

THE RACKET

No. 9 Crider's Exchange, Bellefonte.

RECEIVING

More dry goods for our money this fall than ever.

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More dry goods for the money than ever.

The store was opened Jan. 1, 1889. It has always been, is now, and always will be,

The Leader and Promoter of Low Prices in Bellefonte.

It pays to buy in Bellefonte, and "The Racket" is the pride of the town, and numbers among its regular customers, rich and poor, white and black, great and small, big and little.

Bargains in Dry Goods, Notions, Novelties, Shoes, every day in the year.

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G. R. SPIGELMYER, SHEM SPIGELMYER, JR. Bellefonte, Pa.

Special.

It is seldom that the trade that seeks Bellefonte markets has the advantage of such a mark down sale as Lyon & Co. are advertising in another column on this page. It will pay you to look it up.

PERSONAL.

Walter Kerlin is teaching school in Potter township, south of Potters Mills.

Squire J. H. Housman, of Tusseyville, made a business trip to town Tuesday.

Wagner Geiss, who is teaching school near State College, was home over Sunday.

Col. J. L. Spangler and wife, of Bellefonte, spent Tuesday with his parents in this place.

Landlord D. C. Keller, of Turbotville, came up Tuesday and circulated among his friends.

Mrs. B. D. Brislin and daughter, Mrs. Boon, departed last week on a visit to friends at Harrisburg.

Our townsman George Clements has been somewhat indisposed of late, and we hope he will soon recover again.

Mrs. Amanda Spangler returned home Saturday after a month's visit with her sister, Mrs. Rev. Curran, at Glen Rock.

John P. Harris and Chas. P. Hewes, of Bellefonte, were in the valley on Monday. They were out looking up Republican prospects.

Mr. W. L. Dillet, who recently removed from Johnstown to this place, is putting up a great deal of his patent fence in the vicinity. It is a good thing and the farmers are taking to it.

Postmaster Fortney and Cal. Harper, of Bellefonte, were in town Monday, while on their way over to Tusseyville to attend the Democratic meeting to be held there that evening.

Wm. C. Heinle, Esq., of Bellefonte, while in town on Tuesday looking after the political fences, called at the REPORTER office. He is hopeful of Democratic success next Tuesday, and says old Centre will roll up her usual majority.

The live and energetic Bellefonte Clothing Dealer, Mr. M. Fauble, is now in New York attending a large bankrupt sale of clothing. This firm is ever on the alert to save their patrons' money. The large business that they now enjoy is evidence that the public appreciate their efforts.

Bishop Haman, of the United Evangelical church, was the guest of Rev. Goodling for several days past. He has been looking after the churches of the Centre Hall charge and on Sunday evening filled the pulpit in the Evangelical church. The edifice was crowded and he preached a masterful sermon. Bishop Haman is the first Evangelical Bishop who ever preached in Centre Hall. The Bishop is very hopeful of success of the new association.

Serious Jump.

Ed. Grove, a son of Dr. Grove, of Milesburg, was seriously hurt on Saturday by jumping from a moving train, near Milesburg. His head struck the ground, and the injuries sustained are quite serious.

Lewins, Bellefonte, has the most experienced cutter in these parts and at his establishment you can be suited in a manner befitting a prince, and at a reasonable price.

RUNKLE-SHRIVER.

Rev. James M. Runkle and Miss Gale Shriver United in Marriage.

The most notable event in social circles in Mechanicsburg for a long time was the wedding in St. Paul's Reformed church on last Thursday evening in which the young pastor of the church, Rev. James M. Runkle, was the groom and Miss Gale Shriver, a lady well known in social and literary circles here and vicinity, the bride.

The admission to the church was by special invitations and they had been given out in sufficient number to comfortably fill the church with friends of the groom and bride from home and abroad.

The floral decorations at the altar were a double arch supported by columns all covered with white and buff chrysanthemums, with palm and fern groundwork. Numerous tropical plants were also tastefully arranged around the altar. Under the arch was a floral marriage bell and on the apex a white dove.

The groomsmen were H. A. Mishler and the bridesmaid was Miss Laura Runkle, sister of the groom; maids of honor, Misses Marion Brenner and Kate Witmer; flower girls, Bessie Baschore, Edna DeWalt, Gertie Bates Gaie Lauck. Dr. Gerhart, president of Franklin and Marshall College, assisted by W. H. Groh, of Carlisle; Rev. J. D. Miller, of Marysville, and Dr. S. N. Callender, of Mechanicsburg, performed the marriage ceremony, at the conclusion of which the bridal party departed from the church to the merry chimes of bells and the music of Mendelssohn.

