-tf.

GARMAN'S HOTEL.

DAN'L GARMAN, Prop'r.

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 traveling 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 on his part to add to the 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 liquors.

HIS STABLING is best in town, and will always be attended by the most trustworthy and attentive hostlers.

Give him a call, one and all, and he feels confident that all will be satisfied with their accommodation.

AN EXCELLENT LIVERY

is attached to this establishment, which strangers from abroad will find greatly to their advantage. ja6'69.1y.

MISCELLANEOUS.

BELLEFONTE MEAT MARKET

BISHOP STREET, BELLEFONTE PA.

The oldest Meat Market in Bellefonte.—Choice meat of all kinds always on hand.
ja6'69.1y. R. V. BLACK.

MILESBURG CARRIAGE WORKS.

SHIRER & WILLIAMS,

MILESBURG, CENTRE CO., PENN'A.,

MANUFACTURERS OF

LIGHT CARRIAGES, BUGGIES, PLATFORM SPRING WAGONS & SLEIGHS.

Repairing done with neatness and despatch.

All work done at

SHORT NOTICE AND WARRANTED

to give entire satisfaction.

je9'69-1y.

MISCELLANEOUS CARDS

M. S. GRAHAM, Fashionable Barber, in 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 pain.—Perfumery, Hair Oils, Hair Restoratives, Paper Collars, &c., constantly on hand.
ja13'69.1y.

AARON R. PAUP. J. T. SALMONS. LEVI R. 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. ja20'69.1y.

JEREMIAH FASIC,

HOUSE & FURNITURE PAINTER

Paper Hanger and Sign Painter.

All kinds of Graining 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.22'68-1y.

J. P. ODENKIRK,

WITH

ARTMAN, DILLINGER & COMPANY,

No. 104, NORTH THIRD ST., PHIL'A.

Two Doors above Arch, formerly 226,

MANUFACTURERS AND JOBBERS IN

Carpets, Oil Cloths, Oil Shades, Wick Yarn, Cotton Yarns, Carpet Chains, Grain Bags, Window Paper, Batting, &c.

Also, WOODEN AND WILLOW WARE.

Brooms, Brushes, Looking Glasses, &c.,
jy21'69-1y.

LOSE'S LIVERY STABLE.

The undersigned having entered into partnership in the Livery Business, under the firm name of Isaac Lose & Son, adopt this method of informing the people of Bellefonte, and the public generally, that they will carry on the business in the Burnside Stable. It is their determination to keep the very best

HORSES, BUGGIES AND CARRIAGES,

and to hire them out at the most reasonable rates. Thankful for the kindness and favor they have received from the community in the past they will make it their chief object to merit the continuance of the same.

ISAAC LOSE.
GEO. A. LOSE.
apr14'69-1y.

THE WINCHESTER RIFLE (18 shots,)

SPENCER'S WESSON'S

and other

BREECH-LOADING RIFLES AND SHOT GUNS

DOUBLE AND SINGLE RIFLES,

Shot Guns, Revolvers and other Pistols.

Also, Repairing done

AT DESCHNER'S GUN SHOP,

Bush's Arcade, High St., Bellefonte, Pa.
aug11'69-1y.

MUSIC, DRAWING AND PAINTING SCHOOL.

Mrs. M. S. DUNHAM

having been a successful teacher of Vocal and Instrumental Music—Piano, Melodian, 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 manufacture, 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 one flight of stairs, 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-tf.

WM S. TRIPPLE,

MERCHANT TAILOR.

BUSH'S ARCADE, UP STAIRS,

BELLEFONTE, PENN'A.

Having just received, from Philadelphia, a large stock of Broad Cloth, Cassimers, and an 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.

my12'69-1y W. S. TRIPPLE.

GEORGE BLYMYER.....ANDREW BLYMYER
JACOB C. BLYMYER.....JOE. P. BLYMYER.

MILROY WAREHOUSE.

GEORGE BLYMYER & SON'S,

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.tf.

MERCHANT TAILORING,

ESTABLISHMENT,

NO. 7, BROCKENHOFF'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,

Which 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.

ja6'69.1y JOHN MONTGOMERY.

