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PERSONAL

—Mr. Lot Kimport, of Boalsburg, was in town on Tuesday.  
—H. F. McGirk, assessor of College township, was in Centre Hall on Tuesday on business.  
—Will Kurtz and daughter, of Berlin, Pa., arrived Tuesday for a short visit to his parents.  
—Mr. Had. B. Young, mayor of Mifflinburg, was a prominent visitor in Centre Hall on Monday.  
—John H. Heckman, of Spring Mills, was about town shaking hands with friends on Saturday.  
—Our whilom townsman, Mr. W. R. Camp, of Tyrone, gave our town a flying visit and called at the REPORTER office.  
—Sidney Krumbine and Co. Supt. elect C. L. Gramley, took supper at Barges' hotel on Tuesday evening on their way from Bellefonte.  
—Mr. J. B. Harper, one of Potters Mills jolly citizens, gave our sanctum a call, and had his label put out to '94, saying he didn't like the idea of reading a paper without paying up. He reports every thing in good shape over there, save that there is a little more rain and mud than what would be desirable.

For the Cow.

The Bellefonte council debated the question of excluding the cow from its thoroughfares and boulevards, and the measure was lost by a vote of six to three in favor of the cow. The question had called out petitions for and against and had developed considerable rife and animosity between some of the citizens.

Struck for Higher Wages

About fifty house carpenters out of about 400 in Harrisburg struck for \$2.50 a day, instead of \$2, the rate now in force. They now work nine hours each day and want these hours to remain under the \$2.50 rate.

For Sale.

A desirable property situated in Centre Hall. Good dwelling house, stable, and outbuildings. Large lot of fruit on the lot. The property will be sold cheap and at a bargain. For further particulars inquire at the REPORTER office.

Many Trees Uprooted.

During the severe, wind storm last Thursday over one hundred large trees were uprooted in Burrell's woods at the east end of Nittany Valley, and fully that many in the woods near Rote, Clinton county.

Killed by a Falling Tree.

The Huntingdon Local News says: A man named Morgan was killed on the Black Log mountain on Thursday morning. He was engaged in cutting down timber and a tree fell on him. We are without particulars.

Don't Forget It.

It is unlawful to put filth of any kind, sawdust, dyestuffs, or any substance injurious to fish in any stream inhabited by trout. The penalty for a violation of this law is a severe one.

—Boots and shoes a specialty at C. P. Long's, Spring Mills.

ELECTED SUPT.

C. L. GRAMLEY ELECTED BY A BIG MAJORITY.

Co. Supt. of Schools Again Chosen to Fill the Office Which He Occupied—Much Interest.

The directors of the schools of Centre county convened in session in the court house at Bellefonte on Tuesday at one o'clock, to elect a man to preside over the public schools of the county for the next three years. There were very few absentees and a full turnout of directors showed the interest manifested in the selection of the superintendent.

Several candidates for the office have been pushing their claims for the last several months, and among those who stood to the fore and were eminently qualified to fill the office were Prof. C. L. Gramley, the present incumbent, Prof. Calvin R. Neff, of the Millheim schools; and Prof. H. C. Rothrock, of the Boalsburg schools. All the gentlemen had labored hard in endeavoring to secure their election.

The convention was called to order at 1 o'clock by Superintendent C. L. Gramley, after which D. F. Fortney, of Bellefonte, was elected chairman of the convention, Hon. W. K. Alexander, of Millheim, reading clerk, and W. E. Irvin, of Phillipsburg and Miss Lizzie Shortlidge, of Bellefonte, tellers. The roll being called, out of 195 directors 151 answered to their names.

The following nominations for county superintendent were then made: Charles Smith, of Bellefonte, nominated Prof. C. L. Gramley, of Miles township; Hon. W. A. Murray, of Harrisburg, nominated Prof. H. C. Rothrock, of Boalsburg, and James A. Keller, of Potter township, nominated Prof. C. R. Neff, of Potter township.

The convention then proceeded to ballot which resulted as follows: C. L. Gramley 101, H. C. Rothrock 13, C. R. Neff 37. Prof. Gramley having received a majority of all the votes was declared elected county superintendent for the next three years.

Capt. S. H. Bennisson of Marion township, then read several resolutions which were adopted by the convention after which J. N. Hall, of Howard township and Prof. Gramley, superintendent elect made short addresses.

