CENTRE HALL, PA. THURS, APRIL 26, 1888

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LOCAL ITEMS.

-- Clean up your yards. -Ice cream at Murray's every Sat-

urday evening. --- The organ grinder has failed to

come around. -An old friend J. B. Ream, of Gregg.

gave our sanctum a call.

advertise for fifty bark pealers. -Mr. Henry Shadow of Tusseyville was a called at this office this week.

-Mr. and Mrs. M. N. Miller of Spring Mills spent Sunday at this place. -St. Paul was in favor of the cash system. He said: Owe no man anything.

-There was quite a large attendance at communion in the Reformed church, last Sabbath.

-Assessor J. W. McCormick, distributed the personal property blanks on Tuesday morning. -Freight and passenger traffic on

our railroad is perceptibly on the increase, with each month. -Mr. Zettle tells us that the Georges valley grain fields don't look quite as

well as in former years. -Rev. C.JW. Rishel. of Madera, Clearfield co. Pa, spent a few days of this

week his home in this place. -Thus far the season was quite favorable for trout-it was too cool and un-

pleasant for catching them. -Thanks to the few of our patrons who responded to bills sent them. Let the rest follow the good example.

-- Next Saturday evening J. H. Sharp the ventriloquist will give an exhibition in Foundry Hall; admission 15 cts.

John Kindrey left on Monday morning for a weeks visit to Philadelphia, Reading, also Meyerstown his former

girls, triplets, are getting along nicely. The little triplets are in good health and growing. -Stock insurance business is being

pushed rather lively in this section. It must be a paying business or there would not be so many at it. -Among our callers this week were

Harvey Vonada of Penn Hall, and John Bare of Tusseyville who moves to near Ministers Bellefonte this week. -A death occurred in Ferguson

township on Monday morning. It was From 1789 to 1887, the total a dditions that of Mrs. Charles Snyder, of that were 1,500,000, place. She was about 67 years of age.

tician, is making his visits to this valley

rather frequent. We have no objections. -A corn and cob crusher has been added to the Centre Hall roller mill for chopping corn in the ear. Many farmers prefer to feed their corn to stock in that way, and can now be supplied with chop of that kind.

-Tom Harter deserves the thanks of disciples of Isaac Walton. This is what he announces in his Middleburg paper: The editor of the Post will place 5000 brook trout into Swift Ron, at Troxelville, to-morrow, (Friday). They are secured from the State Fisheries.

-Through the care and watchfulness of engineer Cherry, a child was saved from being ronover by the engine at Lewisburg, one day last week. The little child had crawled on the track and would have been killed, had not the engineer been quick to reverse his engine. -The State Sanitary Association

will hold a Convention of Sanitarians at Lewisburg, Pa., May 17th and 18th, under the auspices of the State Board of Health. Reduced rates will be given over all railroads, which may be had upon application to Wm. B. Atkinson, 1400 Pine street, Philadelphia Pa.

-The puddlers of the Beliefonte Nail works are out on a strike because the company declared that according to | inal cases from this section as it is, are the agreement made at the time of the inauguration of the works they would receive twenty-live cents less a ton for line than is postively necessary. The puddling than they had been receiving arrest and imprisonment spoken of in Mifflin county lawsuit he looks six inchup to April 16.

linburg, accompanied by his bride, arriv- with an attempt at rape, ed in town on Tuesday, and were treated to a serenade by our band who are always on hand on such occasions. We are told that Mr. Durst's better half was a Miss Strnok, of Mifflin co. and is a most estimable and accomplished lady.

-Mr. Barker, living on the Fowler farm in Haines twp., thinks he has found some kind of a mineral on it. The ore producing a metal similar to lead, he informs, us and that the hills about there abound with it. Silver and lead go to-gether, and who knows but what we are right in a belt of these valuable ores.

-B. H. Arney, living near town, believes in keeping nothing but high bred stock on his farm. He has a fine animal, "Ohio Boy," a Short horn bull-calf 21 months old that tips the beam at 1330 pounds and is considered a very choice animal and a great improvement over the ordinary stock found in this valley. -Mr. Buck, of Bellefonte, and a

friend, tried their piscatorial skill on Leck and Breakneck runs, at Fowlers, on days. Wednesday. If Bellefonte was not supplied with trout this morning dont blame Mr. Buck, for we know he fished like a good fellow. Dont make further inquiries into his fish basket.

