CENTRE HALL, PA. THURS, MAR. 29, 1888

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### LOCAL ITEMS.

-Rev. King has moved to Clinton-

-Samuel Crotzer moved to Mifflin county this week.

-Every house in Centre Hall is provided with an occupant for next year. -The best flitters when weather is so disagreeable, would be apple-flitters--Michael Harper, of Aaronsburg, has recovered sufficiently to be around

-The spring poet will soon make his appearance with the "Gentle Spring"

John Musser, of Boalsburg, brother of Mrs. Dr. Jacobs, of this place, is quite ill.

-Mr. Keller, of Farmers Mills, has broken ground for a dwelling house at the station. -There wasn't a boom in lots-the

persons wanting to retire from life were not on hand. -Sunday and Monday were disa-

greeable. Sunday it snowed all day and sleeted Monday. -The robins and bluebirds have had their spring opening and the air is lively

with their notes. -Prof. Little, principal of our public schools, returned to his home, Saxton,

Pa., on Wednesday morning. -The weather being so disagreeable we have made up our mind not to flit and just let the other fellow flit.

-Easter next Sunday. Let teach ers explain to their pupils why eggs are presented as emblems of this holiday. -Somebody stole a lot of fresh beef from the kitchen of Mr. Worl, at, the low-

er end of town, last Saturday night. -A representative from this office will attend the Shaeffer execution at Lock Haven, next Wednesday, April

—Persons need not go to Florida or California for their health—Centre Hall is a better locality than either. Come -Weather, this week, on the disa-

greeable order, and bad for flitting or any other out door operations, on account of muddy roads. - The Farmers' Mut. Fire Ins. Co.

held its regular quarterly meeting, at Meyer's hotel, on Tuesday. A large number of applications were accept--Ezra Tressler, farmer on the Mc-

Nitt place, adjoining this town, bas moved on the John Rishell farm, near Stone Mill. A farmer from Mifflin county has moved on the McNitt farm.

-Subscribers of the Reporter who April should notify us of the change at once. State where you are getting your paper and where you want it sent. -The Charles Henney farm, 70

acres, at Springbank, in Miles township. was purchased by Simon Harper, of Centre Hall, for \$4500. Mr. Jacob Long will occupy the farm and Mr. Henney will move to Madisonburg.

-Garmans mean biz and are not afraid to take up an entire page of the REPORTER to show it. They keep one of the finest stores in Central Penna., and are perfect gentlemen, polite, and fair and square in all their dealings.

-Mr. Fenstermaker, head miller of the Centre Hall roller mill, thinks of leaving our town again, to get to some larger place, where his services and skill may be in demand. The family, during their stay here, gained the esteem of

-Mother Harper, who has been ill for some months, at the home of her son Simon, in this place, has recovered sufficiently to give hopes of her being able to leave her room again. The family of Mr. Harper will remember the kindness of neighbors during the illness of the

-Rev. A. W. Swengle, of Lock Haven, recently conducted a wedding party five miles from the bride's home to a bridge which spurs a creek between Clinton and Centre counties, in order that he might comply with the law by marrying the couple in the county in which the license had been issued.

-The large fornace of the Valentine Ore Land Association of Bellefonte began operation on the 23. The bonor of applying the torch was conferred upon Miss Mary Devling, one of the clerks in the company's office. A large number of are high. ladies and gentlemen gathered to witness the starting of the furnace, which will turn out 100 ton s of iron daily.

-The Millheim Journal quotes an instance where a man and wife found it almost impossible to get to the railroad station, from our town, on account of the almost impassable condition of the road. The trouble comes from the wisdom of the late town council which built a board walk where no sane man would build it, subject to being blocked up by every snow storm between November and April, and yet the council have the brass to ask the citizens to pay for an illegal job.

-Chas, P. Hewes was in town on Saturday evening on very important bus-iness, we suppose, from the manner in which he buttonboled Republicans. The cat is out of the bag, Dan Hastings is as-piring for the distinction of representing this district in the National, Republican convention at Chicago, this summer, and C. P. Hewes was sent over to this side of the county to give the representatives their instructions as to how they shall vote in the county convention. Dan and Charley are a big pair in the Republican camp of Centre co.

