

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

CENTRE HALL, PA., THURS, SEPT 4.

ONLY 18 MONTHS OLD.

"The Rocket" is today the most popular store in Bellefonte among all classes of people. There is a reason for this. The crowds that visit us daily are increasing.

G. R. SIGELMYER, SHEM SIGELMYER, JR.

LOCAL ITEMS.

- Bargains on clothing.—C. P. Long. 100 Boy's suits from \$1.10 up. C. P. Long. Esq. Houseman is Adm'r for the estate of Julia Meyer, dec'd.

ANOTHER MURDER.

BELLEFONTE THE SCENE OF A BLOODY CRIME.

Harry Watterhouse Receives a Shot in the Throat From Billy Smith and Dies.

Yesterday Bellefonte was the scene of another murder. Harry Watterhouse, of that town became involved in a quarrel with a hanger-on of Rogers' show which exhibited in that place, named Billy Smith, who pulled a revolver and shot Watterhouse in the neck, from which he died within an hour.

BEFORE THE MURDER.

On Wednesday morning Mr. John Ryan, who was present when the shooting occurred, met Smith at the Brockerhoff House and got in conversation with him.

They were there for some time when Harry Watterhouse came along and joined them and later they took a drink together and started down street. On the way down they got into some misunderstanding and Smith and Watterhouse quarreled.

They were together until 3 p. m. when they started for the show on the Glass Works meadow. When they got down to Mr. Gerbricks house, opposite the Penna. freight depot, they sat down on the steps for about five minutes and talked over different matters.

Smith reached for his hip pocket and exclaimed "You S—n of a B—! I'll shoot you!" He drew a large revolver, firmly braced his feet, took careful aim at Watterhouse and fired the deadly weapon saying: "There, take that will you."

Watterhouse staggered back a few steps and fell on the walk and never uttered a word after. The aim was sure and the ball did its work. He was shot at about 3 p. m. and lived about three quarters of an hour when life was extinct and he lay a corpse.

After he committed the deed he started on a run for the show ground, having his revolver still in hand which he finally dropped. Officers Garis, Maillen and Foulk started in pursuit of the man.

He was caught out near Collins' furnace, at the Hungarian shanties, by Garis, and made no attempt to resist arrest. He was searched and another revolver, with five chambers loaded, was taken from his inside coat pocket.

The show men deny that he is one of their crowd. Some say he was a fakir and sold jewelry on the regular swindle style.

Dr. Hoy was called but nothing could be done for the dying man. His body was taken in charge by the overseer of the poor and sent out to the poor house.

At the direction of Dist. Atty. Meyer, Drs. Harris and Hayes made a post-mortem examination of the wound.

The wound was in the center of the neck, in front, at about the button hole of the shirt. The ball grazed the top of the breast bone, passed to the right of the windpipe and throat cut one of the large arteries at that point and then penetrated to the spinal column where it caused a slight abrasion of the bone, and was found by Dr. Harris in the chest cavity.

The two revolvers were 38 calibre and each contains five loaded chambers and an empty shell. The one is a "British Bull Dog" and the other an "American Bull Dog."

A large dirk-knife was found on his person by the officers. When they started after the fellow, he was seen in the act of throwing something into the field. Search being made at that point a silver watch and gold chain were found.

Harry Watterhouse is a moulder by trade and has been about Bellefonte during the past eight years, working in the different foundries. He is a single man, about 55 years of age and his home is in Manchester, England.

A Rather Dubious Story.

The craze for hunting up and publishing accounts of old people has been on ever since the centennial. Centre county has the champion old lady now. She lives in a rustic cabin in Buffalo Run Valley, at the foot of Muncy Mountain, ten miles west of Bellefonte, is named Eliza Stanton, claims to be 115 years old and is happy.

Report of Viewers Filed.

The viewers, Messrs. Simon Harper, Dr. G. W. Hosterman, William Wolfe, Michael Derstine, John Spangler, John Emerick and James C. Boal, appointed by the court at a recent term, to assess amount of damages incurred by the straightening of the Main street leading to the station, filed their report and it was approved.

The council will order the treasurer to pay the parties their amount of damages and Street Commissioner Dauberman will at once proceed to untangle the twist and get the kink out of the street. This street straightening has long been a contention in the borough and has been the issue at the recent borough elections, and last spring the "straighteners" carried the council.