—On Sat. evening 28th an exhibition will be given in the Foundry Hall, by J. H. Sharp, the world renowned ventriloquist and commedian. The program will consist of four acts and will conclude with a laughable and amusing farce. This show has been before the public for many years and has a first class rep-ntation. Admission 15 cts.

-Millheim's centennial falls upon The REPORTER called attention to this fact about a year ago, and the Journal is now taking up the matter and advocating a celebration. We bespeak a good time for our neighbors down there if they only will it, and take hold of it with all the townpride they are possess-

Yes, we say, celebrate, jubilate and joilificate!—and will all attend.

100th ASSEMBLY.

The One Hundredth General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church in the United States of America will meet in phia, Pa., Thursday, May 17, 1888, at 11

The opening sermon will be preached by the Moderator, the Rev. Joseph T. .D. Smith of Baltimore.

The Commissioners to the Assembly from the Presbytery of Huntingdon, are charged with being a tramp, was found Rev. Robert Hamill, D. D., Rev, D. Kerr guilty

Freeman, D. D., Hon, James A. Beaver and D. W. Woods, Esq. To this announcement the following historic facts may be added:

Persons of known Presbyterian tendencies settled in New England as early as 1629. The oldest Presbyterian church in the United States was founded by the Denton brothers at Jamaica, L. I, 1656. The first Presbytery was organized 1705 or 1706. The first Synod met at Philadelphia 1717. This Synod was divided in 1745 on the qualifications of candiour sanctum a call.

Graham & Brown at Pleasant Gap being called the Synod of Philadelphia, and the "New Side" being called the Synod of New York. This separation continued until 1758, and the General Synod was thereafter known as the Synod of New York and Philadelphia. This Synod, in regular session May 29, 1788, adopted the present Constitution of the Presbyterian Church in the U. S. A., and appointed the General Assembly to meet in Philadelphia the third Thursday of May 1789, the Rev. John Witherspoon, . to preach the opening sermon and preside until a Moderator was chosen.

The General Assemby was convened at the appointed time and place, May 21, 1789, and Dr. Witherspoon (one of the signers of the Declaration of Independence') preached from I Cor. 3:7

In 181f, the Cumberland Presbytery withdrew because the General Assembly took exception to their act of ordaining persons who were not fully qualified for the ministry.

The first Theological Seminary was established at Princeton in 1812-the Church now having thirteen theological schools, two of which are German and two for colored students.

In 1837 various causes culminated in a General Disruption, which resulted in the establishment of the "Old School" and the "New School." A Reunion of these,

however, was most happily consummated at Pittsburg, Pa., Nov. 12, 1869.

The General Assembly of the "Presby terian Church in the Confederate States of America" met at Atlanta, Ga., Dec. 4, 1861; and since 1865 this Church has been known as the "Presbyterian Church in -Mrs. Lonebarger and her infant the United States."

And it is confidently hoped that the Northern and Southern Assemblies will celebrate jointly in Philadelphia, Pa. the organization of the First General Assembly in 1888, on the 24th of May next The growth and work of the Church may be epitomized in the following

1830 1789 Churches 431 Communicants 18000 1 1491 4238 2158 4526 173327 446561

statement:

-It is remarked that Walter Bay- tions were \$67,000,000 .- of which amount cated, as they termed it, but the tide

ard, Belletonte's druggist and poli- \$48,704,209 were given since 1870.

GAINED THE SUIT AND A VERDICT Mr. Howard Homan, of Centre Hall, has bad a suit in the Mifflin county court, at Lewistown, this week . He sued Andrew Magee, of Ferguson valley, Mifflin county, for money due for building a barn, of which he was the contractor. His case was conducted by Elder & .Scn, of Lewistown, and by Chas. Hewes, of pate Bellefonte. It was given into the hands ket. of the jury last night, Mr. Hewes making the argument, which was strong and eloquent. The jury remainded out quite a long time, but at length determined on a verdict of \$391 for Mr. Homan, of which he received notice this morning .- News. We congratulate Howard on his good

OFF HIS BASE.

luck-he is a hardworking man.

