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AN OPEN LETTER. Office of D. GARMAN & SON, BUSH'S ARCADE, Bellefonte, April, 1884. TO OUR PATRONS:

This week we enter upon our second year, and we have to thank the people for their very liberal patronage. Our success proves that "honest goods at honest prices" are bound to take, and it has built up the finest retail trade in the county. It is a platform that admits of no deception, in advertising no petty tricks to draw people to our store; nothing that is in any way fraudulent. We use the papers as do other honest advertisers to keep our goods, our prices and our system before the public, and referring to all three we are very careful to tell the truth. While we are no less careful to avoid the mention of prices where they will be likely to create a false impression, we shall still tell you that anything you may return it and have your money refunded.

Respectfully, your obedient servants, D. GARMAN & SON.

LOCAL ITEMS.

Reporter for the campaign 10c per m'th.—Maj. Fisher, of Penn Hall, shipped a dozen of fine beavers, of his own fattening, to Philadelphia, the other day.

Next Sabbath morning there will be communion services in the Reformed church of this place.

The Bellefonte nail company thinks of doubling the capacity of the nail works.

Rev. J. J. Pierce has located at Lewistown.

Dinges, of the Peen's Valley Bargain store, is having a new stock of goods coming, and intends making a big flurry in low prices and offer the best bargains in the county.

Spring Mills had a run-off on Sunday. Mr. F. Confer and wife, while taking a pleasure ride, an axle of the buggy broke, and the occupants were thrown from it. Mr. C. was dragged quite a distance, but neither was seriously hurt. The vehicle was wrecked.

J. W. Wolf is now in the city purchasing a new stock of spring goods for Wolf & Son, which will arrive next week, and will be ahead of any yet bro't here to the "Old Stand." Wolf's keep none but first-class goods, assortment large, and bargains equal to any. Hold up for their new stock.

Read the advertisement of Harper & Kreamer's new store, in another column. They have a fine stock of goods and will sell at bottom prices.

John Mullin is now in Philadelphia purchasing a large stock of boots and shoes, and will open a new store for that line of goods in the store-room of Meyer's hotel. John will open his store next week.

Many families are starting in at house-keeping at this time, and to start in right and keep on the right track is simple: Buy your sugars, coffees, teas, canned goods, cured meats, and all other groceries needed, at Sechlers in the Bush house block and you will always be right and get along.

Jacob Dutweiler, of Penn, has moved to Kansas. He, W. Weiser, Willis Bollinger, E. Brumgard, E. Frank and H. K. Lese have left Millville for Dakota, as we see by the "Journal."

The tract of woodland, 110 acres, belonging to the Hustonfarm near this place, has been sold by Col. Coburn, to a gentleman named Myers, of Berks county, at \$125 per acre. Mr. Myers has already put a sawmill on the ground and will clear the tract for a farm and erect buildings.

Go to Stover's marble works, at Bellefonte, for your tombstones, monuments, etc. If you would save money, they put out the finest work, equal to city jobs, and at lower rates. Give Stover a call before ordering elsewhere.

Camp's furniture rooms are among the best stocked in our county, and you can buy as handsome an article from Camp as you can get in the city, and at a lower figure. Go and see his furniture—he is glad at all times to have people examine it.

The ancients were strangely fond of perplexing problems. Thus there was the famous problem about the ass between two exactly equal bundles of hay, at exactly equal distance. "This ass," says the sophist, "will attempt to eat neither bundle; for, by whatever line of reasoning it could be shown that he would turn first to one bundle, by a line of reasoning precisely similar it may be shown that he would turn first to the other. But he would turn first to both. Therefore, he would turn to neither." Another of these problems was thus worded: "Epimenides the Cretan says that the Cretans are liars. Now Epimenides is himself a Cretan; therefore Epimenides is a liar. Therefore the Cretans are not liars. Therefore Epimenides is a liar. Therefore, etc. ad infinitum." Others stated the problem in a more simple form, thus: "When a man says I lie, does he lie or does he not lie? If he lies he speaks the truth, if he speaks the truth he lies." We are old that one philosopher, after vainly endeavoring to clear up this important question, flung himself in despair into the sea.

Don't you know that Garman is the cheapest store in the county.

FROM KANSAS.