- Arb Katherman has a very poor opinion of accident insurance companies. Several weeks ago he received an injury which totally disabled him from attending to his work as station agent, but had some consolation at the time in the fact that he held a policy which would bring him some consideration for lost time. This week he received notice from the company that they would not recognize his claim. The same company has several agents in this section and for the sake of their reputation and honor. opinion of accident insurance companthe sake of their reputation and honor, ibre revolver for \$1 25 and up, 32 calibre we would advise them to drop the fraudas low as \$2 25.

### LETS HAVE THAT BOOM.

There are no vacant houses in town; how'd be if some of our "enterprising men" would start a little boom in building a few houses, when lots are so cheap? Come, waken up, and do something be-sides blowing and continued fault finds ing-there is nothing like being really useful. Now just form a little syndicate, you men of enterprise, and get up a real boom, have more cider and less talk.

Now then whoop 'er up, and we'll all join to give you three cheers. There is no denying that we have men here who can do anything and accomplish anything. We actually have some wonderful men here, and it is these we want to waken up and make a city out of our

They can do it, if only one twentieth of their talk and air castles were put in exs ecution. This is asking only a small proportion of professions made, and it would be a mighty big thing for them and the town. Now you mainstays of the town, wont you start a real boom—just a little

### NOT AFRAID OF THE TARIFF.

The Centre iron company successfully started its immense new furnace at Bellefonte in the presence of the leading business men of the town and Colonel W. M. Stewart, of Philadelphia, Jones Wister, of Harrisburg, both of whom, in connection with Hon. W. A. Wallace, Colonel B, K. Jamison and Hou. C. A. Mayer, have invested in the new enterprise. Congratulatory speeches were made by Adjutant General Hastings, Mr. James Milliken, E. C. Humes, W. M. Stewart, Judge Orvis, Jones Wister, president of the company; C. A. Harte, general manager; J. L. Spangler, mayor of the city. The capacity of this furnace is 100 tons of pig-iron per day. This is the second furnace of this capacity started within the last two months at this place. With in the last year the population of Belle-fonte has increased from 4,000 to 8,000, which has been entirely due to the great boom in the iron ore interests of Centre

RETIREMENT OF JOHN J. PEARCE. Rev. John J. Pearce, after forty-four years of active service in the Methodist ministry, now retires and takes a supernumerary relation from this date. He bas resided at Lewistown for four years past, and during the last year served the church at McVeytown. During his long service Mr. Pearce has filled many important stations, both in this and other Conferences. Twice, if not three times, he has been a presiding elder, his last service of this kind being in the Williamsport District, at the conclusion of which he went to the Juniata as pastor of the church at Lewistown. After retiring from active service he will probably take up his residence for a short time at Chester when he will locate permanently in Will-

A RESPITE ASKED FOR SHAFFER.

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It is said that an application has been made to Governor Beayer for a respite for Luther Shaffer, the Clinton county murderer, whose hanging was set down or April 4. The application, which was made by Johnson's attorneys, is understood to be more in the interest of the change their post office on the lst of It is thought that Shaffer has made, or will make, a new confession that will have a strong bearing upon the Johnson case, and the respite is asked for the purpose of relieving Johnson of any complicity in the Colby murder.

## DIDN'T SIGN IT.

In our last issue we stated that preacher Wortman, of Millheim, denies baving signed Wm. S. Musser's license petition, in order to contradict a charge made by some to that effect.

We have since received a letter from Mr. Musser, fully exonerating Rev. Wortman, stating that he was not asked, nor would be think of asking a preacher to sign his petition. Mr. Musser thinks a great deal of lying is being done to injure him.

### MARRIED AT THE BROCKERHOFF HOUSE.

of the Brockerhoff House by Dr. Laurie. jumping out of a rear window. The young couple expect to visit Washington and other points of interest on their wedding tour. To them we wish a safe journey and hope their future may be one of happiness.