PROFESSIONAL CARDS.

J. G. LOVE, Attorney at Law, Bellefonte, Pa. Office on High St.
ja6'69-1y.

JAMES H. RANKIN, Attorney at Law, Bellefonte, Pa. Office in Armory building, 2nd floor. ja6'69.1y.

E. C. HUMES, Pres't. J. P. HARRIS, Cash'r.

FIRST NATIONAL BANK Of Bellefonte. Allegheny St., Bellefonte Pa. ja6'69.

H. N. M'ALLISTER. JAMES A. BEAVER.

M'ALLISTER & BEAVER, Attorneys-at-Law, Bellefonte Penn'a. ja6'69.1y.

EDMUND BLANCHARD. EVAN M. BLANCHARD.

E. & E. M. BLANCHARD, Attorneys-at-Law, Allegheny St., Bellefonte, Pa. ja6'69.1y.

W. W. BROWN, Attorney-at-Law, Bellefonte, Penn'a., will attend promptly to all business entrusted to his care. ja6'69-1y.

JOHN H. ORVIS. CYRUS T. ALEXANDER.

ORVIS & ALEXANDER, Attorneys-at-Law, Bellefonte, Pa. Office in Conrad House, Allegheny St. ja6'69,1y.

W. J. KEALSH, Attorney-at-Law, Bellefonte, Pa., will attend faithfully to all business entrusted to his care. Deeds, Bonds, &c, executed in the best style. mar10'69 3m.

URIAH STOVER, Licensed Autioneer, will attend to all sales entrusted to his care. Charges reasonable. Address, Uriah Stover, Houserville, Centre Co., Pa. ja6'69.6m.

AUGUSTUS HIBLER M. D., Physician and Surgeon. Office at his residence near the Quaker Meeting House. Will attend to all business in his profession at all times and at all hours. je16'69-1y.

GEORGE F. HARRIS, M. D., Physician and Surgeon; Pension Surgeon for Centre county, will attend promptly to all professional calls. Office on High St., North Side. ja27'69.1y.

WM. H. ARMSTRONG.....SAMUEL LINN.

ARMSTRONG & LINN, Attorneys-at Law Williamsport, Pa., will attend, promptly, to all business entrusted to their care. jy14'69-1y.

JAS. H. DOBBINS, Physician and Surgeon. Office up-stairs in J. H. McClure's new Building, Bishop St., Bellefonte, Pa. Will attend to all business in his profession, faithfully at all times, and all hours. ja13'69.y.

A. B. HUTCHISON & CO'S. Job Printing Office, "Republican" Building, Bishop St., Bellefonte, Penn'a. Every Description of Plain and Fancy printing done in the neatest manner, and at prices below city rates. ja6'69.

DR. R. D. TIPPLE, Homœpathic Physician and Surgeon, continues to practice his profession as heretofore, and expects to in the future notwithstanding. Office in First Ntional Bank Building, Bellefonte, Pa. sept.22'69-1y.

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 Northeast Corner of the Diamond, in Mrs. Irvin's stone building. ja13'69 y.

WILSON & HUTCHISON, Attorneys-at-Law, Bellefonte, Pa. Collections, all other and legal business in Centre and the adjoining Counties, promptly attended to. Office in Blanchard's Law building, Allegheny street. ja6'69.

WM. H. BLAIR. H. Y. STITZER.

BLAIR & STITZER, Attorneys-at-Law, Bellefonte, Pa. Can be consulted in both the English and German languages.—Office on the Diamond, next door to Garman's Hotel. feb10'39.1y.

CENTRE CO. BANKING COMPANY.—Receive Deposits and allow Interest; Discount Notes; Buy and Sell Government Securities, Gold and Coupons.

HENRY BROCKERHOFF, President.
J. D SHUGERT, Cashier. ja13'69y.

GEO. L. POTTER, M. D., Physician and Surgeon, offers his professional services to the citizens of Bellefonte and vicinity. Office removed to house formerly occupied by Mrs. Livingston, on Spring st, two doors South of Presbyterian church. mar17'69-1y.

