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WHERE IS THE RACKET?

Is a question often asked by persons not acquainted in Bellefonte. Do you come via L. & E. B. E. V., or B. R. Railroads, go up High Street about 2 1/2 squares to the Diamond; turn to the left; pass 1st Nat. Bank, Montgomery's Clothing House, Erhard & Co., grocers, and next you find "The Racket," being the middle room of Crider's Exchange the largest and most notable building in the town. If you can't find it ask the first boy you come to, they are our special friends, they say, "There is no flies on The Racket."

And they know. G. R. SPIGELMYER, SHEN SPIGELMYET, JR.

LOCAL ITEMS.

The Reformed classis was in session at Bellefonte last week. George Moyer has his roller mill in operation at Linden Hall. About 118 communed in the Lutheran church last Sabbath morning. C. D. Brunkle of Philad., a former townsman, arrived on the evening train, Monday. It is reported commissioner Henderson had his pocket picked of \$205 on Saturday at Bellefonte. James A. Ott has taken out letters testamentary to the estate of Mrs. Elizabeth Snyder, dec'd. The W. C. T. U. was in session last week at Bellefonte and closed with the usual resolutions. Charley Slack of near Potters Mills, is filling the position vacated by Wm. Wagner, at the station. Charley Harpeter has secured employment at Bellefonte in a bakery and left Monday for that place. The widow of Paul Wolf, of Miles twp., mother of Mrs. Dinges of our town is quite ill. She is up in the 80s. James Lesher caught his first trout the other day—one 11 inches, the other 12. James was badly scared and so were the trout. Shannon M' Cormick, an old Democratic war-horse, spent an hour in our sanctuary, talking over old times, on Monday. Mrs. D. J. Meyer and Harry Kramer attended Reformed Classis at Bellefonte last week, the latter as a delegate from this congregation. The schools savings banks have been open in the Williamsport schools for six weeks, and nearly \$3,000 have been deposited by the pupils. Dr. J. R. Gast will be in Centre Hall, Monday and Tuesday, June 2 and 3; Wednesday, June 4, Spring Mills, and Millheim, on Thursday, June 5. Wm. L. Kurtz, of Berlin, Somerset county, is visiting relatives here, and will give our trout streams a trial of his skill in slinging out the speckled beauties. The train on Saturday morning to the show had eight coaches and all were comfortably filled at arrival at Bellefonte. There were about seventy-five tickets sold from this station. Street commissioner Dauberman is making a good job of the new street, and it is expected that something decent in the way of a road will be had to the depot when it is finished. Two barns owned by S. C. Stewart and A. G. Morris, of Tyrone, were burned on last Tuesday by an incendiary fire. Ten horses and mules perished. Loss heavy and no insurance. Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Moore returned on Saturday evening from a three week's wedding tour, having visited all the principal eastern cities. They will leave for their western home in Montana, in a week or more. Miriads of worms, resembling the army worm, are making their appearance in the southern and eastern parts of Lancaster county, and are ravaging the grass fields. Farmers are much concerned over the appearance of this new pest. The Grand Army men are going to put a stop to impostors wearing the Grand Army badge and button. Men who were not born until after the war was over have worn the button and imposed upon good people on the strength of wearing it. The Legislature passed a stringent law against this practice, and the veterans of the order are going to see that it is carried out.

Mr. C. K. Sober to Star.

On Saturday at Bellefonte Mr. C. K. Sober, the world's fancy shot, was in conversation with Capt. Bogardus, of whom Mr. Sober is an intimate friend and has visited him at his home, in regards to forming a combination and give exhibitions of their skill in handling the guns. Capt. Bogardus has an engagement with Forepaugh's for this season and when it closes, it is the intention of Capt. Bogardus and Mr. Sober to combine. The Capt. requested this once before of Mr. Sober, but he was not allowed to accept on account of business affairs. Mr. Sober defeated the Capt. once in a pigeon match at Milton some years ago and the two have been friends for years and will combine their features and give exhibitions all over the country, and likely to take a foreign tour. The Capt. says he has not yet discovered the equal of Mr. Sober and thinks no man can defeat him with the gun, and that his own shooting does not compare with Mr. Sober's. About two years ago Mr. Sober challenged Capt. Bogardus to a match for \$500 a side in the American Field, and sent on his check for \$250 for them to arrange a match, but it was not accepted. Mr. Sober has added one or two new difficult features to his attractions and will be the drawing card in such combination, the feats Capt. Bogardus and scns performing not comparing with his.