A wedding trip will include a visit to Rev. Runkle's home in this county.

A MONUMENT FOR CURTIN.

Marble Shaft Surmounted by a Statue of the War Governor.

A monument will be erected in the public square at Bellefonte to the memory of ex-Governor Andrew G. Curtin. The Grand Army Post has taken hold of the matter. It is proposed to build a \$25,000 marble monument, to be surmounted with a figure of Curtin. There will be four large emblematic figures in bronze at the corners, and a musket fence surrounding all. Many organizations have signified their intention of assisting in the erection, among which are the Union League, Loyal Legion, and the Pennsylvania Reserves.

Will Defend the Dubsites.

Judge A. O. Furst at the expiration of his term as President Judge of this district will commence his legal practice at once as attorney at the Centre County Bar by espousing the cause of the Dubsites in the Evangelical church fight in this county. This faction owns property to the amount of about \$200,000, and they refuse to surrender it to the Esherites, as the decision of the Supreme Court would seem to indicate they must. Judge Furst is of the opinion that the Dubsites can win their case in this county.

Death of Wm. Musser.

Pine Grove has lost one of its oldest and most esteemed citizens in the death of Mr. Wm. Musser, Sr., at his home at Pine Grove, on Wednesday of last week, October 24, which was due to a complication of diseases not now fully known. He was aged about seventy years, and was the father of six children, five of whom with the widow survive him.

Remember the Date

Don't forget the entertainment to be given by Miss Bessie Marguerite Swartz, elocutionist, in the Presbyterian church, on Friday evening, Nov. 9th. This promises to be a rare treat, and you cannot spend an evening more pleasantly than by going to hear her. The admission is so low that all will be able to attend, and you will consider your money well-spent, as such opportunities are rare.

Scholars Afflicted.

That troublesome and annoying disease, the whooping cough, has been epidemic among the scholars in our schools, and they are whooping it up for all that is in it. The directors should debar those afflicted from attending school and thus keep the schools from being broken up.

Great Calamity.

The Delaware and Hudson Coal company at Wilkesbarre, issued orders last week that on and after Monday next all their coal collieries would resume work on full time. They employ over ten thousand miners, laborers and outside hands. Vote for Singery, Nov. 6.

Farm Sold.

The Lydia Keller farm near Tusseyville, was sold by the late owner, Daniel C. Keller, to Samuel Flory. Mr. Flory in payment gives his two-story house and lot in this town, and \$1200 in money, for the farm.

Hogs Plenty.

Fattened hogs seem to be plenty in our valley this fall, there having been a scarcity of pork for the last three or four years. Dressed hogs are now selling at 6 cents per pound.

One big volley along the whole line, next Tuesday, Democrats.

WEATHER FORECAST.

Foster Tells of the Changes That Will Sweep Across the Continent.

My last bulletin gave forecasts of the storm wave to cross the continent from the 24th to 28th and the next will reach the Pacific coast about the 29th, cross the western mountains by close of the 30th, the great central valleys from 31st to Nov. 2 and the eastern states about Nov. 3.

This disturbance will be above the average in force and severe frosts reaching far into the cotton belt will follow it. The second storm wave of November will reach the Pacific coast about Nov. 4, cross the western mountains by close of the 5th, the great central valleys from 6th to 8th and the eastern states about the 9th.

This disturbance will be at its greatest force in the eastern states about the 9th and the cool wave will be most severe in the Mississippi valley about the same time. Warm waves will cross the western mountains about Oct. 29 and Nov. 5, the great central valleys about Oct. 31 and Nov. 6 and the eastern states about Nov. 2 and 8.

Cool waves will cross the eastern mountains about Nov. 1 and 7, the great central valleys 3d and 9th, and the eastern states about 5th and 11th.

The first half of November will be generally stormy, with indications of an early winter that will not be realized, for November will average warm and dry. This, however, will be only the general average of the whole United States. My local calculations for rainfall and temperature of November are not completed, but I will give what these incomplete calculations appear to indicate for November.

For the northeastern states, including all north of the Potomac and east of the Alleghenies, the temperature of the month will average from three to five degrees above the normal, and the rainfall from one to three inches below.

My calculations for the southern states are not far enough along to be reliable, but probabilities seem to indicate that both temperature and rainfall will be below the average. Important factors were lacking in making the calculations for the above forecasts, and readers should not expect them to be verified, but the probabilities are with the forecasts as made and they indicate what the style of my predictions will be beginning with the month of January, 1895.

On less complete calculations I based my general forecasts for October and up to this writing, October 20, the predictions have been most remarkably well verified.

Fishy Bear Story.

