

THE CENTRE REPORTER

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WE MADE A

Lucky Hit!

ON ABOUT 1000 PAIR OF SHOES

Men's Women's and Children's—Warranted Best Makes.

"We Caught 'Em on the Fly"

—It's the way of the "Racket," you know—

—50 CENTS BUYS \$1.00 WORTH—

of as Good Stock as they put in Shoes. If you will look in on us you know you will be surprised, and

No Charge For Looking.

"THE RACKET."

No. 4 Crider's Exchange, Bellefonte.

LOCAL ITEMS.

—Corn is well oiled and the crop is a good one.

—Jacob Harpster has further improved his property by the addition of a new fence.

—The Reformed and Presbyterian charges of Centre Hall have not yet been supplied with ministers.

—Misses Mame Meyer and Jennie Kreamer left on Wednesday morning for a several weeks' visit to Lock Haven.

—Mr. S. M. Buck, and son, of Bellefonte, was in town last week, and is just as pleasant a gentleman as you can meet.

—A farmer in Clinton county got four bushels of wheat after threshing from forty-eight acres. The flood last spring did the business.

—L. B. Stover, one of the excellent citizens of near Madisonburg, gave the Reporter a short call. We knew Lute since he was a kiewer Bah.

—D. E. Bible has his new store building up on the burnt Greenoble site at Spring Mills and means to jump into business right along. He is a clever gentleman.

—Dr. Gast, the specialist on eye and ears diseases, seems to have many calls from people of our valley for his services as his trips from Millburg are frequent.

—Invitations are out for the wedding of Miss Laura Strohm, of Centre Hill, and Walter W. Bayard, of Bellefonte, on Wednesday, November 6, at half past eleven o'clock.

—Our old friend Jacob Meiss, farmer near Tusseyville, is one of the few fortunate ones to have a good crop of potatoes. He has 375 bushels. The rot seems not to have found Jacob.

—The Sugar Valley Journal says a few days since as William Gramley was feeding his grain separator the spikes in the cylinder caught his left hand, bruising and tearing it in a horrible manner.

—A little son of Samuel Rowe, the tanner, of this place, fell down stairs on Sunday morning, resulting in an ugly gash being cut above one of his eyes, which Dr. Emerick found necessary to sew up.

—Little Zachy Thomas' funeral on last Saturday morning was attended by the Reformed Sunday school and pretty much all his little playmates. Zachy was a favorite with all and a boy of kind and obliging disposition.

—The many friends of Miss Mary Kreisher, in this vicinity, will be pleased to learn that Mary was among the lucky ones at the late Union county fair. She drew the following premiums, silk quilt, \$1.50; delaine quilt, \$1.00; linen handkerchief, 25c.

—The Altoona Times says this: There is a remote probability that the Belle Gap railroad will be diverted from its present route and made to connect with the main line in or near this city. As soon as the Pennsylvania railroad people take hold of the concern they will plant its headquarters in Altoona.

—The Bellefonte and Eastern Railroad seems to be an assured fact. The route has been run and forces of men have been put to work all along the line. The road will run from Bellefonte through Nittany, Sugar and White Deer Valleys to Watsonstown, a distance of about 75 miles.

—The Pennsylvania railroad company is prepared to announce that the embarrassing shortage in cars which has prevailed during the last nine months will shortly be at an end. The total number of new cars will be over 6,000. These new cars are now being sent to the railroad and utilized in trade.

—At the suggestion of the Attorney General an order has been granted requiring the Union County Mutual Live Stock Insurance Company to show cause why its business should not be closed. It is claimed the company has no assets. The retiring editor, Mr. Tuton, has our best wishes in any new venture—we always found him a gentleman.

Not Dead Yet.

The fellow who regularly borrows his poorer neighbor's Reporter, is not dead yet. He knows how to sponge a meal and attend all funerals to get a free bite and will sit in a tavern half a day to wait for some one to come in and ask him to "take suthen." He is not dead yet.

The fellow who takes the papers for a number of years and then has them returned marked "not lifted" or "moved away," without paying for what he had lifted, has been caught stealing peanuts out of a little girl's pockets and gave a boy a counterfeit nickel to carry a 15 pound package 13 miles for him, and puts a brass button into the contribution box Sundays, and tries to make believe he is a good Christian. He is not dead yet.

