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PERSONAL

Miss Ella Stover, of Aaronsburg, is the guest of the family of D. K. Geiss.

Mrs. Lucy Auman, of Potters Mills, transacted business in Centre Hall on Monday.

Mrs. John Conley returned Friday from an extended trip to Chicago and Freeport, Ill.

James Walk, of Gregg, left on Monday, for Michigan, to spend the winter visiting friends.

Mrs. Flora Bairfoot and Will Smith returned from the World's Fair at Chicago last Friday night.

Dan Reynolds spent Sunday with his family. He is now working Millin county on a windmill.

William Bartges, of near Centre Hill, gave our sanctum a call, and had his name entered as a subscriber.

Mrs. Schaffer Derstine, of Lewistown, is visiting at the home of her father-in-law, Mr. Michael Derstine.

C. P. Hewes was in town on Saturday, on legal business. Charley is one of the busiest attorneys at the county seat.

N. B. Spangler, Esq., of Bellefonte, was in town Saturday, on legal business connected with the W. H. Runkle property.

Mr. James B. Spangler, of Tusseyville, was in town on Monday, and dropped in at the office. He reports everything favorable.

Mrs. Joseph Gilliland, of New Bloomfield, Pa., and Mrs. Michael Decker, of Potters Mills, were callers at this office Wednesday.

Mrs. Hastings, wife of Ex-Adjutant General Hastings, who has been very ill at her home in Bellefonte, is somewhat better, but is not yet out of danger.

D. F. Fortney, Esq., of Bellefonte, gave our sanctum a call. He was in the lower end of the valley, where he delivered some telling Democratic speeches.

Our young friend, Charles Swartz, who was engaged in the mercantile business at Kipple, has returned to his home at Tusseyville since being burned out.

Sumner Hosterman and Samuel Kreamer, two dead game sports, went up to State College Monday to witness the Western University-State College foot ball game.

Commissioner Goodhart called on Monday and felt he was to get a flattering endorsement of his record as commissioner—and he got it on Tuesday, right handsomely too.

A little Democrat arrived at Harry Dinges' on last Sunday. He did not vote at this week's election, but twenty-one years after this he will count one all the same. Harry feels a thousand richer now.

Henry Boozer and wife returned last Friday evening from Illinois, in which state Mrs. Boozer had been visiting her brother, Mr. Jacob Derstine, at Freeport, and taking in the World's Fair, being absent about four weeks.

Rev. John W. White and lady, of Milroy, visited at Rev. J. W. Boal's in this place, on Tuesday, on their return from a family reunion, celebrated at General Beaver's home on Monday; Mrs. White is the only full sister of Gen. Beaver.

Mrs. Shelly, of Lancaster, Pa., Mrs. C. M. Bower and son John, of Bellefonte, were the guests of the family of Mr. D. J. Meyer Wednesday and Thursday of last week.

On Thursday morning, John, Charley Arney and D. J. Meyer went out in the mountains to try their luck and returned in the evening with six rabbits and one pheasant, three of the rabbits and the pheasant being killed by John. As a hunter he made a reputation in this vicinity.

JUDGE ORVIS DEAD

SUDDEN DEATH OF THE EMINENT JURIST.

One of Pennsylvania's Foremost Legal Minds is No More.—Ill But A Few Days.—His Career.

All of our readers will learn with feelings of pain of the death of Hon. John H. Orvis, at his home at Bellefonte, on Monday afternoon last.

The Judge with a few friends, some two weeks before his death, had been out deer hunting, in which he indulged every fall. On his return he took sick, no doubt from the effects of a cold contracted from exposure in camping out. His illness rapidly took a serious turn, hemorrhage of the stomach set in and was the cause of his death. Mr. Orvis was not blessed with a sound constitution and for years had been more or less under medical treatment. He was subject to violent attacks of rheumatism.

The Centre county bar never produced a more able lawyer; his legal talents were of that high order that he ranked among the foremost minds of the legal profession in this state, and he was constantly employed in important cases from all parts of the commonwealth.