## SNOWFLAKES.

Roads muddy. Flittings are all the go. Campbell is the head miller at the roller mill. McCormicks have a new stock of forniture. March meant biz as well as bliz. Pay the REPORTER in advance and save 50 cents. With settled weather work will be resumed on the Presbyterian church. REPORTER for the campaign 10 cents per month. Streams

ASSOCIATE JUDGES HANGED IN new styles just received at EFFIGY.

Huntingdon, Pa., March 22.—Associate Judges McCarthy and Foreman, who refused the Huntingdon county liquor license were hanged in effigy last night. This action is denounced by the community.

DEATH OF MRS. GEO. A. RUNK. Mrs. Latitia Roberson, widow of Geo. A. Runk, died suddenly at the home of her sister, Mrs. Mary Kline, Hunterdon, New Jersey, on Friday, March 23. Her death was caused by apoplexy. She was

### aged about 62 years. PROLIFIC.

Mr. D. M. McCool, farmer near Hartleon, has five ewes which have eleven lambs. Four of the ewes have each two lambs, and the fifth has three-and all doing well. We guess our friend Mc-Cool's sheep are not a bit scared at Cleveland's views on the wool question.

## NEW FIRM.

A new firm has taken hold of the

BUSHMAN & KREAMER.

TRIAL LIST FOR APRIL.

FIRST WEEK. Haines township vs B B Turnpike Co. Samuel Spangler vs Jesse Long. Lazarus Moyer vs Martin Haley W H Kreamer vs Millheim Turnpike

Henry Brown vs John Divens. David S Bechel vs Beech Creek R R J H Ross vs C M Wentzell.

Henry Brown vs John Divens. J H Odenkirk vs Pennsylvania R R

Joseph Brothers vs E S Shaffer. Jacob Breckbill vs J P Seibring. Jane Heckman vs G J Meyer. J H Stover vs F B Stover.

SECOND WEEK. Susan Gates vs A J Greist. O C Gates vs Same. J B Gentzel vs A P Zerby. Catherine McElwaine vs A Lucas. Mathew Adams vs Valentine & Co. McCloskey et al vs D B Kunes. Andrews & Whitney vs Stewart & Zer-

James Pierpont vs James Gross, et S Ripka et al vs Chas Ripka's adminis

ES Crater vs Chas Ripka's administrators

Sarah E Burns vs McConnell & Co. J R Sailor vs McConnell & Co. James Pierpont vs James Cross, et Joseph Potter vs John Ardel. LF Brounell vs Boggs twp. Bunnell & Aikens vs Ellis L Orvis.

Marion L. Milliken vs Bellefonte bor-Dr P T Musser vs William F Smith et

E L Krumrine vs G W Wolf. P B Schwartz use of Wm Mann. Snyder, Harris, Bassett & Co vs J H

W A Stephens et al vs John P Seib-David Celler vs John Dale. A McMullen's executors vs Isaac Yar-

Lehigh Coal Co vs Clearfield Bitumin Eliza I Curtin et al vs N V Railroad

E C Humes vs N V R R Co. Susquehanna Mut Ins Co. vs Wm.

## AARONSBURG.

The western end of town enjoys the

advantages of a new bord walk. John H. Norman bought the Fry property, at public sale for \$375. just \$125, less than Fry paid for it. George W. Bollinger after a seven

months stay at Bellefonte came home to see his mother. Clark Herman has moved into his new house, and now the houses in the new

addition are all occupied. Andrew Immel bas taken charge of the mail route between Coburn and Woodward, and will move to Aaronsburg giving the town the advantage of the two

A little daughter came to Rev. De itzlers, and its going to stay.

DASHING INTO A PASSENGER STATION.

Huntingdon, Pa., March 22 .- Shortly after 2 o'clock this afternoon an eastbound freight train on the Pennsylvania road was badly wrecked at Barre, caused by the breaking of an axle on a freight train. Fifteen coal and coke cars were derailed and a portion of the train dashed into the passenger station, but no one was in the boilding at the time except the telegraph operator and he escaped

with slight injures.