The local editor of the Daily News, store at Millheim for the sale of roller Bellefonte, stated that a man from Centre Hall had been placed in jail last week charged with a crime, the particulars of which were not fit to appear in print. We know of no one in Centre Hall being arrested and placed in the Bellefonte cooler, of late, and it seems that no one else is acquainted with the facts. Crimentirely too numerous in court and we don't want any more notoriety in that the News likely was a man by the name es taller. His attorney must be one who COLD WEATHER FAVORABLE TO -Our old friend Joe Durst of Miff- of Andrew Time of State College, charged | Hewes to the line.

> LOOK BACK. It was unfortunate for Lot and his wife that Mrs. Lot looked back,

left Mr. Lot without a cook. But it is not a bad thing to look back sometimes, as well as ahead, which can be verified by the experience, a few days ago of Mr. J. C. Harper and wife, who left Centre Hall for Bellefonte, in a spring wagon, on which was a satchel, bag of potatoes and other articles. Going up the mountain the endgate of the wagon opened, and the articles moved in the direction of the open passage, and out. Mr. Harper and wife never "looked back" until they reached home, when they found the articles non est. Who found the goods?

ITEMS OF INTEREST.

Harry Kreamer, of Harper & Kreamer has gone to the city and will have a stock of latest style goods here in a few

Mrs. Harper, the aged mother of our townsman Simon Harper, is able to walk smoking of a cigar on the streets of any about the premises. Will Kurtz has put up a handsome ros fence in front of his dwelling,

Mr. Blanchard, the limeburner, has special act before congress for a pension. Our doctors are all on the go, showing that there is considerable sickness around.

10 PAGES.

the past four weeks, has been ten pages coat hanging close by and walked into making the largest paper ever issued the rear room, which contains the vaults. The demand for advertising space in the Reporter has obliged us to do this, and we are thereby ing the passage. The thief politely as enabled to furnish our readers with the usual quantity of reading matter. The Reporter circulates in the best families and goes to every section of our county, hence it is appreciated as a good medium for business men to advertise in. for business men to advertise in.

Court began Monday. Judges Furst, Munson and Rhodes on the bench. Tuesday there was quite a large attendance. the First Presbyterian church, Philadel- Mr. P. Lucas, of Howard, was chosen

foreman of the grand jury.

John Cough, of Miles twp., charged with stealing a belt from a sawmill. Found guilty but acquitted on the ground of insanity. Tuesday a tellow from Milesburg,

Andrew Tims, of State College charged with assault and intention to commit a rape on a six year old daughter of Mr.

Snyder, last summer, was found guilty on the testimony of Mrs. Collins. Times got 21 years in the penitentiary. Joseph Gerbrick plead guilty of theit and got six months. In the matter of Jacob From and Will Ruble, larceny of Wm. Bible's turkeys,

parties plead guilty, first party to larceny

and second to receiving the property

Verdict \$30 fine, 20 days imprisonmen

and costs, for each.

A FINE STOCK. Wolf & Son, of this place have been as busy as bees the last couple days unpacking their new goods. Their stock is complete in every particular and contains many new designs and patterns that will be worn this summer and are exceedingly pretty. In calicoes every shade, pattern and design are represented; sateens domestic and imported; henrietta cloth in all colors; siersuckers in entirely new styles for the summer season and in fact all kinds of dress goods, in new and attractive styles which will be worn this year. Tennis stripes is something new and when made up is considered very pretty. It would be impossible even to mention all the new dress goods as their stock is large and contains every thing in that line. A special effort was made to secure the latest styles which are now open for inspection. A special invitation is extended to the ladies to come and see the new goods at Wolf & Son's store Centre Hall.

MINOR LOCALS.

Sober wants a blacksmith -see ad. The roller mill has put in a corn and cob crusher. Our stores are groaning with new goods. Centre Hall has not had a drunkard for a decade. Milheim enters its 100 year with '88. Now's the time to sell your potatoes - at 70 to 75. Put your little onions in their beds and your baoles too The rafters are now up on our new Presbyterian church. Eggs are 12 Andy Bell bosses the brick work on the Presbyterian church. Look out for the organ grinder and his monkey. Charles R Kurtz has registered as a law student with Spangler & Hewes.

