THE CENTRE REPORTER.

THURSDAY OCT. 7, 1875.

LODGE MEETINGS.

CENTRE HALL LODGE, No. 895, I. O. of O. F., meets every Saturday evening in the Odd Fellows Hall.
J. M. GILLILAND, Sec't. H. P. SANKEY, A. G.

OLD FORT LODGE, No. 537, F. A. M., meets on Thursday evening, on or after each full moon in the Odd Fellows Hall.
C. F. HERLACHER, Sec't. W. B. MINGLE, W. M.

PROGRESS GRANGE, P of H, meets on Saturday afternoon on or after each full moon, at their Hall.
J. J. ARNEY.

LOCAL ITEMS.

Our friends will oblige by sending us items of local news in their locality, give us the facts only, and we will put them in shape, also notices of deaths and marriages.

Any one sending us the names of six new subscribers, with the cash, will be entitled to receive the REPORTER one year free.

The REPORTER being read by nearly every body on this side of the county, where it has a larger circulation than any two papers, will be found the best medium for advertising business, sales, &c. &c.

☞Subscribers to the Reporter, residing outside of Centre county, should remit us 10 cents, yearly, for postage which we will pay here; this reduces the postage to one half, as the sum paid by them for one year's postage was 20 cts.

—Messrs. Van Pelt & Shoop have commenced erecting new buildings for their foundry and machine shops. The new buildings are back of Main street and will be large and convenient.

—The young men in the neighborhood of Farmer's Mills are about starting a brass-band. They have the requisite number, and several hundred dollars subscribed. Prof. Fehrer is to be their instructor.

—In Clearfield the boys play ball on the street, and the Republican complaineth. Bro. Goodlander that's what keeps the grays from growing there.

—Mr. Philip Shook, of Gregg, sent a clover stalk to the Reporter office, which measures 4 feet 4 inches in length. This beats our friend Musser's stalk a peg or two, and he must stretch to get ahead of Shook.

—The temperance party of Centre county, will hold a convention at Bellefonte on 14 inst., for the purpose of nominating a prohibition ticket.

—Bingaman who attempted to cut another man's throat in Union county, about two months ago, was tried at Lewisburg last week. The jury after a short absence returned with a verdict of guilty. Judge Bulcher sentenced him to pay a fine of $1, costs of prosecution, and undergo an imprisonment in the eastern penitentiary at solitary confinement at hard labor for a term of six years.

—The magnificent store of Sechler & Co., in the Bush house block is attracting as much attention this week as the fair. The finest specimens of dried and canned fruits are to be seen there and can be bought low. This is the best arranged, and most complete grocery in this section, and a more accommodating set of gentlemen to wait upon customers can not be found.

—It is very easy to assert it, and it is just as easy for you to go and see for your selves, citizens of Pennsvalley, and find it to be correct, that at Graham & Son's, you find the largest, best and cheapest assortment of boots and shoes in central Penn'a, The cheapest, yes, for the cheapest and largest variety. You get there just what you want without having to hunt all over Bellefonte for it. Pennsvalley people will find Graham & Son in Brockerhoff's block the most agreeable gentlemen to deal with.

—Guggenheimer has the largest and best stock of Clothing in Centre county, and prices as low as in Philadelphia. Sternberg is there too, and he will sell Clothing right—its his old business. Go and see.

—Mr. James A. Keller, of near this place, was kicked by a horse on last Monday morning. The horse kicked out behind, both feet striking Mr. K. on the breast knocking him insensible for a short time; after recovering he was able to walk home, although his breast is considerably bruised. Had he not been as close to the horse as he was, the blow would undoubtedly have killed him. Since the above is in type we learn that two of Mr. Keller's ribs were broken.

—In doing a cash business all parties interested generally make the most, and it is lamentable that all people can not be induced to follow that mode of doing business, as all parties concerned always feel more independent and find it a fair and square way of dealing. We believe there is only one firm in the county that has had the nerve to introduce this system, and having followed it several years, find it a success and find also that they do a better trade and can sell lower than under the old credit system. This firm is Burnside & Thomas, of Bellefonte. They sell groceries and all household necessities for Cash or produce only—but then they have, as an inducement, marked their goods down to a trifle above wholesale city prices. Now every housekeeper at once will see that he makes money here—he has a saving of from 15 to 40 per cent., and that in some families will amount to several hundred dollars a year.—If you go to Burnside & Thomas, opposite the Bush house, you will find this so.