A story is going the rounds of outside newspapers that bears are so numerous in the lower end of the valley, as to eat up the crops, and that all hands are obliged to be out in the fields to kill and drive off the bears. This bear story is bare bosh, an occasional bruin may be seen, and perhaps one or two killed, which is a common thing every fall, and that's all. The fellow who got up this story must have seen bears instead of snakes under a poker attack.

Anti-License Leagues.

The Huntingdon Local News says that anti-license leagues are being organized extensively throughout that county, the members of which, irrespective of party, are pledged to support no candidate for president judge who is not unconditionally pledged to grant no license to sell intoxicants during his term of office. Prominent men of all political parties are said to be actively engaged in the work.

Dubsites Decide to Fight.

The Dubsites portion of the Evangelical church in this county have now concluded not to submit to the recent decision of the supreme court granting the Esherites all the church property. They mean to make a fight for the property at Bellefonte, which is valued at several hundred thousand dollars.

Arrested for Counterfeiting.

Constable McFeeley, acting as a special detective under U. S. Marshal Walker, arrested in Snyder county John Zimmerman and Wilson Ferry on the charge of counterfeiting and having moulds in their possession. They were taken to Altoona and given a hearing before United States Commissioner Graffius. Zimmerman is said to be a wealthy farmer.

That New Fair.

There has been a lull in the new fair movement, but Bellefonte papers assure us the matter is not dead and will be pressed forward after the election excitement has died off. Any ground near Bellefonte will cost a precious sum and will be the heavy item to surmount. Hasn't Bellefonte got a man with a fat purse to step into the enterprise and with true nobility donate a sum sufficient to pay for the ground?

Agricultural Institute.

An agricultural institute will be held at Millheim December 6th and 7th, next. An institute will also be held at Port Matilda December 4th and 5th.

Democrats, get out the whole vote next Tuesday.

PLOUGHED UP A LOST TREASURE.

Large Sum of Money Buried During the Revolution.

A large number of coins were ploughed up on the farm of I. M. Harvey, in Bald Eagle Valley, near Curtin's Works. The coins are silver and copper, of English, Dutch, and French issue. All are dated previous to 1779. They were ploughed up in a radius of about eight feet. It is supposed there might have been a keg full that had been buried suddenly in the time of the Revolutionary war, in anticipation of a raid by the Indians, and that the settler either was killed or forgot to mark the spot.

Praiseworthy.

During Col. Singery's short stay at Bellefonte Saturday morning last, Col. Fred Reynolds embraced the opportunity to do the handsome by taking the distinguished standard bearer of the Democracy, around the capital of our county, and pointing out to him its enterprises. Fred had his elegant team and carriage ready for this treat and it was appreciated by the great editor and candidate for governor. Col. Reynolds is the one citizen of Bellefonte who evinces the right kind of spirit towards distinguished visitors and makes them feel at home.

Favored by Weather.

Good weather favored our farmers this year in the housing of all their crops, a thing unusual, and we know of no year in which the weather was so favorable for haymaking and harvesting of wheat, oats and corn. The hay crop was taken in without a sprinkle of rain, which we never knew to be the case in any previous year. The wheat ripened, was cut, and hauled into the barns without damage by rain. Next came the oats crop, which is seldom harvested without some of it being bleached by rain, except this year, not a shower having moistened it. We now see the end of corn husking; there was one rain, but it did not hurt it, as a clear-up soon dried it, and it went into the cribs in fine condition.

Duty—Rain or Shine.

Democrats of Centre, and of the state, next Tuesday, Nov. 6, is election day. Turn out, and do your duty towards an excellent ticket. Don't remain at home, but be at the polls.

—Price, quality and style are prominent factors when you are buying clothing. Purchasers will find these to their advantage at Lewins, Bellefonte. No shoddy in the house.

COULDN'T MAKE OUT A CASE.

A Centre County Young Man Proves His Innocence of a Charge of Swindling.

Thomas C. Lucas, the young stenographer who was arrested in Scranton on October 19, and taken to Valparaiso, Ind., on the charge of having swindled the grandmother of a former sweetheart out of \$2,750, has returned to his home in this county.

The commonwealth failed to establish a case against Lucas, as he was able to show that the money had been legitimately invested along with a sum of his own and lost. Lucas will probably return to Scranton, where he has a profitable engagement in the school of mines and engineering.

A Good Remedy.

Dr. Boon's Prescription, the remedy for diphtheria, manufactured by the Centre Hall Diphtheria Medicine Company, is rapidly adding new cures to its large list, and wherever given a trial has been successful in completely eradicating this dreadful disease. It is also an excellent remedy for all throat diseases and for colds and hoarseness has no superior. The sales of the remedy last year were large and are increasing. In this valley the cures were many which is positive proof that the remedy is of universal merit. It is sold at only 50 cents per bottle.