The fellow who tries to get his name into the newspapers upon all possible occasions, sponge free notices, asks to have his miserable speeches printed, in order to appear great in the eyes of the people to get an office, and then asks the paper to write him up, print and circulate his tickets, and not pay a cent for it all, and wishes to pass as a gentleman,—he is not dead yet, but only gone on a trip at others expense. There are only a few of him, however.

The fellow who reads an honest opinion in a newspaper which differs from his own, and gets mad, stops his paper, and swears at the editor—he is not dead yet, and is out in pasture among the asses.

The fellow who expected the Reporter to do \$7 worth of printing for him free because he had taken the paper two years yet unpaid for—he is not dead yet. We advise him to sit out on the curbstone some bright night, with the thermometer 15 below Zanesville and study astrology.

Judge Furst on Coroner's Inquests.

In refusing to approve some of the inquisitions held by coroner and justices of the peace of Centre county, Judge Furst concludes his reasons therefor in the following words.

When a coroner, or a justice in his absence, is called upon to view a dead body, he should make some reasonable inquiry into the circumstances of the death before proceeding to summon a jury and hold the inquest. The preliminary inquiry would have in all these cases developed the fact that there were either witnesses present or that death was produced by natural causes. When the surrounding facts do not show violence, and there is no reason for supposing a felonious destruction of the person there is no necessity for an inquest. But where the contrary appears or the death is enveloped in mystery, it is a proper case for an inquest. Death by suicide may or may not be good ground for an inquisition. Violence is present in such cases if, however, the facts are known which clearly show the case to be suicide, it is improper to summon an inquest. The inquest would simply declare what was previously known.

If an employer desires an inquest, in case of an accidental death of an employe, in order to establish the fact that he was not responsible therefor, such inquest is held in his interest, and not for the public good; he should be willing to pay the expense incident to the same. It is very clear that it should not be held at the expense of the county.

We have thus stated the principles which should govern the holding of an inquest, for the benefit of all persons who may be interested therein, and if the officers of the county observe the same, the performance of their respective duties, fewer inquests will be held, and when so held the presumption will arise that the officer holding the same had reasonable cause for so doing.

Crossed Over.

Homer Stover, a promising young man of Unionville, on the Bald Eagle Valley railroad, eight miles above Bellefonte, died Monday night of typhoid fever. He was a tinsmith by trade and after the flood worked in Johnstown.

The venerable Samuel Bridges, of Salona, who was stricken with paralysis one day last week, died on Sunday, 13 aged 82 years last March. He was the oldest of ten children, five brothers and five sisters all of whom are dead. In 1837 he was married to Miss Martha Porter daughter of the late James Porter, of Lamar township after which he removed to Salona, where he had lived ever since.

Ex County Treasurer Joel Karstetter died at his home in Loganport very suddenly Tuesday afternoon from congestion of the brain, surrounded by his family, consisting of his wife and four children. He was aged 67 years, and had been sick only two days.

Mrs. Judge Parsons, formerly of Lock Haven, died in Washington, D. C., on Saturday, the 12th inst., aged about 73 years.

A Reliable Port Wine.

Mr. A. Speer, of New Jersey, whose Port Grape wine has such a wide reputation, and which physicians prescribe so generally, was the first in this country to import Port Wine Grapes vines from the banks of the River Douro in Portugal, where the finest old time port wine is made, and to plant vineyards of them in New Jersey. His port, Burgundy and Claret which are now the best wine to be had, have become a great favorite among the fashionable New York, Philadelphia and Washington society. Druggists sell it.

Flour and Feed.

Every grade of wheat and rye flour, granulated meal, chop, cornfeed and bran, of all grades, to be had at the Centre Hall mill, wholesale and retail.

Flour and meal will always be kept in town for the convenience of town customers.

Coal, hard and Woodland, and soft at the new sheds at the mill. Terms cash. KURTZ & SON.

Winter.

On Wednesday morning our mountains were white with snow, the first appearance of winter's harbinger, this fall. Tuesday morning there was a sharp frost and ice covered water ditches. Tuesday forenoon was bright; got cloudy in the afternoon, rain at night, with snow after midnight.