—The stayenest pair of boots we ever heard of was a pair of $20 fair boots, at Johnny Power's opposite the Bush house, for John Ardell—just as handsome as high in price, and worth every cent of the money. At Powers' ladies will find a nice article of fair shoes and gaiters hard to beat.

—The Mary who had a little lamb, is said to live in Centre county and is now out of her teens. She is handsome and possessed of good sense. A correspondent of the Reporter interviewed her on a recent Saturday evening, and she says when she is married she will get all her groceries at Sechler's. *Her* husband will save money.

—Merchants and others going to New York will do well to read the card of the Spingler House, Union Square, New York. Comfort, luxury, convenience and economy are the advantages offered at this select and excellent hotel. oct 7 1m

WINES FOR DEBILITATED FEMALES.

Some time since we stopped at Passaic, N. J., and were really surprised to see the amount of Mr. Speer's stock of Port Grape Wine on hand, it is almost fabulous. Four Storehouses are filled, and tiers upon tiers of casks up and down stairs, and in some cases huge vats, occupy every available spot, leaving only little alley ways through which to walk. It is an illimitless quantity of wine. None is sold until it has acquired the age of four years, and the buildings, 1, 2, 3, and 4 are of the first, second, third and fourth years vintage. Our druggists have some of the oldest of the above wine direct from Mr. Speer. *Paterson Guardian.*

Zeller & Son druggists agents for Bellefonte.

IMPORTANT TO BUILDERS.—The undersigned is now prepared to sell Brick at his kilns at Centre Hall to suit purchasers, at reasonable rates, also to furnish or contract Brickwork. S. S. FARNER.
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SCHOOL TAX NOTICE.—The taxpayers of Potter school district are hereby notified that the tax-duplicate has been placed in my hands for collection. All tax paid on or before December 1st, next, will have 5 per cent. deducted, and from that date to January 1st the amount on duplicate will be payable, and all taxes unpaid after January 1st 1876, will go into the hands of a collector with an addition of 5 per cent.
A. H. HOSTERMAN,
7 oct 3m. Treasurer.

Auction! Auction!—The goods remaining in the store of S. S. Wolf, dec'd, at Centre Hall, will be sold at Auction, on Wednesday, October 13, afternoon and evening, and sale will be continued each day and evening until all goods are sold. Every article offered and on hand, will be sold without reserve. A good stock still on hand, A chance for Bergains,

—Who wants to invest—three farms are advertised for sale in the Reporter.

—The basement of the new Lutheran church in this place is now ready for services. Rev. Anspach, of Mifflinburg, preached the first sermon in the new building, on last Sabbath. The basement is one of the finest and most commodious in the county and has adjustable seats. The steple is 120 feet high, which we think is the highest spire in the county.

—John C Barr, esq., has our thanks for a pamphlet copy of proceedings of Dem. State Convention.

—Gov. Hartranft will be at State College on the 16th for the purpose of inspecting the cadets.

—The Woodward Hotel property is offered at Sheriff's sale. See adv. in Reporter.

—Subscribe and pay for the Reporter—don't depend upon your neighbor's. The Reporter is worth double the price in any family.

—We need money—will those of our subscribers who are back two, three and four years heed this gentle call, and be kind enough and remit. Do, for in the language of Shakespeare we must exclaim: "Save us, *Cash-us*, or we sink."

For the Reporter.

PENN HALL ACADEMY.

This Academy is undoubtedly one of the best schools outside of the College. Rev. Wolf and Prof. Evans being such teachers as know how to properly conduct it. There are now upwards of 50 students not counting the little boys and girls in the lower department. The present term closes on Friday, Oct. 8th, followed by a three week's vacation. The Hall in which the academy is held is a large and nicely painted room with a splendid slate blackboard, and a good coal stove which all add to the attractiveness of the school. Every branch of study is taught that would prepare the student for College.

Male Students.

S C Stover, G F Shook, H Wetzel, G Vonada, P J Vonada, E Twitmeyer, P O Stiver, G Smith, A C Ripka, J W. Runkle, W F Ossman, J C Orndorf, J F Mullen, C P Leitzel, A J Long, C Krape, G W Kline, H M Kaine, E Krumrine, H Krumrine, T King, B S Jamison, T H Harter, J W Harter, E B Hosterman, W C Gilliland, J A Grenoble, C E Finkle, A C Fisher, C Edmunds, J Condo, W Bible, W P Hosterman, E Grenoble, A E Gobble, W A Fahrion, S K Emerick, D W Duncan, J W Crawford, D Brown, L P Wolf, R S Zerby.