The Clearfield Republican says that Clearfield county can rejoice as no other county in the common wealth can, from the fact that toll bridges and toll roads have been extinguished within our borders. It took about 55 years to accomplish this end. Well do we remember. \$852 \$184192 \$2023956 \$3195458 when the policy of free bridges was inaugurated, how the stockholders remonstrated against having their property in bridges which was declaring from ten to From 1789 to 1887 the total contribu- twenty-five per cent. in dividends confis higher and higher, until now all are good friends, having reinvested their money in some more legitimate business in which public opinion is not a

--Millheim is likely to have a new Reformed church.

-No person wants straw spelt back wards on the end of his nose. - Brisbin & Shirk have put a large patent refrigerator into their meat mar-

--- Ice cream at James Lohr's ice cream parlors on Church street, Saturday evening.

-Friday and Saturday last were raw and blustry with little snow squals mix ed in.

--- When you come to town don't fail to stop in at Wolf & Son's and see the new goods. - Samuel M. Campbell has opened a

and other flour, feed, etc. -Building lots for sale, † mile east of the station, at Mikecondoville, \$45 to

\$75 per lot. Apply to F. Kurtz. Spring and summer stock of ready made clothing is being unpacked at the Rochester clothing House, Bellefonte. -J. Wes Henney and family left for Philadelphia on Monday morning and

will return the latter part of the week. -Since Howard Homan won his

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

--- A young lady of Greene county, Pa. wrote upon an egg that she was ready to receive proposals for marriage, and sent it to market with a lot of others. It hasn't hatched anything worth speaking of yet. - Yonker's Statesman -At DuBois recently there was saw-

ed at the big mill the largest log of the season thus far. It measured nearly 900 feet after going through the bandsaw, and the time taken to cut it was fortyfive minutes. Cant our friend Sober beat that?

-M. Fauble, proprietor of the celebrated Rochester Clothing House, in Reynolds new building Bellefonte, was in the city this week and brings back the finest line of ready made clothing and gents furnishing goods ever seen in this

There is still on the statute books in Rhode Island a law forbidding the city in the State. This sumptuary law is not because the people of little Rhody object to the odor of a cigar, but because the smoke of one healthy toby would raise a cloud over the whole State and be injurious to agriculture.

-A Connecticat sneak thief has exhibited enough nerve and outeness to place him high up in the ranks of the professional burglar. He walked quietly into a bank, took off his hat and coat, The regular issue of the REPORTER for hong them on a nail put on an office

SUICIDE IN UNION CO.

MRS SAMUEL HUFFNAGLE ENDS HER LIFE IN THE PRESENGE OF HER CHILDREN,

On Friday evening, about 5 o'clock, this community was startled by the an-nouncement that the wife of Samuel Huffnagle, living in West Buffalo township, about two miles from town, had killed herself.

Mr. Huffnagle was working at C. L. Shoemaker's and about 4 o'clock a shot was heard in the direction of his residence. In a short time his little girl, about 4 years old, came running across the fields and told him that mamma had shot herself. Taking the child on his back, Huffnagle started for home.

Upon arriving at the residence he found the woman lying dead on the North side of the smoke house, and near her was a single barrelled rifle with which she had shot herself. She was lying upon her back, with the head turned partly to the left, a wound in the left eye and blood oozing from the wound and left ear. The eft hand was some what burned and blackened by powder, and the right hand still grasped a piece switch or limb, about a half inch in diameter and probably twelve inches in length. The indications were that she was in a sitting posture, the butt of the rifle resting on the ground, the left hand grasping the muzzle and holding it close the eye, while the stick in the right hand was used to touch the trigger.

The little girl, who, on being questioned, said that: "Mamma took the gun down and went out and shot herself."

On the margin of a piece of paper, torn from a New York Weekly World, was written: Now when you come home take good care of the rest of them. Bury me

where you please. This is my last.