At the age of 16 years he taught the school at Rockhill, about 5 miles west of our town, and early began to read law at Lock Haven, where he was admitted to the bar, and after a few years' practice he left that town and located at Bellefonte. His legal talents soon attracted attention, and altho still young, he quickly rose to the head of the bar and gained a large practice. He was an able and ready speaker, and had the faculty of putting all he said in so plain and intelligible language, that the most illiterate juror would see his points right along. His arguments were ever logical; his one great forte was a remarkable memory; he would sit for days at a trial and listen to testimony, without taking notes, and recall it all in arguing more readily than other attorneys would from their notes.

He was elected to the legislature, on the Democratic ticket, and at once was recognised as the ablest man in the House. Just before the close of the session he was appointed assistant law judge by Gov. Hartranft, for this district composed of the counties Centre, Clinton and Clearfield, and at the following election was nominated for President Judge by the Democrats of the district and elected. He served with distinguished ability upon the bench, and before the close of his term he resigned and resumed the practice of law which was far more lucrative than the Judgeship.

He was born in Sullivan township, Tioga county, on Feb. 24, 1835. He worked at printing a short time. He made his residence in Bellefonte in 1862. In 1872 he was chosen to the Legislature; in 1873 was appointed assistant law judge, and later elected President Judge.

In Judge Orvis this journal had a valued friend, and we feel his loss; his bereaved family have our deepest sympathy. He was a member of the Disciple church, a true believer and well versed in Scripture.

The deceased leaves a widow and four children to mourn his loss; the latter are: attorney Ellis Lewis Orvis, Mrs. Canfield; Nannie, wife of Harry Keller, and Miss Carry M. Orvis.

Sale of the Lingle Property.

The Lingle farms, adjoining this town, were knocked off at public sale, on Saturday, having been up at sale the third time.

Mrs. Martha Odenkirk bought the James Lingle farm, 183 acres, at \$30 per acre.

The Thomas Lingle farm, 155 acres, was bought by the widow, Mrs. Thos. Lingle, at \$22 per acre.

John D. Decker bought the 45 acre timber tract in Gregg tp., belonging to the Lingle estate of near this town, at \$21 per acre.

Died at Milroy.

Dr. Abram Hershberger, well-known in this part of the county, died last Sunday night at his home in Milroy, at the age of over eighty-four years.

Dr. Hershberger served three years in the last civil strife as surgeon of the 149th Reg. He was a native of Centre county and was born in Gregg township near Spring Mills.

Out In Print Again.

The Bellefonte Daily Gazette made its appearance again on Monday after a discontinuance of several weeks, brighter and newer than ever.

The Reporter hopes that business stagnation will be no occasion for its discontinuance again.

Improvements To Be Made.

Several improvements of no little importance to the town will soon be made at the station. George Benner expects to erect a new grain ware house and coal sheds, and Mr. Bartholomew expects to add a roller press to his mill for the manufacture of flour.

Piles of fall and winter goods at Lewins, Bellefonte. All latest styles and lowest prices to be had anywhere. Go and see before all gone.

DEATH OF JOHN ODENKIRK.

The Proprietor of the Old Fort Hotel Succumbs to Consumption.

Mr. John Odenkirk died on Monday morning last, at about three o'clock, after an illness of long duration. Mr. Odenkirk was afflicted with an affection of the lungs for a year or more and availed himself of the best medical attendance possible, a short time ago making a trip to the Philadelphia hospital in hopes that his declining health would be benefitted. The disease however had made such ravages upon his system that he returned home again little benefitted. He had been able to be about until up to about two months ago, when he was compelled through weakness to take to his bed, gradually sinking until death set in Monday morning. For almost a week his death was expected at any time; he was conscious to the end and when body and soul parted it was without a tremor. His age was 54 years, — months, — and — days.

Mr. Odenkirk was the proprietor of the Old Fort hotel, which noted hostelry is conducted for a number of years, and was highly respected by all in the community. He leaves a wife and four children to mourn their loss. The children being Mrs. Frank Bradford, Miss Jennie, Will and Porter.

The funeral took place on Wednesday morning at ten o'clock, the services being held at his late home, conducted by Rev. James Boal, of the Presbyterian church, assisted by Rev. Baskerville. Interment was made in the cemetery at Centre Hall.