Ladies.

Miss Addie Fisher, Mary Groh, Mary Fahrion Carrie Minich, Clara Guies, Susie Hosterman.

The above are not all the students, but we hope those whose names do not appear above, will pardon us for not inserting them, as we could not ascertain their first names. Long may the Penn Hall Academy live? Hoping that the students are all well pleased with the above article.
"BIXLEY."

From the Altoona Mirror we learn that Robert Hewitt, a wealthy bachelor, committed suicide by shooting himself, on the 17th inst. He lived with a man named Joseph Seguin, who worked his farm, which is situated in the mountain near the Wopsenonock Hotel, seven miles from Altoona. On the morning of the 17th, he took his gun and said to his family that he would take a day's hunt, and in the evening he was found about a mile and a quarter from the house dead having shot himself through the heart. He left a letter stating that, being weary of life, and feeling that he had lived long enough and done enough "for good and for evil," he had deliberately taken his own life. He left a will, bequeathing all his property to his farmer.

AN UNPROFITABLE PEACH SEASON.

Middletown, Delaware, Sept. 21.—The peach season will be virtually over in about a week. There can be no doubt but that the growers' fears for the profits have been fully realized. The markets from the very first shipments of Hales to a few days since, when the firmer varieties began to make their appearance, except at irregular intervals, have been glutted, and the returns have been absolutely a loss in many cases. Owing to the glutted markets about one-third of the crop, it is said, has been allowed to rot on the trees, and many of the farmers have not picked any of their peaches for market since the shipment of Hales. As a general thing the quality of fruit shipped this year to New York and the west has been finer than ever sent from the Peninsula markets, and but for the superabundance of the supply there is little doubt but that the growers would have been amply compensated. The growers who have shipped constantly to New York—which has taken about 1,800,000 baskets—are out of pocket, and in many cases have not received enough to pay the commission men. Philadelphia was about the poorest of all the markets Growers who have shipped to the smaller western cities have done better than any other class of shippers, having paid expenses and realized a fair profit. The Boston markets have been well supplied, and, coupled with the points of shipment in New England, have been, next to the western points, the most remunerative to the growers. The total number of baskets shipped to these points was about 350,000. The entire cost of picking, shipping and marketing the enormous crop of peaches grown on the Peninsula has not been very far short of $2,000,000 and when the season closes this will be increased probably to nearly $2,500,000. There now remains about six days of large shipments, the Smock, late Crawford, and various canning varieties constituting the bulk of the remaining crop. This week the Heath, a very excellent canning fruit will make its appearance, and when they have been all marketed the season may be said to be over. The total shipments will amount to about 6,000,000 baskets. Fully 1,500,000 baskets have been used on the peninsula, some of the fruit being canned, a great quantity dried, and thousands of baskets made into peach brandy by the distilleries, which have sprung up all over the lower part of the state. From the present time until the conclusion of the season the markets continue to improve, and the growers yet hope to make at least expenses, if not a small surplus over. But, altogether, the effect of the present crop has been disastrous to the peach interest of the peninsula, and will result in the grubbing out of the orchards.

HOW A SNAKE CHARMED A BOY.

From the Reading Eagle.

For the last two weeks a son of Allen Rogers, aged eleven years, a wood-cutter on the Blue Mountains, about three miles from Hamburg, has been in the habit of leaving his father's house every morning about 9 o'clock, and not returning till noon. The parents of the boy have questioned him several times as to where he went, and the boy would reply, to play with a neighboring boy named Springer. On Friday last the father watched his son, and followed at a short distance, and when about a half mile from the house, the boy entered a piece of thick sprout land, in from the road some two hundred yards, where he seated himself upon a large rock, and in less than ten minutes the father was horrified on seeing a monster black snake crawl upon the rock and put its head on the boy's lap. The father states that the snake was the largest he ever saw on the hills. He states that it was easily fifteen feet long and as thick as his arm, which is well developed. The boy had taken bread with him and was feeding the snake, which at intervals would stick a large tongue out as if hissing for more to eat. Then it would coil itself around the neck and body of the boy, and play with its mouth and neck with the boy's hands. The father had often heard of snakes charming children, and that if they were disturbed while they were in the act, they would kill the child. As the father turned to leave his boy with his deadly companion, he turned back, and the snake hearing a noise, at once uncoiled i self and raised its body at least four feet from the rock and looked in all directions, and then it returned to the boy's lap, and the father returned home and awaited the boy's return, which was, as usual, at noon. When told that he had been playing with the snake, the boy said the first morning he met the snake he liked to play with it; then he took it food, and he was so much pleased with his companion that something told him that he must meet the snake every morning. One morning he said he was late, and when he reached the place the snake was standing up, and it came out to meet him, then followed him to the rock. There is something very strange about a snake charming not only children. but I have read of adults coming under their charms. There is certainly some truth in the facinating powers of snakes.