The rifle was loaded with a hickory plug instead of a bullet. Mrs. Huffnagle was the daughter of Isaac Zellers, of West Buffalo and was at one time a resident of the Borough, being employed as a domestic in the family of Mr Enoch Kauffman. She was about 24 years old .- Mifflinburg Times.

GENTLEMEN FOR AN HOUR.

A Phylad. Italian bootblack polished fifty pairs of shoes yesterday, at a nick te per pair, by 3 o'clock of the afternoon. His eyes sparkled as he counted over the \$2.50 which he had earned by plying his Sunday vocation. He packed up his brushes and blacking in his box, slung it over his shoulder, tradged to his garret, pat on his good clothes, and called on a Roman whom he had invited to dine with bim. They went to a high-toned Italian restaurant, where they sat down to a dollar dinner, in regular courses, with a fiftycent bottle of Marsala, discusse the Abyssinian and Battenburg questions, and enjoyed life for four hours like Venition dogs. The Italian bootblack, according to the boss of the restaurant, bus ast such a time every Sunday. On week

A NEW TRIAL FOR JOHN W. JOHN.

Lock Haven, April 21,-In the case of John W. Johnson, convicted in February of murder in the first degree for complicity in the Colby murder. Judge Mayer to day granted a new trial, the time for which will be decided upon at the May term. The action of the Court was based soley upon legal ground, and the conduct of the jury. The fact that a lo-cal newspaper found its way into the hands of the jury and its comments upon the prisoner's probable guilt made a subject of conversation by the jurors while trying the case was the principal reason for granting a new trial

A PREACHER ROUGHLY HAND-LED.

New Bedford, Mass., April 18 .- Rev. Charles P. Pittsley, of Westport Factory, was last night dragged by the bair from the home of Mrs. Melintha Gammons and roughly used at the bands of an augry crowd. He fled from the hands of his persecutors and sought refuge in a neighboring house. Alleged indiscreet intimacy with the woman was the cause.

AN OLD-TIME DEMOCRAT DEAD Sunbury, Pa., April 19.-Major W. L. Dewart, a prominent and wealthy citizen of this place, died suddenly of heart disease at 2 o'clock this morning, aged sixty-eight years. Major Dewart was a prominent Democratic leader in this section and represented this district in the Fourty-fifth congress He was a member of the pational convention which pominated Pierce, Buchanan, Douglass and Cleveland.

THE WHEAT FIELDS.

This year the month of April has had rather cold and stormy weather and may result in late crops. The effect of the cold weather as claimed by many of our farmers, will be to kill the fly which has been so destructive to our crops the last two or three years The grain fields are green and well set and promise fair crops which are sadly needed.

MOTHER OF SEVEN CHILDREN IN TWO YEARS.

Seymour, Ind., April 20 .- Seven children in less than two years is the record of Mrs. Phoebe Lynch, who eighteen months ago gave birth to triplets, and who to-day is the mother of two boys and two girls. All seven, with their mother, are alive and healthy.

NEW MILLINER SHOP. The undersigned has opened a milling er shop in Jacob Lee's house near the depot at Centre Hall. The patronage of the public is solic-ted. All are invited.

p. 19th SADIE E. GROVE. IT IS BECOMING THREADBARE,

Why is it that we have not had a wild yell of bloody shirtism from the vanquished Warmoth, of Louisiana? Is there no Presidential campaign material in the Rupublican failare in the Pelican State?

BLACKSMITH WANTED. A man who can do blacksmithing, and other work about the premises, can find a steady job at fair wages by addressing C. K. Sober, Sober, Centre Co., Pa.

SPRING & SUMMER SEASON 1888. Full line of Cassimere Scotch and Worsted Soldings -CHEAPER THAN READY in the market.

MONTGOMERY & CO., TAILORS, BELLEFONTE, PA.

Some fifty tickets were sold at our sta-J. Meyer and Benj Kerstetter were the only ones from this place. A wonder there were not more.

W. H. Kreamer took in Bellefonte and Snow Shoe, Tuesday, on a business trip.

R. F. Whitmer of Sunbury, is spending a few days here looking after lumber J. P. Gephart, of Bellefonte, will spend

Dinges and Cantner have been pros pecting for mineral of some kind on their land, and they are going to take a trip over the ground to-day for investigation. It is reported they are about to lease the land Hope they may be suc-

few days here.