The services at the grave were conducted in accordance with the rites of the G. A. R., by the members of the Bellefonte and Centre Hall posts. Mr. Odenkirk was a soldier in the late war a member of Co. D., 148 reg.

The casket was bedecked by floral tributes in beautiful wreaths by Mrs. F. Kurtz, Mrs. F. Bairfoot, Miss Flora Love and Mrs. Thomas for the Post. The funeral was largely attended.

HUNG HIMSELF.

Committed Suicide Near Jacksonville, on Monday.

Mr. Perry Condo, for many years living near Jacksonville, committed suicide on Monday last, by hanging. Mr. Condo was mentally unbalanced for some years, and a continual watch was kept over him as it was always feared he would take his own life.

He was formerly a resident of Miles township and was aged about fifty years.

We are further informed, that one of the hired men, on going into the barn, found him hanging by a strap. Mr. Condo was a good citizen and a very kind neighbor. He was blind of an eye caused by an enlargement of that organ. His occupation was that of farming. He leaves an estimable wife, Barbara, nee Spangler, and several children.

Arrived Safely.

From a letter from Miss R. L. Irvine, who left on the 14th of September for Yokohama, Japan, we learn that she arrived safely on the 17th of October. The voyage was rough and stormy; only one good day on the whole trip. Now, that the journey is ended she feels well and ready for work. Her many friends here will be pleased to learn of her safe arrival and wish her much success in her chosen vocation.

Died in Philadelphia.

Mr. William Burnside, a son of Judge Burnside, died at his home in Philadelphia on Tuesday of last week. The deceased was born and reared in Bellefonte, and for a number of years was engaged in the mercantile trade there. For a time he was ticket agent for the Pennsylvania Railroad, at Philadelphia. He was about 75 years of age.

Resigns the Office.

A few days ago Postmaster Fiedler, of Bellefonte, sent in his resignation to the postoffice department, to take effect as soon as his successor could be appointed. Fiedler's term would not have expired until February next, and as the office is worth about \$2200 per year, there is much conjecture as to his resignation. There are many candidates for the office, among whom are Messrs. McQuiston, Noll, Brown, Dobbins and Fortney.

Died at Pleasant Gap.

Mrs. William Harrison died at her home at Pleasant Gap, on Saturday night, 28th, from childbirth. The infant died also. The interment occurred at that place on Tuesday. She was twenty-six years of age and leaves a husband and one child. Her maiden name was Jennie Eckenroth.

Sunday Evening Services.

Christian Endeavor meeting will be held in the Evangelical church next Sunday evening. Preaching immediately after the Endeavor meeting by the pastor, Rev. C. H. Goodling. All are invited to attend these services.

State College Won.

In the contest between the Western University and the State College foot ball teams at State College Monday afternoon, the State College team won by the score of 22 to 0.



DR. HARTER.

"Oh, Lord! But I'm Sick!"

TRIAL LIST.

List of Cases To Be Tried At The Second Week's Term of Court.

Following is the list of cases to be tried at the second week of the November term of court, commencing Monday, Dec. 4:

- Joseph Ross vs. Jeremiah Eckenroth. Rev. Isaac Kreider vs. Benj. Corl's adm'r. Isabella Lohr vs. Phillipsburg boro. Mary A. Blake vs. L. W. Glover. James and Lot Kimpfort vs. M. G. Brown.

- Lot W. Kimport vs. M. G. Brown. Mary M. Fravel vs. Sara Crissman's exrs. John C. Motz vs. Harvey Bishop. The Fry Sheehle Co. vs. Est. of W. R. Miller. Carry Wilson vs. Harry McCauley. I. F. Megargel, et al vs. E. M. Huyett, et al.

- Munson Glass Co. vs. McCalmont & Co. Jacob Garbrick vs. David Harter. James Higgins vs. Meck & Nagle. M. E. Church vs. Est. of W. R. Miller. Foster Fannon vs. D. R. Thomas. Danville Hospital for Insane vs. Bellefonte Overseers of Poor.