On Saturday morning the father and two of his neighbors went to the place with guns, and at the usual time the snake made its appearance, when all fired at one time, killing the charmer.

—The Rebersburg band passed through this place on their way to the fair, they greeted our ears with excellent music.

—S. & L. RAILROAD.—The bondsmen's treasurer, Mr. Hart, was here last week, adjusting land damage claims against the road, and succeeded in making satisfactory settlements with Christian Frain, W. How, George Riggle, John Sager, Charles Romig, John W. Shaw, John Fisher, Bowersox's heirs, and with the bondsmen on Matthew and Robert Forsyth's claims, leaving some still unliquidated, but with whom it is hoped settlement will soon be made. The disposition is to put the road in operation in a short time.

We learn from the Times that Josiah Hart, treasurer of the bond holders of the S. & L. Railroad was in Selinsgrove last week and settled and paid nearly all the claims for land damages in that vicinity and up towards Middleburg. George Schnure received $2250; Jas. K. Davis $3350; Pawling & Kreeger $1900; Henry Schoch $1500; Christian Walter $850; and H. M. Straub probably $600. From there the treasurer went to Middleburg, where a delegation was waiting to meet him.—*Gazette.*

—Mr. S. M. Swartz, of Churchville, writes: Mr. John C. Wagner (of the Loop) set a plum graft last spring which has since grown to 3 yards length, and has two sprouts each 1½ yards long, and the main graft is about ¾ in. in diameter. We name it the Pershing graft, and if the democracy is as determined to elect Mr. Pershing as the above graft is to grow, there will be no doubt of his election.

SPAWLS FROM PENN, NOW AND THEN.

On Friday last, as John G. Musser and Michael Zeigler were driving from Millheim to Texas, with their meat wagon, the horse scared between Mr. Musser's and Mr. Otto's at an old box that Musser left there, and the consequence was, the horse went down over the bank, making a wreck of the wagon as well as of the fence. What become of the beef we will not say. But John would better move his scare crows.

Mr. Daniel Ulrich, jr., has dug the foundation for a new dwelling west of town. We always thought Dan would do such things as soon as she would say, yes, emphatically.

Mr. G. W. Stover, sr., at Penns Creek, is building two new houses this fall, both of which are going up rapidly and will be finished in the course of a few weeks. Such enterprises among the other citizens there would soon increase the appearance of the hamlet.

Bill Brown is expected in Millheim ere long, and somebody has thrown tin cans and buckets into the street already for the satisfaction of the boys on that occasion. May they use them successfully.

The farmers are all through cutting off corn and are now working at their cloverseed, which promises to be a middling good crop after all.

The supervisors commenced work on the new road, at Penns Creek on Monday last. The road commences at Mr. Zerby's saw mill in Penn twp., and follows Penns creek connecting with the main road at Beaver Dam school house, Gregg twp. The road will be a decided improvement, cutting off many steep hills and not being much longer if any.

The grain looks very fine through our section of country, and promises to be well set for the winter. 10. S. C.

—DEATH OF AN OLD CITIZEN.—On the 10th inst. Moses Frank died in Lock Haven, aged 78 years. Deceased was buried in the Jewish cemetry on the 12th, by the Hebrew Benificial Association (to whom the family request us to express their thanks for many kind acts.) Deceased was born in Germany and came to this country about fifty years ago. He had been blind for 16 years. He lost an eye about 25 years ago by being struck in it with an awl or some sharp instrument, and about sixteen years ago, while cutting wood before daylight, a piece struck him in the other eye and thus made him blind.—*Democrat.*

A WONDERFUL RAVINE IN NEW MEXICO.