Sudden Death.

Andrew Stover, a respected citizen and farmer of Penn township, died at his home at Coburn, on Wednesday morning from an attack of apoplexy. He was born in that township and lived there until his death. The funeral will take place on Friday forenoon at Aaronsburg.

Local Briefs.

—Murray's Vanilla—best—cheapest try it.

—Boys' Clothing Suits, \$2.00 at C. P. Long's.

—Yony Deiningler is finishing his Continental.

—Men's Clothing Suits, \$5.00 at C. P. Long's, Spring Mills.

—Wm. Lee will quit the farm at the station next spring.

—Ask at your store for Calla Lily flour—it is No. 1.

—Deal at the Pennsylvania Bargain Store and save 25 per cent. C. P. Long.

—Catherine Fiedler, of Gregg town ship, died last week, aged 80 years.

—New lot of robes and 5-A horse blankets very cheap at Boozer's.

—Miss Ella Hunton, of Philadelphia, is visiting relatives near Centre Hall.

—Ask your storekeeper for Calla Lily flour, and get a No. 1 article.

—Woodland and all kinds of soft and hard coal at the Centre Hall mills.

—Mrs. Krader, of Coburn, was visiting her daughter Katie, near this place, last week.

—Headquarters for Boots and Shoes, and save 25 per cent. by purchasing from C. P. Long.

—James C. Coal advertises the John Love farm at public sale on November 8th.

—Murray's Extract of Vanilla is far cheaper and preeminently superior to any other make.

—Apples, good ones, are selling at 75 cents, and are not at all plenty at that price.

—Two or three weddings are on the tapis in this section the next few months.

—C. P. Long has been to eastern Ohio and bought the largest stock of goods in Pennsylvania.

—Rev. Finkle, Lutheran minister at Hartleton, has resigned and goes to Lansburg, N. Y.

—C. K. Sober, the great shooter, has moved his fall to Clinton county on a big timber job.

—Charley Meyer returned home last week after an absence of about two weeks at Pittsburg.

—C. M. Bower, Esq., represented the Bellefonte charge at the Reformed Synod at Allentown this week.

—The regular preaching service of the Evangelical church, this place, will be held at 2.30 next Sunday.

—Simon Loeb's new clothing store, opposite the Conrad house, is the place for bargains in men and boys' suits.

—Jesse Wert, of Millheim, with team went over the steep bank on the pike leading to Coburn and was seriously injured.

—The wedding of John G. Lov., Esq., to Miss Nellie, daughter of ex-Sheriff D. Z. Kline, will take place to-day at Bellefonte.

—Ex-Sheriff Spangler boasts of 116 bushels of corn to the acre. By George, who can best farmer and ex-Sheriff Spangler?

—Miss Elsie Barr, after several weeks' visit with relatives at this place, returned to her home in Tyrone, on Tuesday.

—Will Thomas, who has been living with J. B. Solt, near Frederick, Md., was home to attend the funeral of his little brother Zach.

—Mingle's shoe store, in the Brockertown Row, is brim full of new stock for fall and winter. Just anything you want and at any price, except high prices.

—Lewins can sell you a late style suit or take your measure and make it to order on short notice, and at a saving to you of from \$3 to \$8. Try him on this.

—The elegant new shoe store, of Mr. Gilliam, in the Crider Block, Bellefonte, should be visited to see his stock and variety of boots and shoes for all ages and sexes.

—Walter Bayard, of Bellefonte, has a large paving contract near Centre Hill, which he gives his careful attention, with a prospect of finishing same in near future, and at a good profit too.

—Now is your time to get a cheap overcoat, and Lewins has 'em cheap, good, warm, lasting goods. Give the Philad. Branch a call and see for yourself and save \$5 to boot.

—Al Wieland, popular clerk in Wolf's store, is a master hand at crayon lettering, elegance and taste are combined in his delineations, showing that the crayon is guided by an artistic hand.

—All the New Woollens for the coming season now being received. Liberal discount for early orders during the dull season. Our Fall stock will be the finest ever shown. Prices and a good fit guaranteed. MONTGOMERY & Co., Tailors, Bellefonte.