Esq. J. F. Garthoff is clerking for R.

Billy Kerstetter flitted into Benj. Kerstetter's house. Now the houses are all occupied except Cantner's the one that Platt vacated last week. W. W. Searl is still in the jockeying

business; he traded his kicking mule off to some man in Union co. G. J. Meyer is making preparations to finish his house opposite the depot, and when finished it will make a fine ap-

pearance. John Wiebly purchased a Waterloo or-gan of agent C. M. Gephart. Now we can expect to have plenty of music on

O. K.

News scarce this week.

PARENTS AND FOUR OTHER CHILDREN DYING.

Lancaster, Pa., April 23.—The family of J. C. Waltmyer, repairman on the Marietta branch of the Reading and Columbia Railroad, residing in West Hempfield township, has been terribly afflicted About ten days ago his son William was taken ill with a malignant type of diphtheria and died within a few days. Then three other children aged 5, 8 and 11 years, were taken ill and died within a day of each other. They were buried yesterday. Now the four remaining children, three well-grown sons and a daughter, are dying, and the father and mother are both down with the disease.

-Weather this week was clear, only a little cool. -Geo. H. Stover, of Penn is on the

--- Don't fail to visit Pearlstine's new store when in Bellefonte. -James Lobr will open his new ice cream parlors on next Saturday evening. -Horses in Nittany valley are suf

-The mother of Mrs. Samuel J. days he works with his pick and shovel. Herring, living in Union county, died a

-Have you seen Wolf's new goods?

fering from a disease similar to distem-

A fine line and cheaper than ever, is what they say. -- Lyon & Co. have unpacked an immense line of Spring and summer goods and quote prices on same in another col-

umn. -Stop in at Flemings, fashionable tailoring establishment, Bellefonte, and see the new styles n gents clothing for spring and summer.

- Thomas Beaver, of Danville, uncle of the Governor, will erect and present to the Methodist people of Lewisburg a new house of worship, which will cost

him \$40,000. NEW GOODS.

The most careful and well selected stock of all kinds of goods are pouring in at Harper & Kreamer's store, Centre Hall. For bargains there is the place to go, for we all like to get the worth of our money, and what they say we can always re-

"Dr. Seller's Cough Syrup," Without exception has given satisfaction. Our readers give it a trial Druggists keep it Price 25c. a bottle. ap.

OF INTEREST TO ALL.

We wish to call your attention to a few facts which are of importance to every. one. The first principle in practical economy is to exercise the greatest care in making your purchases of the necessaries of life, such as food, clothing, shoes, etc. In jucicious shopping you save money and get what you want, and to apply this we would say if you want to buy a certain article go to that store which handles those goods only. We keep a complete boot and shoe store only, and that is all. But in our line we have every thing-all grades, qualities and styles, of boots and shoes. We are off-ring our goods at rates that defy competi-

We would call your attention to our stock of plow shoes and work shoes which are the best and cheapest ever

shown in Bellefonte. THE REASON WHY.

Many ask us the reason why our goods are much cheaper than any where else. In reply we would say that we have been in the business for years, know how to buy, we handle large quantities and get better commission than many others and hence can sell our goods cheaper. We think you will find it to your interest to buy your boots & shoes

> POWERS SHOE STORE, BELLEFONTE-

> > ROCHESTER N. Y.

WANTED. Permanent positions guaranteed with SALARY AND EXPENSES PAID. Any determined man can succeed with us. Peculiar advantages to beginners: Stock complete, including many fast-selling specialties. Outfit free. Address at once, (Name this paper.)

BROWN BROTHERS.

We have just received a new lot of the celebrated Davis and New Home sewing machines, which we are offering at rock-bottom prices. We extend an invitation to all to come and see these machines 0 + 0 + 0 + 0 + and be convinced that they are the best

BISHOP ST..

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In order to make room for our Big Spring Stock we FOUR CHILDREN DEAD AND THE 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,

WALL PAPER

Having Just purchased the 0 X 0 X 0 X 0 X 0 X 0 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

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BISHOP ST ..