A correspondent, traveling with the Wheeler expedition, gives the following account of a wonderful ravine encountered by the expedition:

About twenty miles from Lagoona we crossed some plains near Sheep spring, and suddenly came upon a deep volcanic ravine with walls of bluish lava, sheer from the top to the bottom, and at least 700 feet high. In running over the continent by railroad, and suffering from the monotonous character of the plains and prairies, one is inclined to think that, compared with the latter, the proportion of picturesque scenery in America is insignificant. But before you have traveled many hundred miles in New Mexico or Colorado you are bound to acknowledge that any one of their abounding marvels would be enough to make a more accessible country famous. What has the East, or England, or France, or Germany to equal this ravine, for instance—the Canado Alamos, as it is called? Compared with it the Pictured Rocks, the Virginia Natural Bridge, Watkin's Glen, or the most curious features of the British coast are worth as little note as a boy's box of magic compared with the best tricks of a skilled prestidigitateur; and yet here, in the midst of a thousand other marvels, it has nothing more than a name and scarcely excites a moment's wonder. The surrounding country is almost flat and is bounded by abrupt mesas. We march along with apparently nothing but the plains ahead of us, and suddenly, without warning, as we approach a crest of the wavy land we see the edge of the gulf. Less than a dozen yards away this enormous fisure lays bare the earth in a width of 200 and a depth of 700 feet. The walls, as has been said, are plumb and smooth, the color of coal. The flat bottom is filled with yellow sand and pebbles, meandered by a babbling creek. Thickets of trees and shrubs crop out of this barreness apparently independent of nourishment, and here a great slice of lava leans over from the farther wall as though it had been cut by a knife, only awaiting the action of a few thousand rainfalls before it tumbles into the canyon. In the chasm between it and the mainland a forest is growing, and as we throw stones down it that rumble to the bottom, a flock of birds shriek remonstrance at our unprovoked assault.

For the Reporter.

PENN HALL.

The vacancy caused by the departure of Mr Bartholemew in Maj. Fisher's store, in this place, is filled by Henry Philips, of Aaronsburg, formerly clerk in his brother's establishment. In this change Aaronsburg will lose a meritous young man, while Penn Hall will realize the benefit.

Prof. John Evans purposes going to the Theological Seminary at Lancaster to study for the ministry.

The academy closed on the 6th inst., after ten weeks of hard labor—both for students and teachers. Prof. Wolf, whose health had been in a bad condition at the beginning of the term, comes out with renewed rigor and purposes teaching again this winter.

Bill Brown, on last Thursday morning addressed the citizens of Spring Mills and vicinity on the political situation of our country. The Col. spoke one hour and thirty minutes. The principal theme of his discourse was to diffuse the mission of the 76ers more generally and strengthen the brittle thread which now holds the solitary few together in this valley. He predicted that our government was fast drifting to a minority would arrive at its destination ere long, if the Republican party remained in power much longer. He spoke against the Republican money basis with great violence, denounced the National Bank system, stated the manner in which the gold gamblers robbed the laboring classes—asserting. at the same time that he was an independent character, as he had "nothing of which they could rob him of;" and with the most violent gesticulations continued that if ever any attempt of that kind was made, he 'would bayonet the guts out of them.' It wound up by admonishing every true republican to join the worthy crowd composed of 76ers, miners, laborers and copper-heads in electing Pershing and Piollet.

A TRAGEDY.