JOHN F. POTTER, Attorney at law Collection promptly made and special attention given to those having lands or property for sale. Will draw up and have acknowledged deeds, mortgages, &c. Office in Garman's new building, opposite the Court House. Oct27'69-3m.

WM. 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 personal or Real Estate. Charges reasonable. Call on, or address, William Brown, Bellefonte, Pa. mar17'69-1y.

S. BELFORD, D. D. S., Practical Dentist; office in Armory Building, over Irwin & Wilson's Hardware Store, Allegheny St. Dr. B. is a graduate of the Baltimore College of Dental Surgery, and respectfully offers his professional services to the citizens of Bellefonte and vicinity.—Can be found at his residence except during the last week of each month. apr14'69-1y.

G. E. CHANDLER, M. D., Homœpathic Physician and Surgeon, Bellefonte, Penn'a. Office—2nd floor, over Harper & Bro's Store. Residence at the office.

References.—Hon. C. A. Mayer, Pres. judge of Lock Haven, L. A. Mackey, Pres. First National Bank, J. V. V. Whaley, of the Clinton Democrat, E. D. Macky, Teller First National Bank. Sept. 15,'69-tf.

J. W. RHONE, DENTIST, Boalsburg Centre Co., Pa., most respectfully informs the public that he is prepared to execute any description of work in his profession Satisfaction rendered, 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, and at such other times as may be agreed upon. ja13'69.1y.

INSURANCE—LIFE & FIRE.—Joseph A. Rankin of this Borough, insures property for the following Stock and Mutual companies, viz: Lycoming Mutual, York Company, Pa., Insurance of North America, Enterprise, and Girard of Phila., Pa., Home, of New Haven, and any other reliable company desired. Also, Provident Life Company of Phil'a., and other good Life Companies. ja6'69.1y.

J. F. HOLAHAN, Physician and Surgeon, having removed from Emporium, Cameron county, has located in Milesburg, Centre county, Pa., where he will faithfully attend to all business entrusted to him in his Profession. Office in his residence on Main St., where he can always be seen unless professionally engaged. In his absence from home, orders may be left at the store of Thos. Holahan. mar10'69-1y.

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. Stuch's patented improvement putting up dental plates. That this is an improvement we have the written testimony of many of the best and most talented Physician in the United tates. Office rights for sale, ja6'69-1y.

LOCAL LAWS.

AN ACT To incorporate the Bellefonte and Pine Grove Turnpike Company.

SECTION 1. Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met, and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same, That Samuel Watts, John Withers, R. H. Lee, David Mitchell, M. C. Nelson, John A. Wright, William Simms, W. H. Wommer, L. C. Heskitt, Robert Huey, Samuel Steffey, George M. Kepler, John B. Mitchell, William Burchfield, or any four of them, be and are hereby appointed commissioners to open books, receive subscriptions and organize a company, by the name, style and title of the Bellefonte and Pine Grove Turnpike Company, with power to construct a turnpike from Bellefonte, in the county of Mifflin, to Pine Grove, in the county of Centre, subject to all the provisions and restrictions of an act regulating turnpike and plank road companies, approved the twenty-sixth day of January, Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and forty-nine, and the several supplements thereto, except so far as they are hereby altered and supplied.

SECTION 2. That the capital stock of the said company shall consist of five hundred shares, of twenty-five dollars each share: Provided, That said company may from time to time, by a vote of the stockholders, at a meeting called for that purpose, increase their capital stock so much as in their opinion may be necessary to complete said road and carry out the true intent and meaning of this act: Provided, That letters patent shall be issued to the company when ten or more persons shall have subscribed ten per centum of the capital stock hereby authorized.

SECTION 3. That it shall be lawful for the said company to make use of any county bridge on the line of the route of their road, and also use the whole or any part of any public road, and locate their road upon the ground occupied by any public road; and the court of quarter sessions of the county through which the road of the said company passes shall appoint viewers to view and vacate such parts of any public road as shall be used or rendered unnecessary by the construction of the said company's road, as is provided by the general laws of this commonwealth in the cases of roads which have become useless.