—The Eastern synod of the Reformed church adjourned on Tuesday to meet in Reading next year. The annual report shows that the Reformed synod contains 236 ministers, 456 congregations with 84,219 members, of which 46,555 are unconfirmed. The number of Sunday schools are 556 and scholars, 50,647. The students for the ministry number 108.

—Lewins now has his counters stocked with the best lot of ready-made clothing yet brought to Centre county and at the most astonishing low prices. Lewins always leads—he never follows. You never heard a customer complain of any article of clothing purchased of honest Sam Lewins.

—If the postmasters throughout the country should enforce the law in regard to the delivery of letters to parties through the postoffice, all girls under eighteen and boys under twenty-one years of age could not get a letter from the postoffice unless by order of the parents or guardians. Here is the law as it reads: "All letters addressed to girls under 18 years of age or boys under 21 years of age will be placed in the care of their parents or guardians." It is a law, we suppose, which is discretionary with postmasters to enforce.

—The stove season is at "fever heat" at McFarlane's hardware store in Bellefonte. The managers report tremendous sales thus far,—much larger than in former years. This firm is always up to the times and not only sell more stoves than anybody else but have lately added another feature and that is to give a cash discount on every purchase of two dollars and upwards made on Tuesdays and Fridays, for cash: White lead, lined oil and nails are excepted. Don't fail to call and get one of their shopping cards. They mean business. A splendid chance to get a stove 5 per cent. less than the price.

Farmers Mills

Mr. Ben. Stoyer is on the sick list since last week, but is on a fair way to recovery.

Our supervisor, John Brown, put up a substantial bridge across Penna creek near the mill, in place of the old one, which was broken down some ten weeks ago. This should have been done long ago.

Rev. Reaick, of Madisonburg, filled the Evangelical pulpit here last Sunday quite creditably.

Rev. Samuel Smith, of Union county, has consented to serve the shepherdless folks of the Spring Mills Evangelical charge the balance of this year. He is quite an able minister, and we hope there will be no effort made to starve him out like there was with Rev. Beaumont, before he went to Oregon, merely for telling facts and truths.

Geo. Crawford, of Spring Mills, was around last week with his treadpower separator, doing some tall threshing for our farmers, who raise only small crops of small grain.

The Union Sunday school here is announced to close next Sunday, which is scarcely not what could be expected from this vicinity. Why not continue it during the winter too? All that is required is for parents to enforce family government and see that the Sunday school is attended instead of loafing about elsewhere, where evil temptations are numerous.

Several of our best mechanics are helping to put up Bible's store building at Spring Mills on the site where Greenoble's store was burnt last summer.

Miss Sadie Scholl and her cousin Annie spent Sunday with friends and relatives at Zion, and their absence was plainly noticed in the choir.

Corn husking is trump about here, but many will get their crop housed this week. The corn crop is quite good.

If some of the official members would take a proper position in church while standing during public worship instead of turning their backs towards the preacher during prayer, and boldly stand goggling over the audience continually it would be a preferable example to follow.

Sadie Williams at the gate is just recovering from a severe spell of sickness.

Katie Armbruster returned to the parental roof last Saturday to attend school from home. She spent the summer with Mr. Lambert, at Madisonburg.

Samuel Homan is teaching a class in vocal music this fall at this place.

Rev. Fischer will have communion services at the Union on Sunday, Nov. 3.

Fishing panned out splendidly here a short time ago for when 13 1/2 fisher's dam was drawn off to repair the gate, but the division was rather a misdeal.

Coburn.

The other week we had a woman fight and last Friday forenoon we had a man fight. Gentlemen won't fight, but sometimes a gentleman must fight if a man pitches into him and abuses him. There was no blood shed but lots of talk. It happened at the depot: one fellow pulled off his coat and let on he meant business, but was afraid to strike, and the other didn't wait to. Later on they met again and settled it all, and will be all right if there is not too much talking around the corner. This trouble has been brewing since the fall.

Willie Kreamer has recovered from his spell of sickness and is able to stir up most of the time.