The clock admonishing the convention that it was nearly time for court to convene the convention adjourned.

The *Daily Gazette* of Tuesday publishes a short sketch of Mr. Gramley, and in it says, Prof. Cephus L. Gramley is the son of Squire Samuel Gramley, of near Rebersburg, this county, where he was born September 16, 1852, making him 43 years old. His father was a school teacher before him, in fact the whole family has given its closest attention to public school work for half a century, or more, and that they were successful is plainly shown by the large amount of work accomplished during this time.

The subject of this sketch taught his first winter term of public school at Centre Mills, Miles township, during the winter of 1868-69. Excepting two years, while he was attending Missionary Institute at Selinsgrove, Pa. Prof. Gramley has taught every winter since his first attempt in 1868, making twenty-two years in all. In addition to this, he was assistant principal of the County Normal schools, at Milesburg, Pa., during the summers of 1875 and 1876. Every additional summer of these 22 years he very successfully conducted his select school for the more thorough preparation of teachers, at Rebersburg, this county, where Prof. Gramley lives and has reared a most beautiful home.

Will Begin Work.

The Phillipsburg Journal says that contractor Tennis, of Lewisburg, is gathering his forces and the necessary equipage preparatory to beginning work at once on the new railroad running from that city to Altoona and to be known as the Altoona and Phillipsburg railroad. Quite a number of teams, carts, etc., arrived there Monday, and in a few days it is expected that a large force of men will be at work on that end of the line and the road pushed to completion as rapidly as possible.

A Giant Tree.

A giant pine tree in Pike county, this state, which had been spared on account of its size when the other trees were cleared away, was felled a few days ago. It was found to be 372 feet high and 462 years old, sound from butt to top, and cut \$2,000 worth of lumber. The tree was growing before Columbus discovered America.

A Damp Spring.

Had a heavy rain on Sunday evening accompanied by lightning. The spring has been damp right along, with some rain about every other day. Farmers have experienced some delay in their field work in consequence.

—Go to Lewins, Bellefonte, for your clothing. Their styles are perfect in every respect. Suits neat in pattern, stylishly cut and elegantly made. Nothing quite so good anywhere.

—Clothing of the finest grade and all prices, the stock a specialty.—C. P. Long & Co.

PLAYED OUT.

The Candidates no Longer Serenaded by the Brass Bands.

Ten to fifteen years ago Centre county had about twenty-five brass bands, of which a dozen, or more, were in Penns valley. Now there are not one third the number in the county—all the others having blown or played out. Serenading candidates took all the wind on hand, and the fellows out electioneering were watched with argus eyes by these bands to give the electioneers a blow,—and get in return a V or an X for the compliment. It was a big drain on the exchequers of the candidates, at five dollars a piece to each band it would cost the candidate the handsome pile of stamps of over \$200. The poor fellows had to stand the bleed, while the others stood the blow and the wind cost these nothing.

Candidates are now clear of a greater part of this nuisance and can travel the county over without being soaked at every street corner by a brass band, which served the purpose of strapping candidates, by discoursing Yankee Doodle, Hall Columbia, etc., to the fellows who had to grin and bear it and then shell out to boot.

Schoolgirl Elopes With a Lawyer.

Miss Iola Hague, daughter of John W. Hague, a prominent Pittsburg lawyer, has eloped from Bucknell University, Lewisburg, Pa., with H. W. Hadden, of Pittsburg, solicitor for the National Building and Loan Association. She left a note saying she had been married and that it would be useless to search for her. Hadden had frequently called upon her at the school with the permission of her parents.

The evening before she attended church with Hadden and returned to the school early in the evening, going directly to her room, ostensibly for the night. She was seen by a person living opposite the school to escape from the window by a ladder, hoisted by a man from the yard below. She was dressed in black.

The eloping pair came on to Centre Hall, where they remained to spend Friday,—the first day of their honeymoon, and Hadden wrote from here to the principal of the institution to have the trunks of the girl expressed up here, this the principal refused to do until hearing first from the parents of the bride.

Dollar For Dollar.

We are authorized to announce that William P. Duncan, assignee of the Phillipsburg Banking company, will pay 25 per cent, which is the final dividend, making 100 cents on the dollar, to the creditors of the said bank, at the First National bank, of Phillipsburg, on and after May 3, 1893. We cannot express the satisfaction it gives us to make this announcement. We are glad not only for the sake of the creditors of the bank, but we are glad because it redeems the credit of the town, as well as the credit and good name of the cashier, Mr. O. Perry Jones, who comes out of the affair with clean hands and spotless name.—Phillipsburg Ledger.