Reformed Classis Sessions.

Friday's session of the Reformed Classis at Bellefonte, were occupied for the most part with routine business. The new constitution submitted by the General Synod was approved. Miles O. Noll, of Lewisburg, who has been called to take charge of the Bellefonte Church, and J. R. Rousch, of Madisonburg, were licensed to preach. Rev. J. R. Brown was received from the Tobickon Classis, and his call from the Rebersburg Church confirmed.

The following delegates were elected to the District Synod which meets at Reading in October: Rev. W. S. Landis, T. E. Adams, Louis Robb, primary; Revs. J. Dotter, J. H. Eisenberg, and W. W. Clouse, second; Elders Wm. Moyer, Dr. F. Vandersloot, Henry Kramer, primary; Isaac Reisch, J. G. Evans, and Charles Berger, second. Questions of minor importance pertaining to the interests of the Church were discussed. In the evening M. O. Noll was ordained and installed as pastor of the Bellefonte Church, president G. W. Gerhard presching the sermon.

Storm at Johnstown.

A terrific rain storm accompanied by heavy thunder and lightning occurred at Johnstown on Sunday afternoon. The rain fell in sheets for about half an hour, flooding streets, filling cellars and doing great damage. Railroad street in Cambria city was under water, the water being up to the first floor in about fifty houses. The eastbound track of the Pennsylvania railroad was covered to the depth of three feet by dirt washed down from the hills at several places between the stone bridge and Morrillville delaying trains for a couple of hours. The west-bound track was similarly obstructed between Conemaugh and Johnstown.

The Elephant Fell Out.

The work of loading the paraphernalia of Forepaugh's show on the railroad cars at Johnstown was completed about 1 o'clock Saturday morning and the trains pulled out for Bellefonte about half-past 1 o'clock. The journey was without incident until about one-fourth of a mile of South Fork when one of the elephants fell from a car. It was not missed until the train reached Altoona. From that point messages were sent back along the road for information concerning the animal. A reply being received that it was at South Fork a man was sent from Altoona after it. He had it loaded on a truck of the ballast train and it was taken east to resume its place among the menagerie attractions. The elephant was not hurt much.

The Value of Pure Wine in Sickness.

The chief difficulty with reliable wines has been their scarcity and richness in body, but this has been removed by the introduction of a pure native wine produced by Mr. A. Speer of New Jersey. He has submitted his wine to the test of many celebrated physicians and chemists and all concur in its purity, rich medical properties and superiority to all Port Wines. Most of them prescribe it in cases of debility, affections of the kidneys and chronic complaints, requiring a tonic sudarific or diuretic treatment.—Examined.

Census Enumerators.

The following are some of the census enumerators for this county: Millheim and Penn, Geo. Ulrich, Ferguson, J. G. Bally, Gregg, W. B. Krape, Haines, Abs. Musser, Harris, J. T. Stewart, Miles, W. S. Burd. Lewins makes suits to order, parties can select their own goods from samples. Satisfaction guaranteed in all respects, and at prices 25 per cent lower than elsewhere. Largest stock of clothing in Pennsylvania, have received 90 new suits and they must be sold in 15 days, come for bargains. C. P. Long.