On last Sunday afternoon I noticed four of our business men taking a carriage ride; they drove up to Mr. Sober's and spent the afternoon there. Honestly says he eat too much dinner and got sick, the gum roosters were too much for him. C. K. should not give them too much to eat next time. Barrett says Sober has the nicest lot of chickens he ever saw. There is no getting around that they are no beauties.

Mr. Riley, our candidate for associate judge, called among us last week to see the boys. By his appearance he will make a good one. If all the county does as well as old Preen he will sell by get there and the rest of the ticket. Rally, Democrats, we have had enough Republican reform in Centre county, and turn the rascals out. We have a postmaster, assistant and clerk, and part of the time none. It seems they all have their meals on one time. Quer ain't it?

Business here has been a little slow, mostly on account of scarcity of cars. Lumbermen, coal dealers and all complain. Potato business has not been very brisk here this fall. The quality is not better fair. There has been a drop in the price, farmers were holding back for 50c, but now are anxious to sell at 40c.

Rebursary.

Most of our farmers are yet busy husking corn, which is a good crop.

Melchior Bierly has had the outside of his house plastered and whitewashed, which greatly improves its appearance.

Our school board met last Saturday evening for the purpose of selecting a new text book on grammar. Clark's grammar having been in use in our schools for the last twenty-two years. The new book adopted is Rand's.

The township teachers' institute will meet for the first time this season on Saturday afternoon next.

Newton Hackman, formerly of this place and lately of Johnstown, is here on a visit.

J. W. O. Houseman went to Lock Haven Monday, where he will work at the carpenter trade.

It is rumored that one of our ladies will be married this week to a gentleman from Mill Hill.

Col. Coburn and candidate Musser were through here Saturday on an electrifying tour. Their trip, however, was a fruitless one as the people of this valley are too intelligent to be deceived by such political humbugs.

There will be a Democratic meeting at this place on Friday evening, which will be addressed by Fortney, Spangler and Bower. All should attend.

PILES! PILES! PILES!

Dr. Williams' Indian Pile Ointment is the only sure cure for Blind, Bleeding or Itching Piles ever discovered. It never fails to cure old chronic cases of long standing.

Dr. William's Indian Pile Ointment cured me after years of suffering.

Judge Coffinbury, Cleveland, O., says: "I have found by experience that Dr. Williams' Indian Pile Ointment gives immediate and permanent relief."

We have hundreds of such testimonials. Do not suffer an instant longer. Sold by druggists at 50c & \$1 per box. apply

THE PITTSBURGH EXPOSITION.

We wish to call attention to that great enterprise, where one can see so much for so little money. We advise our readers to take advantage of the cheap transportation, and see the great exhibition, and while visiting the sister cities do not fail to look for number 82 Federal Street, Allegheny, where one of the finest and most complete liquor stores can be seen in this country. You will convince yourself at a glance, that when you give your patronage to such a house you are sure to be well treated and get value for your money. The proprietor of said house can not afford to hypothesize his reputation and do otherwise. He continues to sell six year old pure rye whiskey at \$1.00 per quart, or six quarts for \$5.00. His Silver Age has no equal, which he sells at \$1.50 per full quart. All kinds of wines from 50c upwards, and no extra charge for packing or shipping to any place. Send for his price list and catalogue and oblige. MAX KLEIN.

Wm. Wolf & Son

Invite you to read these few lines and to believe enough of it to at least come to their store. Have mentioned a few lines this week to more particularly claim your attention.

Dress Goods.

Those who examine our stock regularly know that this season's selections are O. K.

We made special effort to purchase such patterns as would please you, and judging from the number already sold we are rewarded with success. Will be pleased to see all of our friends and will gladly give you an opportunity to examine whether you buy or not.

Underwear.

This has become such a necessity in these days that one does not consider his or her wardrobe complete without it. Not many years ago but few wore any other than "home made," but now from baby to grandparent, all wear gauze in summer, and all wear wool or half-wool at least, in winter. If you cannot find what will please and satisfy you here, it is not because the supply is not enough, more than ever was found at any time in any store in the valley. Merino, Natural Wool, Scarlet, Camels Hair in many qualities.

Boots and Shoes.

In this department you will find your wants provided for and in such a way as to give you satisfaction. We buy from reliable jobbers and manufacturers who have their goods guaranteed.

General Merchandise.