A tramp who was stealing a ride on the train was killed, and a brakeman from Altoons, who was making his third trip, had both legs cut off and will die. Three tramps were also injured, and two unknown boys are buried under a lot of coke and supposed to have been either killed or smothered. They have not yet been taken out The weather is extremely cold, and the wreckers are having considerable difficulty in removing the debris, which has covered both tracks. The On last evening, Wednesday, 28th, Mr. Spring Mills, were married in the parlors when the accident occured, escaped by

# SPRING GOODS.

We would respectfully announce to our many patrons in Centre co. that we have received an immense line of spring and summer goods. We were in the market in time to select a fine stock and have opened up the same for your inspec-tion. We have an unusually large and complete line of suitings for our merchant tailoring department. Altogether new styles in cloth will be worn for spring and summer and can be seen at our store. Remember that if you want a fine spring suit. You can get it much cheaper now than when there is a rush. Our line of ready made clothing complete and low-er in price than ever. Come and see the PHILAD. BRANCH.

It is said that Senator Bowen owes his wealth to a game of poker. Ten years ago he raised an opponent on a pair of deuces, bluffed him successfully and won \$100. He handed his winnings to a needy prospector for a grap stake. The needy prospector struck pay dirt, and in a few months Senator Bowen was the owner of the Little Annie and Golconda mines. These mines have yielded as high as \$10,000 a day, clear cash. The ore in sight is worth nearly two and a half million dollars. The Senator carries the deuces—hearts and spades—pasted in the back of his pocket testiment, and every night before he goes to bed kisses them for luck.

## EXCURSIONS.

Business men and settlers looking for new locations or investments can reach all principal points in Minnesota and Da-kota at a cost of one fare for the round trip, by availing themselves of the excursions announced via the St. Paul, Min-neapolis & Minitoba Ry. from St. Paul, Minn. Tickets good for 30 days. Very low excursion rates have been made also via this line to Helena and Great Falis, Montana, tickets good for four months Further particulars can be obtained by addressing C. H. Warren, General Pasen-ger Agent, St. Paul, Minn., or S. L. War-ren, General Eastern Agent, 287 Broad-'48 8.0.W.

Why suffer sleepless nights with a distressing cough, while a quarter of a dollar invested in Sellers Cough Syrup' will give instant relief.

Governor Beaver has appointed Friday, April 27, to be observed as Arbor Day in Pennsylvania. The following is an extract of the proclamation:

Whereas, By a Concurrent Resolution of the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, approved the 30th day of March, 1887, the Governor of the Commonwealth was requested to appoint annually a day to be designated as Arbor Day in Pennsylvania, and to recommend by proclamation to the people on the days named the planting of trees and shrubbery in the public school grounds and along the public highways throughout the State; and

Whereas, The observance of Arbor Day heretofore has been found to be productive of much practical good; there-

I, James A. Beaver, Governor of Commonwealth, have appointed and designated, and do hereby appoint and designate Friday, the 27th day of April, to be observed as Arbor Day throughout the Commonwealth. Not only should trees and shrubbery be planted in the public school grounds and along the public highways, but increased attention should be given to the planting of trees wherever they can be properly cultivated Thousands of acres of farm lands other wise unproductive can be turned to profitable account, by the cultivation of timber, nut, and fruit-bearing trees. The subject should receive the careful and considerate attention of all who are interested in the prosperity of the Commonwealth, and in a remunerative return for money invested in and the labor expended on their lands. The observance of the day should not be confined to literary exercises in, and treeplanting by, our public schools. It is a subject which demands and should receive the thoughtful attention and careful consideration of all our people The general observance of the day should result in the planting of large numbers of trees, not only for shade and ornament, but for practical uses and profitable return in the future. The incidental advantages which will result to the community are great and varied The necessity for increased attention to the general subject of forestry is becoming more and more apparent. There should be not only an increased attention to the dissemination of knowledge upon the subject, but a great increase in the number of trees actually planted. If the grounds surrounding our school houses are filled ands along the highways to plant trees | for a while. in such a way as to be protected from injury, and at the same time afford beau-

ty and shade to the passer-by.