- Alfred Jones vs. Penna. State College. Mary V. Hale, et al vs. Bellefonte Central R. R. Co. Phillip Collins vs. Bellefonte Central R. R. Co. John Glenn vs. Samuel Swabb.

- Conrad Immel vs. Beecher & Sober. W. F. Peters vs. Willis Weaver and L. C. Bullock. Wm. C. Sheesly vs. J. R. Wolf. Geo. E. Rider vs. Samuel Harpster. Sarah M. Richards vs. Mattern Bros.

- B. E. and N. V. R. R. Co. vs. Centre county. Bellefonte and Phillipsburg Turnpike Road Co. vs. Centre Co. Benjamin Nearhood vs. Jonathan Auman.

- Elizabeth D. Kunes vs. John B. Shaw, et al.

A Good Law.

The funny fellow who imagined he was smart when he fooled an editor into publishing a false rumor, is out of an occupation now. By a law passed by the late legislature the person who secures the publication of a lie is subject to punishment severe enough to prevent him from engaging in any other fun of that nature. This is a wise law. The humorous individual who has been making a practice of imposing upon editors of newspapers with items that are not only false but malicious, is devoid of humor and when brought to punishment deserves little sympathy from the public.

Made Their Wills.

The two Italians who had their hands blown off and their eyes destroyed in a quarry explosion, made their wills at the Delaware Hospital. Each possesses about \$1000 worth of property, and they desired to remember their relatives in the event of their death. The wills were written and read to them, after which each took a pen in his mouth, and guided by the physician's hand, made their attesting marks. Despite their fearful injuries, the men are likely to recover.

Quarterly Meeting.

Quarterly meeting will be held in the Methodist church at this place, on Saturday and Sunday; Quarterly Conference on Saturday afternoon. A sermon will be delivered on Saturday evening by the Presiding Elder, Rev. Hamlin, D. D. of Tyrone. Quarterly Communion will be administered on Sunday morning by Rev. Dr. Hamlin, and also services Sunday evening.

But One Day Yet.

Mr. Emanuel Ehook proprietor of the cider mill at the station, desires us to state that the cider mill will be in operation but one day for this season, and that will be Tuesday next, 14th, when he will close down for the season.

Religious Services.

Rev. W. J. Wagner will hold religious services in the Lutheran churches at the following respective places on Sunday next, November 12th: Spring Mills, 10.30 a. m., Georges Valley, 2 p. m., and Union at 7 p. m.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report.

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THE NITTANY VALLEY RAILROAD.

The Track About Completed and Rolling Stock Purchased.

All the track but three miles of the new Nittany Valley railroad has been laid and but two bridges remain to be built. They will be completed this week. The Centre Democrat says the telegraph poles are being erected and work on all the stations progressing. Cars for the passenger trains have been purchased and will arrive soon.

They consist of four fine passenger coaches and a combination smoker and mail and express car. These cars were originally built for a California road which failed. It is said to be a very fine train. The passenger service over this road will consist of three trips by this train from Bellefonte to Mill Hall and return daily.

Several new engines were purchased at Schenectady, N. Y., for passenger and freight trains. Two freight trains will be put on, each to make a round trip over the road daily. A work train will also be put on until the roadbed is in first-class condition. The round house will be located near Bellefonte, and reap the benefits of it.

We are informed that some one got off with about 15 bushels of Joel Kerstetter's apples one night last week. It must have been Apple-jack who was around there. Corn husking is about all done; the quality is good, mostly, but it is not over two-thirds of a crop. Boob, the carriage maker, is making alterations on his property, opposite this office, preparatory to his occupancy of it next spring. He sold 42 rigs in the past year. He advertises freely.

Hard Winter.

All the usual signs, as observed from the Missouri to the Yukon, by the farmer, the hunter, and the Indian, seem to indicate a hard winter in the west. The Alaskan Indians are agreed with the Indians of Oregon and Washington that the snows will be heavy and the frosts keen and long. Already the snowstorms have killed large numbers of sheep in the mountains of Kiekiat county, Wash., and in Missouri the farmers, now that hog killing has begun, are telling that the lard runs very jagged, an infallible sign, they agree, of a coming winter of unprecedented severity.