At Roseville, Pa., last week, Miss Harriet Russel, a daughter of William Russel, a farmer, married Horton Hurst, a carpenter, and a young man of excellent character. There had been a family feud of long standing between Russel and the Hurst family, and the former had forbidden his daughter receiving attention from young Hurst. After the nuptials had been celebrated the couple went to the village tavern to dine. Whilst at dinner the door of the dining room was burst in, and Russell, the father of the bride, sprang into the apartment. His daughter arose hastily and ran toward him with outstretched arms, but he threw her aside and sprang upon her husband. Accusing Hurst of having induced his daughter to leave her home, he grasped him by the throat, but the young man threw him off and commenced backing toward the door. Russel seized a knife from the table, and getting between Hurst and the door, attempted to stab the young man. Hurst received the thrust in his arm, and seeing that the old man was bent on murder, drew a revolver and warned him to stand back. Russell did not heed the warning, and continued to make deadly plunges with the knife. Hurst received many of these in his arm and shoulder. At last Hurst pushed his assailant back from him and levelled the pistol at him. His wife at this instant sprang between the men just as her husband's pistol was discharged. The ball entered her brain as she fell to the floor and expired without saying a word. The report of the pistol brought a number of persons into the room. Hurst had fallen on his knees beside his wife's body, and after several times frantically appealing to her by name to look up and speak to him, he rose to his feet, and before a hand could be extended to prevent him, shot himself through the head, and he fell dead by the side of his wife. Russell seemed stricken dumb by the fearful scene, and was led from the room like a child. He was arrested and held in $2,000 to await the action of the grand jury. A verdict that Mrs. Harriet R. Hurst met her death by the accidental discharge of a pistol, and that Horton Hurst came to his death by his own hands while temporarily insane, was rendered.

We printed last week an account of the hanging of a man, Schell, in Bellefontaine, Ohio, on suspicion of having murdered a young woman named Laughlin. His wife had accused him of the murder, recounting a story which, on its face, was improbable in the extreme; while Schell himself, with the halter around his neck, protested his innocence, and declared that his wife was in reality the murderer, having been actuated to the crime by jealousy. The Columbus News says that a microscopic examination of some hair found clutched in Miss Laughlin's hand shows that it was neither hers nor Schell's, but that it corresponds with Mrs. Schell's. If this is true, there can be little doubt that the unfortunate man's story was true, and that the murderous mob of "determined, honest citizens" were guilty of hanging an innocent man without judge or jury, or even a pretence of investigating the question of his guilt.

Gov. Curtin left Philadelphia for Ohio on Saturday night and will speak for Allen every day until the close of the campaign.

ELECTION PROCLAMATION.

GOD SAVE THE COMMONWEALTH.

I, B. F. SHAFFER, High Sheriff of Centre county, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, do hereby make known and give notice to the electors of the county aforesaid, that an election will be held in the said county of Centre on

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 2nd, 1875,

in accordance with the Act of Assembly, for the election of:

One person for the office of governor of the commonwealth of Penn'a.

One person for the office of State Treasurer of the commonwealth of Penn'a.

One person to represent the counties of Centre, Clinton and Clearfield in the Senate of Penn'a.

One person for the office of Sheriff, of the county of Centre.

One person for the office of Treasurer of the county of Centre.

One person for the office of Prothonotary of the county of Centre.

One person for the office of Register of the county of Centre.

One person for the office of Recorder of the county of Centre.

One person for the office of Coroner of the county of Centre.

Three persons for the office of Commissioner of Centre county.

Three persons for Auditors of Centre county.

I also hereby make known and give notice that the place of holding the aforesaid election in the several Boroughs and Townships within the county of Centre are as follows, to wit:

For the twp, of Haines, at the Public House of John Limbert, Aaronsburg.

For the twp, of Half Moon, at the School House in Stormstown.

For the twp, of Taylor, at the house erected for the purpose on the property of Leonard Merryman.

For the Township of Miles, in the school house in the town of Rebersburg.

For the twp, of Potter at the house of John Odenkirk, Old Fort Hotel.

For the twp, of Gregg at the public house owned by J. B. Fisher.

For the twp, of Ferguson in the school house at Pine Grove.

For the twp, of Harris, in the school house at Boalsburg.

For the twp, of Patton, at the house of Peter Murray.

For the borough of Bellefonte and the townships of Spring and Benner, at the Court House in Bellefonte.

For the twp, of Walker, in the school house at Hublersburg.

For the borough and township of Howard at the school house in said boro.

For the twp, of Rush at the Cold Stream school house.

For the twp, of Snow Shoe, at the school house near Samuel Askey.

For the twp, of Marion, at the house of Joel Kline, in Jacksonville

For the boro. of Milesburg, at the new school house in Milesburg.

For the twp, of Boggs, at the new school house in Central City.

For the twp, of Huston, at the house of John Reed.

For the twp, of Penn, at the house of W. L. Musser.

For the twp, of Liberty, in the school house at Eagleville.

For the twp, of Worth, at the school house in Port Matilda.

For the twp, of Burnside, at the house late of J. K. Boak.

For the twp, of Curtin, at the school house near Robt. Manns.

For the borough of Unionville and Union twp, at the new school house in Unionville.