Marriage Licenses.

Following is the list of marriage licenses issued during the past week at the register's office in Bellefonte:

- Elmer Sunday and Sarah C. Kustentborder, both of Pennsylvania Furnace. Geo. P. Ritch and Susanna Baube, both both of Phillipsburg Pa. Wm. H. Gehret and Maggie Wian, both of Bellefonte Pa.

He was Thirsty.

The Waynesboro Gazette says a horrible situation was presented at the John D. Frederic mountain cottage near Pen Mar last week. Mr. and Mrs. F. were in the photograph gallery and the babe had been put to sleep in a swinging cradle under an awning near by.

Got Shot Himself.

Fiedler was out squirrel hunting on Monday, and instead of shooting squirrels he was so badly shot himself, that on going up Bishop street he was more of an amusing sight than the show on Wednesday. One of those guns that was not loaded no doubt went off, and hit Jimmy in the breadbasket and affected his equilibrium.

The family of Philip Auman, about 2 miles east of this, are greatly afflicted—his wife and two sons being down with typhoid fever. Mrs. Auman had her first attack about four weeks ago. Mrs. Auman, we regret to learn has died since the above was written.

A 50 YEARS' MINISTRY.

Rev. Dr. Hamill's Long Service as a Divine.

Fifty years of uninterrupted service in the cause of the Master is the registry in God's book of the faithful where the name of the much esteemed Dr. Hamill, of Oak Hall, is found. This is a long service in the vineyard, but when we met our esteemed ministerial friend the other day, he seemed to us so fresh and vigorous, and fluent in conversation that we thought he was good enough for another decade, altho bordering on the 80ties.

In the coming October it will be 45 years since Dr. Hamill became pastor of the Centre Hill Presbyterian charge, and he has continued in the same field since, save that a few years ago Centre Hill was transferred to a newly erected charge—the balance remaining and now constituting the Lemont charge. Dr. Hamill served in other fields for five years previous to his coming here, and this next October makes up his 50 years in the ministry.

To preach 45 years in one place, and hold the love and esteem of his flock as well as the respect of all outside of his church, is one of the jewels in the life of Dr. Hamill and few ministers can match it. But, a more shining jewel still is this, that Dr. Hamill's labors and life are those of an earnest, pure, sincere christian. He has preached the Word with power and effect, and with a depth of thought that made him widely known as an able expounder of the scriptures.

Propos to the above, we might mention, three weeks ago Dr. Hamill, drove to this place bringing with him Mr. Lyon, M. D., of Pittsburg, (a brother of the well-known iron master Stewart Lyon,) who was born on the Hoffer homestead, adjoining our village. The mansion house was erected by the father of Dr. and Stewart Lyon, Mr. Lyon left here sixty years ago, and while on a visit to the county, Dr. Hamill treated him to a drive to the place of his birth, which he had not seen for 60 years.

A Parson on Trial.

Rev. W. L. Hayden, pastor of the Disciples' church, of Bellefonte, was tried Thursday on the charge of disturbing a religious meeting held in the Disciple's at Howard, on August 10. The trial church was the culmination of a bitter factional feud that has been waged in the Howard church for years.

The witnesses for the commonwealth swore that Hayden had been notified of a resolution passed that he should not preach or appear even in their church, and that he had entered the church on August 10 with Sheriff Cook with the purpose of causing a disturbance.

Judge First in his charge said Mr. Hayden could not be convicted on the evidence produced, and that the whole question was reduced to a matter of costs. Rev. Hayden was acquitted by the jury.

Veteran Club Picnic.

The Veteran Club of Centre county picnic to be held at Phillipsburg on Saturday September 6, 1890, promises to be the largest and best ever held by the club. D. F. Fortney, Esq. of Bellefonte, will deliver the annual address. Mr. Fortney as a public speaker is widely known, and all who have ever had the pleasure of hearing him talk on occasions of this kind will be pleased to hear again.

The Republicans of our county had made up their minds to throw all their effort to defeat Ishler and elect Wolfe sheriff, and started several slanders against Ishler which fell still-born, as they were full of Sunbury tangle-foot whisky. They are now beginning to concede the election of Ishler and think of defeating one of our nominees for commissioner and elect two of their men, then the Gazette would continue to plunder the county in printing jobs, and spend the people's taxes for grog.