Local Briefs

Ask at your store for Calla Lily flour—it is No. 1. Score two fine days—Tuesday and Wednesday. Wool Wanted at Penna valley bargain store. C. P. Long. Misses Jennie Kremer and Anna Mingle went to Lock Haven on Saturday, for a visit. Joseph Moyer thinks of changing his burr mill, at Centre Mills, to a roller mill. Howard Homan has finished the new barn on Bartholomew's place—he made a quick job of it. Simon Loeb's new clothing store opposite the Conrad house, is the place for bargains in men and boys' suits. James Gregg is census enumerator of Centre Hall and Potter north pr. George Spangler is the enumerator for the south precinct. The frequent rains have interfered with the planting of corn and potatoes; some farmers have a part only planted, only a few have their corn all planted. Berks county farmers intend to experiment largely in sugar beet culture this year, and, if successful, it will probably hereafter take the place of corn and wheat. Big stock of new suits, for spring at Lewins, head quarters for low prices and genuine goods—no shoddy or auction stock. The Philadelphia Branch always leads. The venerable Col. Royer, of near Rebersburg, now in his 95 year, is quite ill. Col. Royer was a life long friend of the writer, and is a highly esteemed citizen of Miles twp. The elegant new shoe store, of M. Gillam, in the Crider Block, Bellefonte should be visited to see his stock and variety of boots and shoes for all ages and sexes. The flowers for Decoration, on Friday, can be left in the Post room, during the forenoon. The parade will form at the woods, in the lower end of town, at 6 p. m. Lewins is putting out new suits like hot cakes. Everybody wants them because they are so cheap and well made out of the best goods. He takes your measure and will make a suit to order if desired. James Gregg is the only applicant for census enumerator in the township and it is likely the borough will also be given him to canvass as there is no one as yet having made application for that position. Very heavy rain on Thursday night and Friday morning, cloudy and warm on Saturday; rain Saturday night; Sunday evening and night heavy rain. All the streams are bank full from recent rains. We histed 75 speckled beauties from their native element, on Tuesday, between trains, in the mountains. Will Kurtz at same time, histed 48. This was between 8 a. m. and 3 p. m. trains. Lewins is piling up spring clothing, all new stock, for men and boys. He has the largest and best assortment in Bellefonte and at prices that none can compete. Suits made to order, by one of best tailors in the state, and perfect fits guaranteed. The card of John Noll, as a candidate for sheriff is added to our list, this week. Mr. Noll is a working Democrat, and should have been elected three years ago if he makes the rifle in the convention this time, he will be certain to "get there" in November. A lot of baled hay has been shipped from this station this week. Farmers are getting rid of last year's stock for the reason that there will be an unusually large crop of it this season, and is in fine condition. The grain fields are also looking unusually fine and all prospects for an excellent crop. Have you been to A. C. Mingle's shoe store in the Brockerhoff house block? Never miss going there when at Bellefonte, he always has something new and offers none but genuine goods, which he warrants. For low prices in boots and shoes Mingle's is the place. Inquiry at Sing Sing shows that not one in twenty of the men imprisoned there had a trade when arrested. The years when that should have been learned were spent in idling or working at odd jobs, in the intervals of which vice was cultivated. Learn a trade, young man—if those who have trades will give you a chance to. Musser's new shoe store, in the Brockerhoff House row, is now open and ready for the patronage of the public, which they flatter themselves they can suit as to prices, style and quality of goods, having unpacked the finest and best assortment of boots, shoes, gaiters, &c., ever seen in this county. Call and see them—buy or not. A bold and daring robbery was committed at Tyrone, on Tuesday at 9.30 o'clock p. m. A family consisting of father, mother and one child, in company with others on their way from Houtsdale to England, were about to get on the Philadelphia express, bound for New York, when a stranger, with the apparent intention of assisting them, approached and grabbed the woman's pocket-book containing \$300, and in the flurry of the time got away, and after a diligent search made could not be discovered.

Commencement Exercises of 1890.