For the boro. of Philipsburg, at the public school house in said borough.

At all elections hereafter held under the laws of this commonwealth the polls shall be opened at seven o'clock a. m., and closed at seven o'clock p. m.

NOTICE is also hereby given, "That every person, excepting the justices of the peace, who shall hold any office appointment of profit or trust under the government of the United States, or of this State, or of any city or incorporated district, whether a commissioned officer or otherwise, subordinate officer or agent, who is or shall be employed under the legislative, executive, or judiciary department of this State, or of the United States, or of any United States, or of any city or incorporated district, and also that every member of Congress, and of the State Legislature, and of the select or common council of any city, or commissioners of any incorporated district, is by law incapable of holding or exercising, at the same time, the office or appointment of judge, inspector or clerk of any election of this Commonwealth; and that no inspector, judge or other officer of any such election, shall be eligible to any office to be then voted for."

The inspectors and judge of the elections shall meet at the respective places appointed for holding the election in the district to which they respectively belong, before seven o'clock in the morning, and each of said inspectors shall appoint one clerk, who shall be a qualified voter of such district.

At the opening of the polls it shall be the duty of the judges of election for their respective districts to designate one of the inspectors, whose duty it shall be to have in custody the registry of voters, and to make the entries therein required by law, and it shall be the duty of the other of said inspectors to receive and number the ballots presented at said election.

Given under my hand, at my office in Bellefonte, this first day of October, A. D. 1875, and in the ninety-ninth year of the independence of the United States.

B. F. SHAFFER,
Sheriff.

THE RED CLOUD COMMISSION.

NEGOTIATIONS SUSPENDED—THE INDIANS HAVE AN EYE TO BUSINESS.

New York Oct. 1.—A special dispatch from the Red Cloud agency says that the council closed on the 29th ult., with the abandonment of negotiations by the commissioners with the acquiesence of the Indians. The Indians again made speeches asking in return for the Black Hills, that their nation be supported for over 200 years. They also wanted cattle, guns, clothing, horses, farms, houses, saw mills, schools, civilized furniture. They would retain the foot of the hills.

It was intimated that many of the chiefs would like to finish the council at Washington. Senator Allison again read the formal proposition of the goverment, agreeing to purchase the Hills for $6,250,000 in fifteen annual installments, or lease them for $450,000 yearly, and also to purchase the Big Horn country for $500,000, payable in ten annual instalments, to be expended on live stock, husbandry instruments, etc. The Indians declined to accept the offer, it being too small.

Williamsport, October 3.—Abraham A. Winnegardner, a wealthy and influential citizen of this place, committed suicide this evening by drowning himself in the canal, one mile above here.

SHERIFF'S SALE.—

By virtue of a writ of Venditioni Exponas issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Centre county, and to me directed, will be exposed to public sale, at the Court House in Bellefonte on Friday, the 22nd day of October, 1875, the following property, viz:

All that certain tract of land situate in Haines Township, Centre co., Pa., bounded on the north by the Lewisburg and Old Fort turnpike road, on the west by land of Michael Hess, et al, south by land of Daniel Stover, and east by land of the heirs of John Motz, dec'd, containing 38 acres, more or less, thereon erected a large Hotel building, large shed, tenant house, and other buildings, being known as the Woodward Hotel property.

Seized, taken in execution, and to be sold as the property of W. S. Long. Sale to commence at one o'clock, p. m. of said day.

Sheriff's Office, Bellefonte Pa., Oct. 4, 1875
B. F. SHAFFER,
Sheriff.

ORPHAN'S COURT SALE.

By virtue of an order of the Orphan's Court of Centre county, there will be offered at public sale, on the premises, in Potter twp., 3 miles west of Potters Mills, on

Friday, October 29, 1875,

at 1 o'clock, p. m., a valuable lot of ground of Mrs. Rebecca Books, containing

10 Acres, with Log House, Barn

and other Outbuildings thereon erected. There is a good ORCHARD in bearing condition, also a never failing spring of water on the premises. Conditions will be made known on day of sale.

A. LUKENBACH,
Oct 7. Executor.

ORPHAN'S COURT SALE.

The undersigned, Administrators of the Estate of R. W. Jamison, late of Juniata county, dec'd, will, by virtue of an order of the Orphan's Court of Centre county, expose the following described real estate, situate in Potter township, Centre county, to public sale, on the premises, at 2 o'clock P. M., on

Friday, November 5th, 1875.