A New Crack in the Liberty Bell.

A new crack has appeared on the Liberty bell. It extends from the old crack nearly fourteen inches up around the crown and part way back toward the rim of the bell. The crack is supposed to have been caused by the vibrations of the car and the bracing, which only touched two sides of the rim of the bell.

Is this crack ominous of danger to our institutions? Guess if we stood one crack these many years we can stand another.

A New Corporation Formed.

The furniture factory at Lewisburg is to be put in operation until the unfinished goods are worked out, and after that there is to be a readjustment of matters, a new corporation formed and the factory sent humming along faster than ever before.

A New Railroad.

The Gazette says that the Bellefonte Central Railroad company evidently means business, as a large force of men are at work changing the route or connections. These changes will provide direct connection with the Reading system at Mill Hall.

Snow Bank on the 1st of May.

On the 1st of May a part of a snow bank was still seen lingering on a hill side near the Union church, and was several feet in depth—the remains of one of last winter's big drifts.

Great Advantages.

You will not make a mistake by calling at the Philad. Branch, Bellefonte, for clothing for men, boys and children. They will give you greater satisfaction for your money than any other dealer. Unusual bargains will be given. Give them a trial.

For Sale.

One ton choice timothy hay for sale by W. W. Boob, Centre Hall.

—Our suits for men and boys can not be equalled by any dealer in the county. Spring styles now in stock. Prices right. Philad. Branch, Bellefonte.

HICKS FOR MAY.

What the Weather Prophet has to Say of the Conditions.

Weather prophet Hicks is out in his forecast for May. He says:

Indications are that May will open with cool, fair weather in most parts, with frosts in northern directions. A warm wave will pass eastward across the country, giving rise to reactionary storms, central on and after the 3d. After a few days of colder clear weather, about the 7th it will grow warmer in the west, and during the 8th to 11th the warmth will increase as it advances eastward over the continent, resulting in many storms about 8th, 9th, 10th. There is a marked tendency to frost, as a rule, from about the 10th to 15th of May, especially when storms occur on or just preceding those dates. But the indications for this month are that this frost period will reach its crisis at the close of reactionary storms central about the 15th. The new moon on that day, and the equinox of Mercury on the 16th, will increase and prolong storm conditions, and add to the probabilities of frost after the storms in northerly regions. From the 18th to 22d falls a marked storm period, the crisis of which will likely be reached about the 23d. A very warm wave will pass over the country during the period and dangerous storms are liable to result. About the 25th and 26th there will be another rise in temperature, resulting in reactionary storms. The last day of May is the centre of regular storm period, which runs into the opening days of June.

TROUT FRY.

8000 Young Trout Placed in Penns Creek and the Greens Valley Stream.

On Friday morning 8000 young trout about one inch in length, each, were received here, in care of Rev. Eisenberg and Simon Harper, from the Corry hatchery, and placed in Penns creek and the Greens valley stream; one can in charge of George Bushman, was put in the stream at Potters, near Linden Hall. The little beauties were quite lively and in three years, if not hooked out should be ten to twelve inches in size. Persons living near trout streams should see that they are stocked every spring, as the young trout can be procured free of charge from the hatchery of which there are three or four in the state.

Last spring the above named parties and Fred. Kurtz procured about 10,000 young trout and put them in Pine, Penns, and other creeks. If this work is repeated each spring trout will, no doubt, be as plenty in our streams in a few years, as they once were. If the illegal fishing with nets and out-of-season can only be entirely stopped by prompt prosecutions our trout streams will always afford an abundance of sport for the angler.

Baby Ruth Too Much Adored.

Poor baby Ruth has been so pestered by kodak fiends and curious sightseers when taking her walks in the rear of the White House on fair days that the President has had to order the gates of the White House grounds to be closed between 2 and 4 o'clock in order that she may take the air undisturbed. It seems that the sight-seers, who are mostly women, not content with staring at the baby insisted on kissing her; while some of them taking advantage of the temporary distraction of the nurse, gave the baby candy or open her mouth to look at her teeth or dance her up and down in their arms. One audacious woman actually tried to snip off a lock of her hair with a tiny pair of scissors.

