

THE CENTRE REPORTER.

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TERMS.—One year, \$1.50, when paid in advance. Those in arrears subject to previous terms.

GOOD ADVICE

KEEP COOL! and buy at Bartholomew's Store, Cheapest Store in Centre County.

LOCAL ITEMS.

There were light frosts on Monday no harm done. A shoemaker from Williamsport contemplates opening a shop here shortly.

John H. Shutt, one of Tusseyville's practical farmers, gave the Reporter a call. John Messer has purchased the brick house and lot of L. D. Kurtz, at Aaronsburg, price \$1800.

The Reporter, for the campaign, 15 cents. If you want a straight, honest Democratic paper, for the campaign, send your 15 cents for the Reporter.

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Mr. Aaron Bartges, of Madisonburg, was attacked by highwaymen, near Loganville, on Saturday, and had quite a tussle. That county seems to be thick with robbers, and its about time we hear of some of the road agents being shot.

William O'Brien, who stabbed an d nearly killed Hugh Riddle by stabbing him in the right leg, was sentenced to pay a fine of \$1, cost of prosecution and undergo imprisonment in the Western penitentiary for one year at hard labor.

SATURDAY AT SPRING MILLS.

A LARGE CROWD, AND AN INTERESTING PROGRAM. The Knights of the Golden Eagle of Spring Mills had their day on last Saturday; a large crowd being present from all parts of the valley.

The game of ball was played in the meadow near the station and was an interesting one. Aaronsburg boys came prepared to do up Spring Mills, having secured Mr. Jesse Shipman of Shamokin, an amateur curve pitcher of some reputation, to occupy the box.

Below is the score, made by our friend, Sober, on Blue Rock pigeons. This exhibition of Mr. Sober's skill heads the list, up to this date.

Table with columns: No., Broken, Missed. Lists various items like single blue rocks, left shoulder, etc.

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Rev. S. G. Shannon, of Sunbury, was here, a few days ago, visiting his sister, Mrs. Wm. Lohr, who is quite ill.

Landlord Meyer is off on a trip to Reading and Allentown. Apples are selling at 10 cents per peck.

The Reporter can be had for the campaign, for 15 cents. Farmers are ready for sowing wheat.

SHAFFER THE MAN.

All the persons robbed recently, in Sugar valley, while on their way to Lock Haven, have been shown a crowd of persons, among whom was Shafer the accused murderer of the Culveys, and all without exception, as we are informed, have identified Shafer as the man who stopped them on the highway.

There was a hearing in Lock Haven on Tuesday afternoon in the case of James Kline and Luther Shafer, on the charge of robbery, and they were being over for court.

A TIMELY JUDICIAL OPINION. Judge Henderson, of Lebanon county has just emphasized an important and timely judicial opinion. A man was brought before him for battering a neighbor who appropriated the green apples on the limb of a tree hanging over his premises from the assailant's lot.

GAME LAW. The game law says no person shall kill, or have in his possession after being killed, any gray, black, or fox squirrel, between January 1 and September 1.

INNOCENT. In the case of Thomas Weaver, of Woodward, against whom there appears to have been a set up job of blackmail, and as we said in last week's Reporter there was evidence produced in court showing his innocence.

FRUIT THIEVES. We hear considerable complaint from our citizens that peaches plums and other fruit is taken from trees on their property. It is becoming a practice among certain boys in this town to keep track of fruit and take it at night and in a number of cases have broken down and destroyed the trees.

BUSINESS INCREASING. Station agent Katherman informs us that the amount of freight handled at our station during the month of August has been the largest since the opening of the office.

AT WILLIAMSGROVE. The grange picnic at Williams Grove is in progress this week and this valley is well represented. The following persons left from our station: Mike Condo, Dave Booser, Pete Keller, H. D. Vanspelt, G. Vanpelt, Mamie Meyer, D. J. Meyer, E. M. Huyett, Leonard Rhone and family, J. B. Solt and family, Mike Shires, John Kennedy, Peter Hoffer, and others.

Excursion tickets will be sold at our station to persons desiring to attend the centennial anniversary of the adoption of the constitution at Philadelphia, Sept. 15 to 17, for \$6.41, half fare \$3.21. Good to return until Sept. 20.

GRAND JURY REPORT.

To the Honorable Court of Quarter Sessions in and for the County of Centre: The Grand Inquest of the Court of Quarter Sessions in and for the county of Centre, State of Pennsylvania, August term, 1887.

We find the water closets at the rear of the Court House to be in a miserable condition, so much so as to render it a nuisance, and would recommend the entire removal of it and its contents, and a suitable substitute erected with sufficient drain and water pipes to render it a suitable place for the purposes for which it is intended.

In the case of the county jail we find the condition of the building, and would recommend the removal of said water closets. And we also recommend that all the vermin and filth be removed from the building.

LINDEN HALL. Mrs. Sparr and Mrs. Condo, of Boalsburg, spent Wednesday in Linden Hall among friends.

George Everts and James Ros took in the camping in Stonevale, on Sunday, and report a big crowd. We noticed that Mr. Westfall was quite generous towards the Democrats on Tuesday last, that day being the County Convention of the Republicans.

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LOCAL SQUIBS.

Elegant black silk.—Garmans. Black dress silk.—Garmans. A nice line of 5c dress goods.—Garmans.

David Burrell, of Spring Mills, has been granted a pension. The Centre Co. Veteran Club will hold its annual picnic at Coburn on the 10th Sept.

Murray's Ice Cream parlors have the reputation for the best cream in town in quality they lead. Jacob Batorf, one of the staunch Democratic farmers of College, favored our sanctum with a call.

Whisky and beer flowed like water, at the rad gathertion, in Bellefonte, Tuesday, and the ring had all its own way, of course—only there are some unpaid beer bills.

At the late session of court Judge Furst appointed Jesse Meyer High constable for our borough, to complete the unexpired term of John Neff who was elected but refused to serve.

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TO THE PUBLIC:

We take this means of announcing to the people of Penns Valley and the public in general that we have purchased the jewelry establishment of E. A. Glenn & Co., at Centre Hall, and have taken charge of the same at the old stand.

We have the agency for Centre county for the celebrated Davis, New Home and American sewing machines, which are the best in the market.

Yours Respectfully, BUSHMAN & KREAMER.

DR. H. S. CLEMENS, whose regular office is in Allentown, Pa. will visit Bellefonte one month and Centre Hall every two months, for the purpose of examining and prescribing for patients.

ST. ELMO HOTEL, No. 317 & 319 Arch Street, Philadelphia. Reduced rates to \$2.00 per day. The traveling public will still find at this Hotel the same liberal provision for their comfort.

PUBLIC SALE.—WILL BE OFFERED ON the premises, near Centre Hall, on THURSDAY, OCTOBER 13, 1887. The following described real estate of Wm. Emerick, dec'd., consisting of a VALUABLE FARM, CONTAINING 166 ACRES of land of which about 120 acres are clear and in a high state of cultivation, and under good fences.

Table with columns: Butter, Ham, Shoulders, Lard, Eggs, Sides, Potatoes. Lists prices for various goods.

REPORTED WEEKLY BY KURTZ & SON. Prices subject to fluctuations of market. Wheat, red, 48 Cents. Wheat, white, 47 Cents. Corn, shelled, 40 Cents.