SECTION 4. That the president and managers shall have power to regulate and establish rates of toll, not exceeding quadruple the rates established by the act hereinbefore mentioned, and the several supplements thereto, and to erect toll-gates and collect tolls whenever any one mile thereof shall have been completed: Provided, That it shall not be required of the company to cause more than sixteen feet in width to be made an artificial road: And provided further, That their road shall at no places rise or fall more than will form an angle of six degrees from a horizontal line.

SECTION 5. That the said company shall have power to borrow money, at a rate of interest not exceeding eight per centum per annum, for the purpose of completing their road, and issue bonds therefor, and secure the same by mortgage of their road and franchises.

JOHN CLARK,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.
WILMER WORTHINGTON,
Speaker of the Senate.

Approved—The Twelfth day of April, Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and sixty-nine. JNO. W. GEARY.

AN ACT To incorporate the Spring Creek Fish Company.

SECTION 1. Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met, and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same, That D. G. Bush, S. T. Shugart, F. P. Green, C. T. Alexander, T. M. Hewit, J. A. Hackenburg and R. H. Foster, of the county of Centre, and those who shall become stockholders in the company hereinafter named, be and they are hereby incorporated into a body politic and corporate, with the rights, privileges and franchises of a corporation, by the name, style and title of the Spring Creek Fish Company, for the purpose of the rearing, culture and sale of spawn and fish on or near the waters of Spring creek, in the county of Centre; and for that purpose shall have the right to hold and enjoy, by purchase or lease, or take, at an appraisement of three disinterested men to be appointed by the court of common pleas of Centre county for that purpose, such lands and waters as may be necessary for said purposes, and to erect, maintain and put in operation such sluices, dams, inlets and reservoirs and buildings as may be necessary, and the same to lease or sell as they may deem proper.

SECTION 2. That the capital stock of said company shall be ten thousand dollars, in shares of ten dollars each, to be issued to the subscribers in proportion to the number of shares subscribed by each: and the said capital stock may be increased or diminished as the board of directors may determine.

SECTION 3. That if any person shall wilfully destroy or injure any dam, inlet, sluice or reservoir, or shall in any manner corrupt the waters of any such sluice, inlet or reservoir, whereby the spawn of fish therein may be injured or destroyed, or shall fish in the ponds or reservoirs, and shall take fish from the same, or shall do and commit injury to the buildings or trees upon the grounds of said company, the same shall be a misdemeanor, and on conviction thereof in the court of quarter sessions of Centre county, he or she so offending shall be fined by said court, in a sum not less than fifty dollars nor more than one thousand dollars, or shall undergo an imprisonment in the county jail for not less than ten days or more than six months, or both, or either, at the discretion of the court.

SECTION 4. That the corporators above named shall, at the call of any three of their number, of which five days' notice shall be given in writing to the other corporators, assemble at the Bush house, in Bellefonte, on a day and at a place fixed for that purpose, and then and there organize the said company by electing one of their number president, and one secretary and treasurer; and the said corporators shall form a board of directors to manage the affairs of said company for one year thereafter

SECTION 5. That it shall be the duty of the secretary and treasurer to open books of subscription to the capital stock of said company, and issue certificates of stock, as may be provided in the by-laws.

SECTION 6. That the directors of said company may from time to time enact such by-laws, rules and regulations as may be necessary for the management of said company, not inconsistent with the constitution and laws of this commonwealth.

JOHN CLARK,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.
WILMER WORTHINGTON,
Speaker of the Senate.

Approved—The fifteenth day of April, Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and sixty-nine. JNO. W. GEARY.

AN ACT Extending the provisions of an act, entitled "An Act to promote the improvement of real estate, by exempting mortgages and other money securities from taxation, except for state purposes, in certain counties of this commonwealth," approved the fourth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-eight, to the counties of Pike, Centre and Wayne.

SECTION 1. Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met, and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same, That the provisions of an act, entitled "An Act to promote the improvement of real estate, by exempting mortgages and other money securities from taxation, except for state purposes, in certain counties of this commonwealth," approved the fourth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-eight, be and the same are hereby extended to the counties of Pike, Centre and Wayne.