No Action Taken.

Some time ago a petition was presented to the council signed by over fifty citizens, asking that body to pass an ordinance prohibiting cows from running at large on the streets and highways of Centre Hall. The council as yet has taken no action, but it is likely at the next regular meeting the ordinance will go through with a bang. Unlike other towns there was scarcely any dissension, and nearly all heartily approve of such legislation.

A Fatal Hunting Accident.

Sunday afternoon last in McIntyre township, Lycoming county, Morris Peters was accidentally shot in the back of the head and died about one hour afterwards. Peters was poking underneath some rocks to chase a rabbit out. As the animal scampered away Peters suddenly jumped up and received a load of shot in the head which had been discharged at the rabbit by Fred Bradbury.

Appeared Again.

The Bellefonte Gazette, daily, has again made its appearance after a few weeks' rest, on account of nonpayment of its subscribers. Let all in arrears on the REPORTER, bear this in mind, and pay up—a newspaper can't be run on wind or promises.

Has Again Appeared.

The Bellefonte Daily News has made its appearance again, after a years suspension. It is spry and improved in appearance.

Farm Sold.

James Wert, bought the Goheen farm, in Harris township, for \$3700.

Lewins, Bellefonte, take the lead in suits for men and boys. Nothing quite so stylish or better made. Call and be convinced.

SUDDEN DEATH.

John W. Moore Died Tuesday Morning At Two O'clock.

Mr. John Moore, grocerman, of Howard street, Bellefonte, died suddenly on Tuesday morning. On Monday morning Mr. Moore took his gun and started to the forest in search of game, and during the day walked about fifteen miles. He was subject to heart disease and during the afternoon he became so fatigued he was compelled to lie down on the damp ground to rest and was soon sound asleep; when he awoke he was thoroughly chilled and it was impossible to get warm again. With great difficulty he succeeded in getting back to the station where he took the work train to Bellefonte. When he reached home he took some medicine and went to bed about ten o'clock. Between one and two o'clock Tuesday morning his wife heard him moaning and on getting up found Mr. Moore very ill, and in a short time he became still. Dr. Harris was immediately sent for and when he arrived found that Mr. Moore was dead.

The deceased was about fifty-seven years old and leaves a wife and three children. The funeral took place this Thursday morning, at 10.30 o'clock.

Millin County Deaths.

Near Ryde, October 28th, 1893, Mrs. Mary Hardy, aged 63 years. In Reedsville, October 10th, Mrs. Joseph Zeigler, aged 65 years. In Reedsville, October 30th, Mrs. John Shaw, aged 75 years.

Near Newton Hamilton, October 25, Geo. B. Wharton, aged 82 years. In Lewistown, October 28th, Mrs. Anna Mary Kemberling, aged 77 years. In Petersburg, October 29th, Geo. W. Contrer, aged 80 years.

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 will be 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.

Clothing for Everybody.

Clothing for everybody—Mens, Youths, Boys and Children. Prices—the lowest. Overcoats from the smallest child to the largest man. Suits from the little Tot to the Fattest man. Head Gear for all kinds of people. We are in the business for the people.

MONTGOMERY & Co.

Bellefonte, Pa.

GRAIN MARKET.

Table with 2 columns: Grain type and price. Includes Wheat, Rye, Corn, Oats, and Buckwheat.

PRODUCE AT STORES.

Table with 2 columns: Produce type and price. Includes Butter, Eggs, Lard, and various oils.

Garmans.

Hop Sacking, Garmans. Hop Sacking, Garmans. Hop Sacking, Garmans. Hop Sacking, Garmans.

Blue Cheviot, Garmans. Blue Cheviot, Garmans. Blue Cheviot, Garmans.

Habit Cloth, Garmans. Habit Cloth, Garmans. Habit Cloth, Garmans.

Dress Trimmings, Garmans. Dress Trimmings, Garmans. Dress Trimmings, Garmans.

Satines, Garmans. Satines, Garmans. Satines, Garmans.

School Supplies, Garmans. School Supplies, Garmans. School Supplies, Garmans.

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