Our stock is as complete as you will find in the neighborhood. All we desire is to have you come in to see us. We guarantee satisfaction in all our dealing.

Chestnuts.

You'll say if we here tell you how cheap all our goods are, (for all advertisers sell cheaper than any others do (?)) so we will just disappoint you and not mention it. If you get our prices and compare quality you will see for yourself whether or not it is to your advantage to buy here.

If you dont come of course it will not advantage you to know.

The Markets.

The markets are a little weaker on wheat and corn. A drop of about half cent. Potatoes from the west are offered at 49 up to 50, as per quality in car lots from the west. Home potatoes sold at 45 to 50. Philadelphia wheat had 80 bid for October; 81 for November. Corn had 80 1/2 bid for October; 80 3/4 for Nov. Oats had 28 bid for Oct. Wheat in our home market 70 to 75; old corn choice, 40; new 35 to 35; oats 23 to 25. Chicago, wheat October, 77 1/2; corn October, 80 1/2; oats October, 18.

MARKETS.

CORRECTED WEEKLY BY WOLF & SON.
Butter..... 22 Eggs..... 22
Onions..... 50 Lard..... 5
Hams..... 14 Shoulders..... 9
Sides..... 9 Tallow..... 4

STAR SPRING WATER.

Saratoga Star Spring Water for sale in bottles and by the glass by all druggists

For Sale.

Two fine coal stoves, a Morning Light, square, and a Morning Light, round, in use only a few months, at a bargain. Suited alike for parlor or sitting room. Can be seen at Reisman's shops, Centre Hall.

I find Ideal Tooth Powder is without exception the best I have ever used. With its aid I keep my teeth very clean and white, which I was unable to do with any other powder I have ever used before. So says Ferdinand E. Charters, Baltimore, Md.

By the way, will you buy and use Ideal Tooth Powder? We can thoroughly recommend it. R. E. Nichols, Dentist, 25-1/2 Main, Kansas, says, Ideal Tooth Powder is in my estimation, just what its name indicates. An engraving 20 x 24 is given with each two bottles. Price 25 cents per bottle.

DRUNKENNESS—LIQUOR HABIT—In all the World there is but One Cure, Dr. Haines' Golden Specific.

It can be given in a cup of tea or coffee, without the knowledge of the person taking it, effecting a speedy and permanent cure, whether the patient is a moderate drinker or an absolute wreck. Thousands of drunkards have been cured who have taken the Golden Specific in their coffee without their knowledge, and today thank they quit drinking of their own free will. No harmful effect results from its administration. Cures guaranteed. Send for circular and full particulars. Address in confidence, GOLDEN SPECIFIC CO., 185 Race St., Cincinnati, O. 05374

Either of the following engravings, "Evangeline," "Bayard," "Monarch of the Glen" or "The First Step," without advertising on them, size 20 x 24 inches, given with one 50 cent or two 25 cent bottles of Ideal Tooth Powder. These are not cheap lithographs, but works of art. A. D. Bowman, Dentist, Nicholia, Idaho, says, I am using your Ideal Tooth Powder, and find it superior to all others.

The engraving "Evangeline" arrived safely on the 24th of December, making it seem like a Christmas gift. Trusting that Ideal Tooth Powder may flourish. I remain, yours respectfully, Elois Earnest, Denver, Col. One of these engravings without advertising on it worth \$1 retail is given with each two 25 cent bottles of Ideal Tooth Powder.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE—THE UNDERSIGNED an auditor appointed by the Orphan's Court of Centre county to hear and pass upon exceptions filed to the first and several accounts of the executor of Adam Bair, late of Miles town, deceased, and relate the account and make distribution to and among those legally entitled thereto, will attend to the duties of his appointment at his office in Bellefonte, on Friday, the 8th day of November, A. D. 1889, at ten o'clock, a. m., when and where all parties interested can attend if they see proper, and present their claims or be forever barred therefrom. D. F. FOITNEY, Auditor.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE—THE AUDITOR APPOINTED by the Orphan's Court of Centre County, to make distribution of the funds in the hands of the administrators of Thomas Lingie, late of Centre township, deceased, will attend to the duties of his appointment at his office in Bellefonte, on Monday