The following is the program for the closing exercises of the present school year inclosing the Preparatory and Sophomore entertainments: Central Pa. College, New Berlin. May 31. Saturday evening, annual entertainment of the Preparatory Department. June 7. Saturday evening, Sophomore Entertainment Omega Sophorum Mille Otingentorum et Nonaginta. June 12. Thursday evening, Junior Exhibition. June 13. Friday evening Anniversary of the Neocosmian Literary Society. June 14. Saturday 2 p. m., Third Annual Assembly of Chapter 551, American Agassiz Association. June 14. Saturday evening, Anniversary of the Excelsior Literary Society. June 15. Sunday morning, sermon before the College Y. M. C. A. by Rev. W. M. Stanford of Harrisburg, Pa. June 15. Sunday evening, Baccalaureate sermon by the President. June 16. Monday 2 p. m., Anniversary of the Library Association of the Excelsior Literary Society. June 16. Monday evening, Address before the Alumni by Prof. Geo. W. Twitmyer of Honesdale, Pa. June 17. Tuesday, a. m., Annual meeting of the Board of Trustees. June 17. Tuesday, 2 p. m., Book Reception of the Neocosmian Literary Society. June 17. Tuesday evening, Annual Address before the Literary Societies by Prof. Henry Honck, Deputy Superintendent of Pennsylvania public schools, of Harrisburg, Pa. June 18. Wednesday, 9 a. m., Business meeting of the Alumni Association. June 18. 12 m., Alumni Dinner. June 18. 2.30 p. m., Class Day Exercises. June 18. Evening, Commencement. A cordial invitation is extended to the public to attend these exercises.

Personal.

Mr Reed, one of Rebersburg's best citizens, gave us a shake of his hand the other day, he was visiting at Mr. George Ockers. John Hosterman, father of dentist Hosterman, was up here a few days ago, and reports every thing promising in Miles. Mr. and Mrs. John Hackenburg, of Milton, spent an evening with us last week. Miss Anna Odenkirk visited friends at Millinburg, last week. Miss Carrie, daughter of Will Shirk, graduates at the Bellefonte high school to-day. Mr. and Mrs. Moore have returned from their wedding trip. New Millinery Store. For fine and artistic millinery, and fancy notions, at very reasonable prices, call at the new store in the Brockerhoff House Block. Our stock is entirely new and comprises all the late novelties in fashionable head-wear for ladies, misses and children. A fine line of infants lace caps, new styles, good material, 25 cents and up, best ever brought to this county. We have all the latest, prettiest styles in ruching, collars, laces, ribbons, flowers fancy braids, corsets, &c. Want to become acquainted, and invite you to come and see our stock; no trouble to show goods, we fear neither comparison or competition, and want you to come see us whether you buy or not; a talented Philad. Milliner does our trimming. We buy and sell for cash only and can afford to sell lower than any body. Prices are cut down lower than ever at the Union Clothing store. An old subscriber to the REPORTER securing a new name, and each paying one year in advance, both will get the Pittsburg Chronicle-Telegraph one year as a premium. Mr. Geo. Parker, of Philipsburg, gave our sanctuary a call, and announces his name as a candidate for sheriff. He is a life-long Democrat and served four years, in the late war. He is a very pleasant gentleman and, no doubt, would be a popular candidate. Our town for a number of years was plagued by sparrows, and to thin the little pests out, they were bombarded with shot guns at a lively rate during the past two summers, and many dropped. It seems that the survivors deemed things too hot, and have shifted their quarters to other localities, and the little things are not near so numerous as formerly. On Friday John Page, the constable of Penn township, brought to Bellefonte and lodged in the county jail two men named Reynolds and Burd, arrested for drunkenness and disorderly conduct and for forcibly entering the boarding house of Al. Kinesfelter, at Poe Mills, Pa., and frightening the inmates, smash furniture, and otherwise having a "deal of a time." At Rebersburg, in Berks county, on 22, about 1,000 persons were in attendance at the annual love feast of the Dunkards, or German Baptists, at Zeigler's church. The counties of Berks, Lancaster, Lebanon and Dauphin are represented. Bishops David Eiter and John Hartzler preside. A roasted ox was provided for dinner and accommodations are on the ground for those remaining over night. Nice dress goods 8 to 10 cents per yard. C. P. Long. Mens' shirts 33 cents, were 50, mens white shirts 49 cents, was 90. C. P. Long.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.