JOHN CLARK,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.
WILMER WORTHINGTON,
Speaker of the Senate.

APPROVED—The thirteenth day of April Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and sixty-nine. JNO. W. GEARY.

AN ACT To separate the office of recorder, in Centre county, from the offices of register and clerk of the orphans' court.

SECTION 1. Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met, and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same, That the qualified electors of Centre county shall, at the next general election after the passage of this act, at the times and places of electing representatives, and whenever thereafter it becomes necessary for an election, elect one person to fill the office of recorder, and one person to fill the office of register and clerk of the orphans' court; and so much of any act of assembly as is inconsistent herewith is hereby repealed.

JOHN CLARK,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.
WILMER WORTHINGTON,
Speaker of the Senate.

Approved—The fifteenth day of April, Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and sixty-nine. JNO. W. GEARY.

AN ACT For the prevention of the mutilation and destruction of show bills, placards, posters, programmes, announcements, et cetera, and for the protection of the proprietors of places of amusement, merchants, manufacturers and others in the city of Philadelphia and county of Centre.

SECTION 1. Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met, and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same, That from and after the passage

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of this act any person found guilty of mutilating, destroying, tearing down or removing any show bill, placard, programme, poster or other advertisement posted up on any wall, fence, bill-board or other structure in or located on any public highway in the city of Philadelphia or county of Centre, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction shall be fined not less than twenty-five nor more than one hundred dollars for the first offence; upon a conviction for a second offence the penalty shall be imprisonment in the county jail for a period of not less than three nor more than six months: Provided, The penalties of this act shall not apply to those tearing down or removing show bills, play bills, posters, programmes, et cetera, after the performance therein advertised, or to the owner or tenant of any building, fence or other structure upon which the said show bills, play bills, programmes, et cetera, may be posted against his or their wishes, save and except such owner or tenant be the bill-poster putting up or employed to put up said show bills, play bills, posters, programmes, et cetera; in such case the penalty shall be as in the first and second offences. All fines collected under and by virtue of this act shall be paid into the state treasury.

JOHN CLARK,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.
WILMER WORTHINGTON,
Speaker of the Senate.

Approved—The second day of April, Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and sixty-nine. JNO. W. GEARY.

AN ACT To authorize the school directors of Walker township, Centre county, to levy and collect a bounty tax.

SECTION 1. Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met, and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same, That it shall be lawful for the school directors of Walker township, Centre county, at their next annual levy of school tax for said township, to levy a sum (in addition to that which may be necessary for ordinary school and building purposes) sufficient to pay off the existing bounty debt of said township, and to levy the same as other taxes are collected: Provided, That the said additional sum shall not exceed one thousand dollars

JOHN CLARK,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.
WILMER WORTHINGTON,
Speaker of the Senate.

Approved—The twenty-fourth day of April, Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and sixty-nine. JNO. W. GEARY.

A FURTHER SUPPLEMENT To an act to empower the town council of the borough of Bellefonte, in Centre county, to borrow money, approved the fourteenth day of February, Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and sixty-three.

SECTION 1. Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met, and is hereby enacted by the authority of the same, That the town council of the borough of Bellefonte are hereby authorized and empowered to borrow, on the credit of said borough, for the purposes stated in said act to which this is a supplement, the further sum of not exceeding fifty thousand dollars, at the same rate of interest, and upon the same conditions provided for in said act; and the said town council and their successors in office are hereby further empowered to levy and collect such taxation, in addition to that now allowed by law, as may be necessary to pay the annual interest on the funded debt of said borough.

JOHN CLARK,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.
WILMER WORTHINGTON,
Speaker of the Senate.

APPROVED—The ninth day of April. Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and sixty-nine.

JNO. W. GEARY.

AN ACT For the better protection and maintenance of the poor in Erie county, and to equalize the burden of taxation for said purpose.

SECTION 1. Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met, and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same, That from and after the passage of this act it shall be lawful for the court to appoint one of the acting justices of the peace in each of the boroughs, wards and townships, within the county of Erie, to determine for their respective townships, wards and boroughs, who are proper subjects of charity, and who shall receive relief under the poor laws of this commonwealth, within their several districts, and shall also determine the assistance that shall be rendered as shall best protect the unfortunate and the interest of the tax-payers of the several townships, wards and boroughs within the said county, and in what way they shall be cared for, either by giving relief at home or sending them to the county poor house.