The undivided one-half part of a tract of land, bounded by lands of Elizabeth Deckert on the east, Andrew Grage on the south, Henry Sankey on the west, and Joseph Carson on the north, containing about

123 ACRES,

more or less, having thereon erected a GOOD FRAME HOUSE of large size, Bank Barn, and good outbuildings. The whole of this land is now under cultivation and is an excellent quality of arable land. There is a good Apple Orchard on the premises, and also a fine assortment of other fruits.

This land is eligibly situated, about one mile northeast of Potter's Bank, and in close proximity to churches, schools and stores. Terms will be made known on day of sale.

JOHN MOTZER,
LOUIS E. ATKINSON,
Oct 7. Administrators.

Valuable Farm for Sale.

The fine and highly productive Farm of the undersigned, situate on the turnpike, about 1 mile west of Spring Mills, is offered at private sale. It contains about

150 ACRES OF LAND,

under a high state of cultivation, and the greater part under post and rail fence, with all else in the best order.

A large two-story FRAME HOUSE, LARGE BARN, and all necessary Outbuildings on the premises. All the buildings are good as new, and the house has recently been papered and painted on the inside. It is one of the most desirably located farms in Centre county, being but 1 mile from the railroad station, convenient to churches, schools, stores and mills. An abundance of good Timber also convenient. For further information address

JAMES I. FORSTER,
16 sept tf. Akron, Ohio.

For the Reporter.

A match game of base ball was played at Millheim on Saturday between the Millheim club and the Democratic club of Penn Hall. The Penn Hall boys came off triumphant, the score standing 12 to 25. The Millheim boys are as good and perhaps better looking fellows than the Penn Hall boys but they couldn't play for looking at the stars on their blue suits—of course it was the first time they had them on. T.

TERRIBLE RAILROAD ACCIDENT—ELEVEN PERSONS KILLED.

Sorel, Quebec, September 29.—About seven o'clock last night a train coming from Yamaska ran over an obstruction supposed to have been maliciously placed across the track. Six platform cars on which there were about seventy laborers were in front and the engine in the rear and running at a fair speed. Two or three platform cars were upset by the shock and the men on board were fearfully crushed and mangled. Eleven were killed and twenty-five wounded.

DEATHS.

On 3 sept., at Centretown, Mercer co., Fillie Irena, twin daughter of Maggie J. and Henry W. Minnich, aged 3 months and 19 days.

MARKETS—PRODUCE.

New York, October 1.—Flour, superfine $5 00@5 65; Flour, common to good 5 70@6 00; Flour, good to choice 6 05@6 50. Wheat, No 2 Chicago spring $1 24@1 28; Wheat, No 2 Milwaukee $1 29@1 31. Rye 90@92c. Corn—western mixed 69@70. Oats—western mixed 40@42. Coffee 19½@22½. Eggs 28@28½. Sugar—fair to good refining 7⅞@8⅛. Petroleum, refined 13⅞@14.

PHILADELPHIA.

Philadelphia, October 1.—Flour, extra family $5 25@5 37½; high grades $8 00@9 00. Wheat, new $1 25@1 35; old red $1 42@1 43. Corn, western mixed 72@73; yellow 73@74. Oats—western mixed 40@42.

CHICAGO.

Chicago, October 1.—Flour, good to choice $5 25@5 75; flour, spring extras $5 00@6 00. Wheat, October $1 10½; seller Nov. $1 09½. Corn—seller October 55½; seller Nov. 50½. Oats—seller Nov. 32; seller Oct. 32½@33. Rye—seller October 70@71. Barley—seller Oct. $1 01. Pork, October $21 55; seller Sept. 22 50. Lard—seller Oct. $13 65.

BELLEFONTE MARKETS.

White Wheat $1 15 Red 110....Rye 90 ....Corn 65....Oats 60......Barley 90. 70......Cloverseed 8,00......Potatoes 60 Lard per pound 8.......Pork per pound 06 Butter 20......Eggs 15........Plaster per ton $14 Tallow 8.......Bacon 10.......Ham 15. Lard per pound 8 cents.............Buck wheat 65 cts.,.........Flour per barrel retail 7,00... Nova Scotia plaster $14 to 15. Cayuga plaster $9,50 per 2000 lbs.