Parents and childden, and citizens gen erally, are recommended to join in the observance of this day, and to seek opportunities and avenues for extending its nfluence and beneficent results. If the day should not be sufficient for accomplishing of all that is wished, let the work be continued on the following day; and if for any reason it should be found impracticable to observe the day fixed as Arbor Day, let the community choose ome other day which will be more suitable for the locality.

## SPRING MILLS.

latter than for any benefit that Shaffer A FREIGHT TRAIN DERAILED AND Henry Krumrine has sold his store and it is now run in the name of Grenoble

Henry Krumrine has been confined to the house for the last week.

The esteemable Mrs G. A. Runk, of Flemington, N. J., formerly of this place, died Friday last, of apoplexy. Her death was sudden and unexpected It is but seven months since she followed her husband to the grave. She leaves many friends to mourn her death. Harry Long left for Erie, to take

course in Cark's Business School. Wm. Gettig and Warren Krise have gone to Lock Haven to attend the State Emma Spigelmyer is assisting her fath-

er in the store. Mand Spigelmyer returned from her winter's trip to Mifflinburg. The Methodists will hold an easter ser-

Domar Smith has returned from Phila and resumed his studies with Dr. Van Vaizah. Wm. Allison, wife and son, left for

vice on Saturday evening,

Philad. on Tuesday. Chas. Horner has secured the mail route to the depot. John Swarm has moved into his new

and commodious house on Pike st. Anyone wanting a dog, fire, poison, life and gun powder insurance, apply to J. I. Condo.

The citizens of Woodpicker's Point, a small village situated a short distance northwest of Rebersburg are again agi tating the coal question, They are pos-itive that coal abounds in that immediate go to the land of bank cashiers. vicinity and a party from Lock Haven is arranging to take a lease and prospect with a steam drilling machine. Journal.

# DIED.

At Millheim, Maggie, daughter of Thomas Hackman, aged 17 years, 5 mo. and 10 days.

On 27th, at Millheim, of croup, John, infant son of Wm. Kerstetter.

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WM. WOLF & SON have received a new stock of Wall Paper, some beautiful patterns, and at priceo about fifty per cent. less than heretofore.

See their styles before you buy. Remember they are only half the price of last year.

## Wall Paper.

From Germany comes inteligence that amount of damage bas been done and many lives have been lost.

### LOCAL BRIEFS.

-Boozer keeps the very best kind of harness oil. try it. -Michael Eby has purchased the

Philip Stover farm, in Haines township, price \$7000.

-Last week bad several days of very sharp weather, cold and windy, Thursday and Friday. -Rev. Dr. E. J. Wolf, of Gettysburg, was here a few days last week, on a visit

to his brother, Wm. Wolf. — Dr. E. J. Wolf, of Gettysburg, and Henry Wolf, of Mifflinburg, visited their brother, Wm. Wolf, at this place, last

---Stop in at Flemings, fashionable tailoring establishment, Bellefonte, and see the new styles n gents clothing for spring and summer. -As the Tyrone Herald says the thing very cleverly, we will allow this sqib to be held as its receipt in full.

Mistakes will happen. -E. M. Huyett, the lumberman at this place, has been on the sick list several days of this week being confined to his room most of the time.

-Stover & Mott, the marble men, at gellefonte, received recently a car load of marble and are offering tombstones and monuments at reduced rates.

-Rev. W. C. Stinson, a student in the theological department, at Princeton, spent a portion of Friday and Saturday at this place as the guest of Wm. Kurtz -Stover & Mott, the marble men at Bellefonte buy their marble in car load lots and can put out their work for less money than any other firm in this coun-

Fleming the tailor, Bellefonte, has opened up his new stock for suitings, for spring and summer wear. New styles will be worn this year and he has them

--A few nights ago a thief was discovered in the house of Wm. E. Keen, in Haines, and was met on the stairs by Mr. Keen, who was aroused by the noise made. The rascal made his escape.