Mr. KREMER—From eastern reports we learn that the month of March has been rather rough in some localities, bringing on a good deal of ice and snow, rain and mud. Here March behaved admirably; in the early part of the month the frost melted and left the roads dry and smooth. Farmers got their oats and potatoes out without any hindrance; a few gentle rains started the wheat, finally several days very high wind but from the south and consequently not cold. The last (31st) we had a heavy thunder shower which lasted about two hours, making it too wet to work the ground, but a high wind brought it in a condition that the plows are going again. Wheat is in a very fine condition; never before have I seen such beautiful wheat fields on the first of April. Oats is coming up finely. Plum and peach buds are peeping out; a few more days plowing and the corn planter will be started. Emigration into here is immense, Pennsylvania sending its full share. Land is being bought up very rapidly and raised in value full 40 per cent. in the last six months. All are well. S. M. SPANGLER, Newton, Kansas, April 3, '84.

Mr. John F. Boozer, of Phillipsburg, is also here on a visit to his old home and friends, and is doing finely at Phillipsburg.

Mr. Craig, one of Pine Grove's prominent citizens, favored the "Reporter" with a call.

Jacob Emerick, esq., an old Democratic worker of Penn, gave the "Reporter" a call.

Mr. John Danberman, of Centre Hill, looked in upon the "Reporter" the other day. Mr. D. is one of our best and most respected citizens.

Our Pleasant young friend, Wm. P. Krape, of Spring Mills, was a caller at these headquarters.

Wm. K. Alexander, of the new Linden Hall mercantile firm, Alexander & Keller, gave the "Reporter" a call.

We were pained to learn of a shocking accident that befel Mr. Joshua Potter, Jr., living about two miles west of this place, on Saturday, 5. A well was being dug on his premises by an old gentleman named Page, and had reached a depth of about seven feet. Mr. Page was down and put a charge in a rock, lit the fuse and then mounted a ladder to get out; unfortunately the ladder broke and Mr. Page fell back into the well. His cries for help at once brought Mr. Potter to the brink of the well and was extended to assist Mr. Page with the charge when the charge went off hurling the stones into Mr. Potter's face. His one cheek was badly crushed and other parts of his face and forehead painfully cut and bruised. Dr. Alexander was at once sent for to dress his wounds. Mr. Page's back having been turned towards the blast his injuries were of a less serious nature.

On last Sunday afternoon as Alfred Osmann, in company with a lady, was passing Old Fort in a buggy, a dog ran out at the horse, causing the animal to shy. The buggy was upset spilling out the inmates, and the horse ran off wrecking the buggy.

The Simple and Perfect Dyes.—Nothing so simple and perfect for coloring as Diamond Dyes. Far better and cheaper than any other dye. 10c. Druggists sell them. Sample cards for 2-cent stamp. Wells, Richardson & Co., Burlington, Vt.

Carpets, oil cloths and matting, in immense stock at low prices, at the Bee Hive.

Farmers of Centre county who desire to buy a Binder for coming harvest and wish to see the Johnston Binder, the Continental Selfrake, and one of their Mowers, will please come to Bellefonte, during court week, commencing April 1. I do not wish to boast of these machines, but farmers of Pennsylvania know it. I sold 40 of these machines in the valley in 1882 and '83. I will also have on exhibition a full line of Farmers' Friend and Grain-Check Row Corn-planters and Grind-drills. M. F. BRANKNER, 16ap3t Centre Hill, Pa.

Rev. W. E. Fischer will preach on Sunday, 20, at Tusseyville at 10 a. m., and at Centre Hall at 2 p. m., same day.

Henry Boozer is fitting up the old ware-house, near the hotel, for a meat market and ice-cream saloon.

Ladies, don't fail to read the advertisement of Miss Long, in another column, who has opened a milliner store in this place, and keeps a fine assortment of first class goods of latest styles.

A. C. Mingle, in the Brockerhoff house block, has opened the boot and shoe season ahead of all others, with a large and fine assortment of first class goods for men, women and children. His stock is simply unsurpassed and will not be equalled this spring by any store in the county. He can suit the wants of all classes and sexes and ages in fine and coarse goods, high and low priced boots and shoes, and at figures which defy all competition. The Pennsylvania trade will find Mingle's shoe store headquarters, and when you go to Bellefonte give Albert a call—you always find him a gentleman and perfectly fair in his dealings.

Druggist Murray reports a growing demand for McDonald's celebrated Worm Powders.

White goods and embroideries at Garman's.

Here is a chance to get two papers for the price of one—good only from now to June 1st: Any one paying the Express one year in advance and sending us a new advance paying name for one year, we will send each the "Chicago Weekly News" one year free.

We make nothing on this but desire to give the "Reporter" a wide circulation during the campaign. A rare chance to get two papers for the price of one.

ELECTION OF COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT.