When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria, When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria, When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

WM. WOLF & SON. Our line of Gent's Furnishings is more complete than ever. Large variety of Summer Shirts, Neck Ties, Collars, Cuffs, Underwear, etc., etc. Ask to see them when you have time to come in. We ask all visitors to town on Decoration Day to make our store their stopping place, Whether they mean to buy or not they will be welcome.

NEW STORE! NEW GOODS! NEW PRICES! To the People of Bellefonte and Vicinity: THE UNION CLOTHING CO. has rented the store, formerly occupied by Mingle's Shoe Store, in Brockerhoff House Block, and stocked the same with a full and complete line of the finest Ready-Made Clothing ever brought to your town, and a fine line of Gent's Furnishing Goods that will astonish the natives. REMEMBER that we are here to stay and every article bought from us is guaranteed as represented or money refunded. REMEMBER that we manufacture some of our own goods, and, when we buy, we buy in big quantities to supply all our stores throughout the country, for that reason nobody can compete with us. UNION CLOTHING STORE, One Price Clothiers, Hatters and Gents' Furnishers, BROCKERHOFF HOUSE BLOCK, BELLEFONTE.

4-PAW'S CIRCUS - ANTED - GARMAN'S STORE. The two things uppermost in peoples' minds. Don't fail to visit both. Centre County will be on hand that day and we extend you a hearty welcome to visit the most attractive store in the city. Germans. Bellefonte. 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 alcoholic wreck. Thousands of drunkards have been cured who have taken the Golden Specific in their coffee without their knowledge, and today think 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. Notice. Lee and Arney wish to inform the public that they are now ready to contract for all kinds of Painting, Graining, Paper Hanging, Oil Finishing, etc. Prices reasonable, and satisfaction guaranteed. LEE & ARNEY, Centre Hall, Pa. EXECUTOR'S SALE OF VALUABLE REAL Estate.—The undersigned, executor of estate of John Goodhart, late of Gregg Township, dec'd., offers at private sale the following described real estate, situated about 2 miles west of Spring Mills, Pa., a 0—0 FINE FARM 0—0 Bounded by lands of Wood's Heirs, John Grove, James D. Wilson's Heirs, Mrs. M. A. Ross, Michael Tibbens, and others, containing 82 ACRES AND 62 PERCHES. Thereon erected a good Dwelling House, Bank Barn, Buggy Shed, and all necessary outbuildings all of which are in good repair. There is a good young orchard of the choicest fruit on this farm. A good cistern at the house, and also a cistern at the barn. 75 acres of the above farm are clear and enclosed with good fences, and in a high state of cultivation, the balance well timbered with Hemlock. Persons desiring to purchase will find this farm beautifully located, being near the L. & E. B. E., near churches, post office, grist mill, stores, etc. Climate healthy. For terms apply to WILLIAM GOODHART, Executor, Farmers Mills, Pa. 206t EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.—LETTERS TESTAMENTARY on the estate of Elizabeth Snyder, dec'd., late of Potter twp., having been granted to the undersigned, he requests all persons knowing themselves indebted to the estate to make immediate payment, and those having claims against the same to present them duly authenticated for settlement. JAMES A. OTT, Executor. 216t —75 cents will buy as many new goods as \$1.00 will old stock, come to Pennsvalley bargain store where new goods are always kept. C. P. Long. —Great reductions on all kinds of merchandise. C. P. Long. —New lot of clothing. C. P. Long. —Pennsvalley bargain store pays 12 cents for eggs. C. P. Long. The REPORTER one year, the Weekly World three months, and a copy of Webster's Unabridged Dictionary, bound in calf or half morocco, all for \$4.20. Don't miss this grand offer. —If you desire a good weekly paper pay one year on REPORTER in advance with a new name, and you both get the Pittsburg Weekly Chronicle Telegraph one year in addition.