Has Taken to the Pulpit.

Abe Buzzard the Lancaster county outlaw, recently pardoned from the penitentiary, has taken to the pulpit. On Sunday he made addresses at the Sunday Breakfast Association, at the Cohocksink Presbyterian church, in the morning, and in the afternoon the Fairhill Baptist church was crowded by people anxious to hear him. In the evening he spoke in the Whar ton street M. E. Church. The reformed outlaw told in unpolished language the story of his life and also the part connected with his conversion.

Union County Deaths.

In Hartleton, April 7, Mrs. Sarah Jones Smith, widow of Jacob Smith, aged 92 years, 1 month and 19 days.  
At New Columbia, April 17, Mrs. Mary E. Keefer, aged about 73 years.  
At Vicksburg, April 30, Matilda, relict of Henry Baker, deceased, aged 72 years and 10 months.

Can They Raise the Amount?

If the people of Lock Haven will raise the small sum of \$4000 the Beech Creek railroad will be run into that city. Can Lock Haven foot a bill of \$4000? If not, call on Centre Hall for a lift.

Will Enter the Race.

Benjamin Kurtz Focht, of Lewisburg, will enter the race for the Republican nomination of state treasurer.

—The stock of boots, shoes, and rubber goods sold at Mingle's shoe store, Bellefonte, is complete in every respect and sold at prices so low that all can purchase.

—Subscribe for the REPORTER.

CIVIL CASES

TRIED AT THE SECOND WEEK OF THE APRIL COURT.

The Jury Returns a Verdict in Favor of Plaintiff in the Dooley vs. Krumbine Case.

Court was called in session Monday morning at ten o'clock, with Hon. A. O. Furst on the bench with his Associates Thomas F. Riley and C. A. Faulkner. A number of petitions were presented by members of the bar, and roll call of jurors, after which adjournment was made until two o'clock p. m.

At two o'clock p. m., the jury was empanelled in the case of Maggie Dooley vs. George W. Krumbine and Clement Dale, guardians of Anna Krumbine, minor child of Anna Krumbine, deceased.

This is a case of traverse of inquisition in lunacy and is being closely followed by many people of Bellefonte and Centre Hall. This is the second trial, it having been tried in November 1892. Wilbur F. Reeder is attorney for plaintiff and ex-Judge John H. Orvis, and Clement Dale for defendant. The afternoon was taken up by the plaintiff in presenting testimony to the jury, when at 5:45 the plaintiff rested and court adjourned until Tuesday morning at nine o'clock.

The Tuesday forenoon session was taken up by the defendants and getting their testimony to the jury. Tuesday afternoon some testimony in rebuttal was given by plaintiff when the case was argued by ex-Judge Orvis for defendants, and Wilbur F. Reeder for the Commonwealth. It was 5:15 when Judge Furst began to charge the jury. The jury retired for deliberation at 5:45.

A jury was then impaneled in the case of James J. DeLong vs. J. P. Findley and Charles White.

On Wednesday morning the jury brought a sealed verdict into court in the case of Dooley vs. Krumbine, in favor of the plaintiff.

The case of James J. DeLong vs. J. P. Findley and Chas. White on trial Wednesday afternoon.

A Centre County Thief Nabbed.

Samuel Bennett, of Phillipsburg, was arrested at the Windsor Hotel Harrisburg, on Tuesday afternoon by Officer Harry Swiler, of the Phillipsburg police force, charged with robbing Fent Sheely of \$400 at Phillipsburg several days ago. Officer Swiler accompanied by Roundsman Yowler located Bennett at the Windsor hotel where he had engaged rooms with his wife. He was eating dinner when told that some gentleman desired to see him.

When he came out Fent Sheely, who had accompanied the officer to that city, identified him. Bennett was taken to the jail and searched but none of the money was found on his person. Roundsman Yowler went back to the hotel and got \$290 from Bennett's wife. Sheely said he and Bennett boarded together and that Bennett had gone to his, Sheely's trunk during the night and stole the money. He then drove from Phillipsburg to Bald Eagle, some considerable distance, taking a train at the latter place and came direct to Harrisburg. The woman who accompanied Bennett is still at the Windsor hotel.

Violated the Fish Law.