SECTION 2. That the commissioners of Erie county shall keep an account with the several townships, wards and boroughs within the same, and once in each year, at the regular settlement, exhibit to the auditors of said county the said accounts, and settle all matters relating to the keeping of the poor of said county; and that each township, ward or borough shall be charged with and pay the expenses of keeping their respective poor, and shall, in addition, be charged with and pay their just portion towards the salary of the superintendent and necessary building, repairing and other expenses of the common poor house within said county, in proportion to the number of poor said townships, wards and boroughs may have in said poor house for that year.

SECTION 3. That the money collected from the several districts as aforesaid, for the year one thousand eight hundred and sixty-nine, and not required for the purposes aforesaid, shall remain a fund in the hands of the treasurer of said county and be credited and stand for the use of the township, ward or borough from which it was collected, subject to the order of the justices of the proper district, whose order shall be a good voucher to said treasurer in the settlement of his accounts with commissioners of the county, in the proper settlement to be made as aforesaid.

SECTION 4 That the commissioners of the county shall pay to the several justices of the peace, for their services as aforementioned, a reasonable compensation, when properly presented under oath or affirmation that it is just and correct, not exceeding one dollar and fifty cents for each day by them devoted to poor of their respective districts, and the same shall be charged to the districts in which said services were rendered.

AN ACT To cure the defects in fixing the number of jurors, and in filling the jury wheel in Centre county.

WHEREAS, The court of common pleas of Centre county, at its last session in one thousand eight hundred and sixty-eight, did not fix the number of jurors to be placed in the wheel for one thousand eight hundred and sixty-nine:

And Whereas, The president judge and jury commissioners of said county met and fixed the number, and selected the names and placed them in the wheel in the month of January, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-nine, and it is desired to validate said action therefore.

SECTION 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met, and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same, That the proceedings of the president judge and jury commissioners of centre county, in fixing the number of persons to be placed in the jury wheel for one thousand eight hundred and sixty-nine in selecting said names and in placing them in said jury wheel, and all defects in regard thereto, or in drawing jurors therefrom, are hereby validated and made legal with like effect as if the same had been done in strict compliance with existing laws,

JOHN CLARK,
Speaker of the House of Representatives
WILMER WORTHINGTON,
Speaker of the Senate.

APPROVED—The ninth day of April, Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and sixty-nine.

JNO. W. GEARY.

MILLINERY AND FANCY STORE.

BELLEFONTE, PA.

The undersigned would respecfully inform the citizens of Bellefonte, and of Centre County, that she has opened a large and extensive stock of

MILLINERY AND FANCY GOODS

in the store room recently occupied by G. Livingston. Her goods are all new and were purchased for cash and she is therefore prepared to sell at reduced prices. Her experience in the business warrants her in saying, that the Ladies of Bellefonte or elsewhere will save time and money by visiting her store before purchasing. latest style and fashion plates can alway be seen at the store.

MRS. PATTIE BAER
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A CARD.—The Sessions of the Nittany Valley Institute will be suspended during the winter, to be resumed in the spring.
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Original Poetry.

For the Republican.

HOW MANY?

BY J. G. LONDEN.

How many, O, how many,
Of earth's fairest, brightest flowers,
Are fading, daily fading,
Beneath temptation's powers?
We viewed them oft in childhood,
When life seemed all agleam;
But now how wrecked of manhood
They move upon the stream.

How many, O, how many,
Thus unforgotten die,
That played with us in childhood,
Beneath the same blue sky;
They joined with us in laughter,
And sang the same fond lay;
But those bright hours of pleasure
Were born—but to decay.

How many, O how many,
Are tossed by life's cold waves,
And unremembered dying,
To fill dishonored graves?
A kind word may have brought them
From their bitterness and woe,
Or a loving smile have taught them
Of their pureness—long ago.

How many, O, how many,
With riches at command,
Now scorn the poor lone outcasts
Of our bright and happy land?