- Light frosts on Monday morning. 90 Men's suits from \$4.00 up. C. P. Long. Elderberries are trump—reason, there are scarce any others.

Some farmers did their sowing last week already—might not the fly catch it so early?

The REPORTER for the campaign only 20 cents cash. Reader, can't you send us a few names?

David Ronkle shipped a car load of cattle from this station last week to eastern markets.

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

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 lends.

Saturday night the dead body of Frank DeVictor, a resident of Wayne township, Clinton county, was found on the track of the Philadelphia and Erie railroad, at Ferguson's crossing.

Work Its Weight in Gold. If you feel depressed, your appetite is poor and you are troubled with Dizziness of the head...

CASH or its EQUIVALENT.

To All Whom It May Concern: Know ye that on and after Sept. 15th, 1890, I will sell for

CASH, OR ITS EQUIVALENT ONLY! Having been doing a Credit business for 5 years, I find the patron who pays his bills has in a certain measure also to help pay the bad debts, etc.

FOR SALE—2 good mules, wagon and harness, all in very good condition. Inquire of JAS. LEMMER, CENTRE HALL.

HOUSE FOR RENT.—2 story frame house stable, at the station, apply to F. KURTZ

LOST.—IN THE VICINITY OF POTTERS Mills, a pocket book, containing a \$5 bill and some small change. The finder will be rewarded by leaving it with R. J. MATTHEW, Centre Hall.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE—LETTERS of Administration upon the estate of John Meyer, dec'd., of Potter Twp., having been lawfully granted to the undersigned he would respectfully request 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.

FARM FOR SALE.—THE FARM BELONGING to the late Jonathan Spangler, dec'd., will be offered at public sale on

GOOD HOUSE, BANK BARN and other outbuildings. The farm is well located and in a high state of cultivation.

PUBLIC SALE OF REAL ESTATE—PURSUANT to an order of the Court of Centre Co. there will be exposed at Public sale, on

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 25, 1890

FRAME HOUSE, LARGE BANK BARN, painted, good wash-house, Commodious wagon shed with corn crib, good pig pen, and all necessary out buildings.

TERMS.—1/3 the purchase money to be paid in cash on confirmation of sale. 1/3 in one year, and balance in two years.

W. W. SPANGLER, Potters Mills, Pa.

FIRST CLASS TWO SEATED carriage, just out of the shop, price \$145.00. Also a very fine driving horse, only 5 years old.

W. A. WAGNER, Adm'r Tusseyville.

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JOHN EMERICK, Centre Hall. DAVID KRAPE, Aaronsburg, Executrs.

Butter 16 Eggs 7 Lard 7 Shoulders 8 Ham 12 Tallow 4 Potatoes 70

SALESMEN WANTED

To sell our Choice Nursery Stock. Salary or commission and steady work for earnest workers. ELLWANGER & BARRY, Rochester, N. Y. Established 1840.

W. R. Camp. Centre Hall.

Don't fail to come to the opening of the new Opera House, to see Frank Mayo in "Davy Crockett," Sept. 11th, and "Nordeck," Sept. 12. The chance of a life time to see the great actor.

In dress goods, late arrivals, serges and henriettas in electro blue, heliotropes, brown, old rose, greens and blacks.

New striped flannels. Our stock of plain red and white flannels never was as complete as now.

A regular 10c black stocking for ladies for 5c a pair. More of those heavy 6c. gingham. 5c. a yard for a good yellow muslin.

The heaviest, finest and best napped Canton flannel for 10c. per yard in the world.

Silk velvet ordered in heliotrope, cardinal, garnet, greer and all the wide shades.

1 1/2 yd. wide navy blue, black and cardinal cloth, 50c. 1/2 wool, 1 1/2 yds. wide tricot in two colors, at 28c. Examine them.

GARMANS. 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.

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New Furniture Store!

New goods. Low prices. All goods delivered free. We invite you to come and see our new goods, whether you wish to buy or not. We keep everything usually kept in a first-class furniture store.

UNDERTAKING.

The highest method of preparing the dead has been attained and my course in this branch has been completed. My hearse and horses are among the finest in the state. Carry in stock a complete line, from the cheapest coffins to the finest caskets, and burial robes, etc., and I guarantee that my prices are the lowest in the county. No extra charge for embalming or distance.