-Shoemaker Curry has now become farmer Curry, and may next be master of the grange. Bill is interested now, with the rest of us farmers, in having high prices for butter, eggs, grain and pro--While handling mail pouches on last Friday, J. Witmer Wolf wrenched

his shoulder in some manner and is unawith trees and shrubs, let the scholars | ble to use his arm. The result is a severe secure permission from the owners of sprain which will cause some annoyance -Invitations are out for the wedding

of Miss Lydia McEiroy, of this place, to Mr. N. M. Milier, of Spring Mills, at the residence of Miss Emily Alexander, in this place Thursday, April 5, at 11 o'clock. a. m, -Mr. Wm. F. Campbell has taken the position as miller in the Centre Hall

flouring mills. With many years exper-

ience as a roller miller his work will be

first class and patrons of the mill will find him a most obliging gentleman. - Young man if you want to keep ap with the styles stop buying second hand cheap clothing and go to, Firming, the tailor, Bellefonte, for a fine fitting suit. Keeps only the latest styles and

the best workmen. Give him a trial and -If you have not yet started in to do business on the cash system, the 1st of April is about as good a time as any to do it. You will be better off for it at the end of the year and feel better, and the

lawyers will have less to do. ---Please call and examine our largstock of cloths and cassimeres suitab for any garment in men's wear-a full a-sortment of overcoats "READY MADE." The largest line of hats, caps and furnishing goods in the county-all work guaranteed to fit or no sale.

# Montgomery & Co. Brockerhoff Row & Humes Block.

-Oar public schools for the winter term closed last week, except Prof. Little's department, which closed on Mon day. Doring this term our citizens cou gratulate themselves in baving good instructors in every department, who we know have performed their duty in a

very satisfactory manner. -The largest and finest hardware store in the county is McFarlane's, of Bellefonte, located in Crider's stone building, northwest corner of the dia-You can easily find the place as the word "Hardware" is painted in bold letters on the slate roof over the door You will find a better stock and lower prices than ever.

-Two or three duns by mistake got into the wrong REPORTERS, last week. Don't feel slighted, reader, if you didn't get yours, the address tab will show the amount all the same, while St. Paul says, "Owe no man anything." The Tyron Herald got one of these misshipped Williams, and actually refuses to ponv up,

Some conception of the magnitude of the Pennsylvania public school system may be obtained from an illustration, based upon actual statstics, which has been worked out by some ingenious cal-culator. There are in the State,in round figures, 22,600 teachers and 1,000,000 schoo children. Arranged in a line one against the other, they would reach from New York to Washington, and placed so as to clasp hands, extending at arms' length, they would form an unbroken chain from Pitteburg to New Orleans.

The Tusseyville literary society gave quite an elaborate entertainment in the school house at that place on last Saturday evening, and is highly spoken of by persons who were present from this place. The program was well arranged and was carried through in good style. Among the special features was a comical debate by two knights of burnt cork, who ably upheld their subject of discussion, and evoked considerable laughter from the audience. A number of recitations and essays were worthy of comment; an orchestra with Prof. Lowell Meyer as leader, was present and enlivened the exercises. The young folks of that vicinity display considerable energy and a bility as well, in their literary work which certainly must result in intellectual development in the community. There is but one criticism we have to offer, and that is not to have too much on the pro gram for one evening, as was the case on Saturday. Keep up your society and it will be of great benefit to you,

the banks of the Elbe are flooded for a distance of many miles. Hundreds of villages submerged. An enormous amount of damage has been done and the April term of court L. A. SCHAEFFER,

BISHOP ST.,

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Bellefonte,

In order to make room for our Big Spring Stock we are offering some patterns, ends, etc., at Greatly Reduced Prices.

We have carpets as low as 20cts. per yard--and right good at that. Rag carpet 25 cents per yard up. We are also headquarters for heavy and light draperies, curtin poles,

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Having Just purchased the largest stock of wall paper ever brought to Central Pennsylvania, at such prices that it cannot be manufactured for.

We are ready to sell at equally low prices such as will astonish you when you see

Come and let us give you

Remember, the prices we give on carpets are only for ends and such patterns as we carried over from last year.

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BISHOP ST..

Bellefonte, Pa