No Crime to Jump a Board Bill.

According to a decision just rendered by Judge Barker, of Cambria county, it is not a crime to jump a board bill in Pennsylvania if no false pretense has been resorted to. George Hoover, of Johnstown, skipped a board bill last week and was sentenced to thirty days in jail for it by Justice of the Peace Burkett, of Morrellville. The Cambria county commissioners made a test case out of it, took out a writ of habeas corpus and had Hoover taken before Judge Barker, who decided he had committed no crime under the law and was therefore illegally imprisoned, so he was discharged.

Rain Storm.

A rain storm set in on Tuesday night and continued on Wednesday with high winds; it rained quite hard at times, and there is a chilliness in the air. The streams can stand it and most all out-door farmwork in done, and a setting in of bad weather will find pretty nearly all prepared for it.

Warm sunshine set in Wednesday afternoon.

—A dollar's worth of goods for your dollar is the medium of exchange a Lewins, Bellefonte.

Marriage Licenses.

The following marriage licenses have been granted the past week: James W. Grubb, of Milesburg, and Mary Jane Meese, of Bellefonte. David C. Bohn, of Harris township, and Sarah J. Wert, of Potter township.

J. W. Pressler and Maggie B. Breon, of Millheim. Wm. J. Sackett and Rose Shiesl, of Phillipsburg.

Homor Decker and Gertrude O'Brian, of State College.

W. C. Holt and M. E. Burns, of Julian.

GRAIN MARKET.

Wheat..... 52
Rye..... 50
Corn..... 45
Oats new..... 25
Barley..... 35
Buckwheat..... 45

PRODUCE AT STORES.

Butter..... 20
Eggs..... 16
Lard..... 10
Shoulders..... 12
Ham..... 16
Tallow..... 4
Potatoes..... 4
Sides..... 8

Lower Than Wilson Bill Prices

Panic Prices Not In it With Ours

Our line is the largest and most varied in the county.

We will always guarantee you the lowest prices consistent with quality.

Dress Goods, our stock includes the very latest styles, besides carrying the largest line of black goods.

Table with 3 columns: Our Price, Others Price, Item. Items include Pretty Little Brownies, 2 cakes Castile Soap, Lead P. nails, per dozen, Homespun plain, Brown and black, White Quilting Flannel, Txi sisters, Men's Half Hose, seamless, All Wool Blue Dress Flannel, 3 cakes Grandpa's Wonder Soap, Few more Ladies' Bk hose, 50, Percales, 10c, Table Covers, 9c, Irish Lawns, 12 1/2c.

Come to see us or write for samples.

Garman's Store.

Bellefonte, Pa.

NEVER BEFORE

In the history of the Mercantile trade was such an opportunity afforded for purchasing goods.

== The Low Tariff Prices ==

Still Prevail.

Ten Dollar Suits, now at 6.50 Six Dollar Suits, now at 4.25
Eight " " " 5.00 Five " " " 3.50
Seven " " " 4.50 Four " " " 3.25

Black Cheviot Suits, that were 12.00, now 8.50
Black Cheviot Suits, that were 8.00, now 6.50
Same that were 10.00 " 7.50 Same that were 7.00, " 5.00

BOYS' SUITS AWAY BELOW PAR.

\$10 Suits, now at \$6.00
8 " " " 5.00
7 " " " 4.50
6 " " " 4.25
5 " " " 3.50

Extraordinary Reductions in Ladies' and Children's Shoes!

\$3.50 Ladies' Hand-made Fine Dongola Button Shoes, now \$2.50
3.00 " " " " " 2.30
2.00 " Fine Dongola Button Shoes, " 1.50
1.75 " " " " " 1.25
1.50 " " " " " 1.00

The above are all first-class goods, best stock and fine workmanship, and excellent wearing qualities.

Men's Good, Solid, Working Shoe, 1.00
" " " " " 1.25
" " " " " 1.50

Douglas Shoes Reduced as Follows:

Five Dollar Shoes, now \$4.00
Four " " " 3.50
Three " " " 2.75
Same extraordinary reductions in Boys' Shoes of same manufacture.

LYON & CO.,

Bellefonte, Penna.

Strictly All-Wool Heavy Knee Pants for Boys 4 to 14 Years. at 50 Cents.

Boys' All Wool Knee Pants, worth \$1.00--now 50 cents.

Boys' Heavy Knee Pants, worth 40 cents, now 25 cents.