Fishing with outlines is in violation of the fish law, and for this offence a young man named Walker was arrested at Bellefonte, on Tuesday, and was placed under bond of \$300 to answer for his offence. He was caught in the act of hauling the outlines out and arrested. Much outline fishing is done in all parts of the county and if wholesale arrests were made, there would probably be a damper put upon the illegal work.

Died at Gettysburg.

On Wednesday morning Mr. William Wolf received a telegram from his brother, Dr. E. J. Wolf, professor in the theological seminary at Gettysburg announcing the death of his son, Charles Stark Wolf, a young man aged about eighteen years. His sickness was short and of only about two days duration, being stricken down with brain fever. Charles was a fine young man and was well known in Centre Hall, having visited here frequently during his boyhood.

Notice.

Persons having unsettled mill bills, will please oblige by adjusting same before May 10th, after which date the books will be placed in other hands for collection.

KURTZ & SON.

Read the Ad.

If you are in need of any kind of a rig, road cart, buggy or wagon, read Boob's ad. in the REPORTER.

Prices Still Low.

The grain markets still keep depressed, prices remaining on a standstill at the prevailing low figures.

For Sale.

A large lot of good mason stones. Apply at this office.

—Subscribe for the REPORTER.

PROVIDED WITH STEAM HEAT.

The Passenger Trains on the Railroad Now Heated by Steam.

The deadly and unsightly car stoves will no longer figure prominently in the eyes of the public as it has in the past in diffusing warmth and comfort to the patrons of the railroad. The passenger trains now running from Montandon to Bellefonte have been recently equipped with appliances for heating the trains by steam, and the new convenience has worked to great satisfaction. The morning train west, in charge of conductor Cook was supplied about one month ago and on Monday evening Conductor Reamer made his return trip in a train supplied with the same appliances for heating the cars. The steam is furnished from the locomotive and at a pressure of about one pound, so there is no need of fear of scalding should a break occur. The stoves are still and will be retained in the car to provide comfort in cases of emergency. The railroad men are greatly pleased with it and claim it is a great saver of labor and the dust of the car stove is not always flying about from incessant shaking which is necessary in cold weather. Each seat has a coil under it and steam pipes extend along each side of the car with large radiators at each end. The engineer is in entire charge and can regulate the temperature by simply turning off or on more steam.

Now Try This.

It will cost you nothing and will surely do you good, if you have a Cough, Cold, or any trouble with Throat, Chest or Lungs. Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds is guaranteed to give relief, or money paid back. Sufferers from La Grippe found it just the thing and under its use had a speedy and perfect recovery. Try a sample bottle at our expense and learn for yourself just how good a thing it is. Trial bottles free at J. D. Murray's Drug Store. Large size 50c. and \$1.00.

New Millinery Goods.

New millinery goods for spring and summer just received from Philadelphia and New York. Wishing you to call and examine the same whether you purchase or not, you will be made welcome.

MYRA C. ISHLEY,  
Tusseyville.

Fine Footwear.

For boots and shoes go to Mingle's shoe store, Bellefonte. He carries a high grade of footwear for ladies, gentlemen and children, which cannot be equalled by any dealer. The very best the market affords is to be found there. Prices right.

Latest Novelties.

Latest novelties in spring clothing for men, boys, and children.

The best suit in the market for men at \$10.00. Tailoring a specialty. MONTGOMERY & CO. Bellefonte

—C. P. Long has just returned from eastern cities with the finest and best selected stock of general merchandise ever brought to Spring Mills, which will be sold at lower figures than elsewhere. Stock going fast.

GRAIN MARKET.

CORRECTED WEEKLY BY KURTZ & SON

Wheat.....	58
Rye.....	56
Corn.....	46
Oats.....	25
Barley.....	40
Buckwheat.....	40

PRODUCE AT STORES.

Butter.....	25
Eggs.....	12
Lard.....	30
Shoulders.....	11
Ham.....	32
Tallow.....	4
Potatoes.....	65
Sides.....	30

# Dress Goods

Our stock was never so complete--Whip cords, serges, epingles, cashmires, henriettas storm serges and all late fabrics.

## SATINES

in plain and shades and a number of beautiful fancies.

## PERCALES

crape cloths, gingham, silk-lines, fringes, etc.

## BABY FLANNEL

in pink, blue and cream; very choice.

Golden glass, shines like gold.

## SPRING COATS

in beautiful shades.

Garmans.