To the School Directors of Centre Co.: Gentlemen.—In pursuance of the fourth section of the act of 8th of May, 1854, you are hereby notified to meet in convention, at the court house, in Bellefonte, on the first Tuesday in May, A. D. 1884, being the 6th day of the month, at 1 o'clock in the afternoon, and select, vice voco, by a majority of the whole number of directors present, one person of literary and scientific requirements, and of skill and experience in the art of teaching, as county superintendent, for the three succeeding years; and certify the result to the State Superintendent, at Harrisburg, as required by the thirteenth and fourteenth sections of said act.

D. M. WOLF, County Superintendent of Centre Co., April 16, 1884.

THESEATERS' SALE OF UN-DEVELOPED LANDS FOR TAXES FOR 1883 AND 1884 AND PREVIOUS YEARS.—Notice hereby given that in pursuance of an act of Assembly passed on the 12th day of June, A. D. 1815, entitled "An act to amend an act, directing the mode of selling unseated lands in Centre county," and the several supplements thereto, there will be sold, at public sale or otherwise, the following tracts of unseated lands in said county for the taxes due and unpaid thereon, at the Court House, in the borough of Bellefonte, on Monday, June 10, A. D. 1884, at one o'clock p. m.:

Table listing land parcels with columns for Acres, Per. Warrantee name, Taxes, and other details. Includes names like Mary Lamb, Sarah Lane, and various other landowners.

THE COSMOPOLITAN CHARACTER OF OUR AMERICAN MAGAZINES HAS NEVER BEEN BETTER ILLUSTRATED THAN IN THE ANNOUNCEMENTS OF THE MAY HARPER.

Certainly American topics, authors and artists are thoroughly represented, but there will also be papers on English, French and German subjects, written by Englishmen, Frenchmen and Germans, illustrated by English and French artists. William Black, William Sharp, Alfred Parsons, F. Jacarney, and Dr. Morris Busch are among the contributors in question. Yet Harper's is commonly counted the most American of our magazines.

GREAT HORSE SALE.—Ten head of fine Western Percheron horses, will be offered at public sale, at Meyer's hotel, Centre Hall, on Tuesday, April 22, at 1 p. m. This lot of horses consists of extra drivers and large draught horses.

J. C. RANKIN.

NOTICE TO STOCKHOLDERS.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Lewisburg & Tyrone Railroad Company will be held at the office of the Company, No. 233 South Fourth Street, Philadelphia, Pa., on Monday, May 5th, 1884, at 11 o'clock, a. m. Election for President and Directors same day and place. JAMES R. McCLELLAN, Secy.

THE CHINESE EVACUATE HONGKONG.

Paris, April 11. A dispatch from Sunday, April 11, says: "Gen. Negrier on Wednesday bombarded the villages before Hongkong, and the enemy forthwith began to evacuate the town without resistance. The French enter Hong Kong to-morrow."

Gen. Millet telegraphs: "On the 9th inst. Hongkong was bombarded for six hours. The Chinese offered no resistance but evacuated after setting fire to the town, which is now in flames, part of the Chinese fled to Puhang and part to Doanrang and Theuho."

PROTHONOTARY.

We are authorized to announce that R. G. Brett, of Centre Hall, is a candidate for Prothonotary, subject to Democratic usage.

MARRIED.

On April 6th, by Rev. P. A. Heilmann, Mr. R. F. Luis, of Zion, and Miss Helen Emerick, of Salona.

On March 27, by same, Mr. George C. Mason and Miss Jennie M. Stitzer, both of Fleming.

On 27th March, by Rev. W. H. Groh, Mr. Jacob Meyer, of Linden Hall, and Miss Annie Shuey, of Oak Hall.

On 12th instant, at Centre Hall, by Rev. W. E. Fischer, Jeremiah Zettie and Sarah E. Swetwood, both of near Spring Mills.

On April 11, at Lewisburg, by Rev. George Hunter, Mr. Geo. Minnow and Miss Kate A. Bair, both of Centre Co.

DIED.

On 2 instant, near Linden Hall, Mr. Wm. Harry Rupp, aged 33 years, 10 days.

On 10, in Harris twp., pneumonia, Samuel, son of Michael Hues, aged 7 years, 6 months.

SPRING MILLS MARKET.

Table listing market prices for various goods like Wheat, White & Mixed, Corn, Oats, etc.

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Our New Store

ALEXANDER & KELLER.

AT LINDEN HALL.

We have just returned from the Eastern markets with an immense stock of new goods, such as has never been brought to this part of Penns Valley before; large in quantity, good in quality and prices as low as the lowest. All are invited to call and examine our goods, and you will be convinced that we have just what has been needed in this part of the valley. Highest prices paid for all kinds of country produce.

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Samuel White, Jr., Com'n Broker, 31 South Third Street.

The largest line of white goods ever brought to Bellefonte now on exhibition at the Bee Hive.

S. AVILDA LONG.