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THE NEW RACKET

No. 9-11 Crider's Exchange, Bellefonte.

After reading all advertisements, it's no wonder if you could hardly make up your mind, as to the best place to do your shopping in Bellefonte.

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

YOUR DAUGHTER

Would be delighted with one of our beautiful Gold Watches, or perhaps she would be pleased with a nice Solid Gold Ring.

IT SEEMS a pity to sacrifice our Fine Cream and Black Laces. They are all silk and some beautiful patterns, but they must go, and that very soon, so do not delay.

ALL OUR latest open work Embroideries are now thrown out at a mere song. You certainly can use some.

THE GOODS are moving rapidly. Come quickly or you will be left.

W. T. MEYER,

Bush Arcade, Bellefonte. Two doors from postoffice.

Died in Pueblo, Colorado.

Louis Kurtz, forty years ago a resident of Aaronsburg, having left there for Rochester, N. Y., where he published a tri-weekly paper, died on Saturday, 23, at Pueblo, Col.

He Was a Wholesale Fraud.

Several days ago a man arrived at Bellefonte, registered himself as "H. M. Snelling, Pittsburg, Pa." He rented a storeroom for the purpose, as he stated, of opening a wholesale grocery, and induced a number of clerks to leave their regular employments to hire with him at larger salaries.

A Bullet's Wide Range.

Willie Rees, a Bellefonte boy was walking along the street with a tin bucket in his hand when something struck the bucket and fell at his feet. Picking it up he found it was a bullet.

Died from an Operation.

Daniel Gallagher, plumber, of Bellefonte, for several years was troubled with a serious abscess of the stomach. He went to Philadelphia to have the tumor removed and the operation at first seemed a success, but a few days after he broke down from its effects and died.

Proctor Meyers Ill.

Proctor Meyers, one of Lock Haven's oldest and best known citizens, was stricken with paralysis Monday afternoon and his condition was such as to be alarming to his friends. He is 82 years of age.

Lock Haven Curb Market.

Butter 25, eggs 25, potatoes 25 to 30, onions 25 per peck, lard 9 and 10, apples 40 and 50, turkey 9 and 10 per lb. live weight, chickens 50 and 60 per pair, dressed 30 and 35 each, ducks 30 each dressed, cabbage 5 per head, celery 3 stalks for 10 cents.

COURT NEWS

WHAT IS BEING DONE IN THE TEMPLE OF JUSTICE.

Cases Tried and Verdicts.—Findings of the Grand Jury.—Civil and Commonwealth Cases.

Court called at nine o'clock on Monday morning with Hon. John G. Love and Associate Judge Faulkner on the bench. Considerable time was taken up by the different members of the bar in presenting petitions and motions. The list of grand jurors was called and 21 answered to their names.

After the reading of these minutes speeches were made by Hon. A. O. Furst, Ellis L. Orvis and Hon. John G. Love, after which court adjourned at 11 o'clock till 2 in the afternoon.

Of the ex-Associate Judges of the Centre county court, these are living: Hon. Samuel Frank, of Rebersburg; Hon. Chester Munson, of Phillipsburg, and Hon. Thomas F. Riley of Boalsburg.

Court convened at two o'clock. List of traverse jurors called and forty-four answered to their names and several jurors were then excused on account of sickness.

The afternoon session, until after three o'clock, was then consumed in hearing petitions and motions in the Orphan's Court.

The following civil cases were then disposed of before taking up the quarter session's list.

Geo. W. Campbell vs. Wm. Wolf; continued at the costs of the defendant.

Mary McCullum vs. Overseer of the Poor of Boggs twp.; non-suit entered.

S. Lind Fox vs. H. P. Korman; judgment confessed in favor of the plaintiff for \$54.94.

E. Joseph, S. Joseph and H. Holtz, trading as Joseph Bros. & Co., vs. Wm. F. Reber; judgment confessed in favor of plaintiffs for \$139.55.

S. L. Ehle vs. H. P. Korman; judgment confessed in favor of plaintiff for \$27.27.

Lyon & Co. vs. Rosanna Miller; judgment confessed in favor of plaintiff for \$31.47.

National Wall Paper Co. vs. H. P. Korman; judgment confessed in favor of the plaintiff for \$30.59.

Wainright & Co. vs. H. P. Korman; judgment confessed in favor of the plaintiff for \$39.06.

The first case called was Com. vs. Harry Frantz, of Sandy Ridge; charge horse stealing, prosecutor Thomas Huey, of Stormstown, verdict not guilty.

Com. vs. Amos Parsons, of Bellefonte; charge larceny by baillee; prosecutor John D. Sourbeck; verdict on Tuesday morning of guilty.

Com. vs. Thomas McMonigal, of Taylor twp. charge betrayal; prosecutrix Mary Belle Newman; verdict not guilty and costs divided equally between the defendant and the prosecutrix.

Com. vs. James Witmer, Benner twp.; charge, assault; prosecutor Geo. Robb; verdict, guilty of assault; sentenced to pay a fine of \$1 and the cost of prosecution.

Com. vs. John Johnson, of Milesburg; charge, betrayal; prosecutrix Martha Crossmire; verdict guilty.

The next was a civil case, that of Wm. A. Ishler vs. Samuel Frantz; this case is brought to recover for costs on two writs which Mr. Ishler had while sheriff of Centre county against W. F. Richards; verdict in favor of plaintiff for \$19.36.

TUESDAY AFTERNOON.

Com. vs. A. G. Archey; charge first count assault and battery, second count aggravated assault and battery; prosecutor Edward Bubb; verdict on Wednesday morning of not guilty and defendant to pay one half the costs and prosecutor the other half.

Sanford Newman vs. Thomas Merzmann; settled.

Lawrence Bathurst vs. Ezekiel Confer; settled.

This leaves one more civil case open for this week.

Com. vs. Wm. Colyer, charge first count, assault and battery, second count, aggravated assault and battery; prosecutor Chas. A. Bottorf

Stave Mill Burned.

Noah Ream, of Farmer's Mills, had a stave mill at Hublersburg, which was destroyed by fire on Wednesday night of last week. Think it was set on fire. Loss between one and two hundred dollars. No insurance.

Must Take Out a License.

Undertakers under a law which goes into effect December 7, must take out a license. They are required to register and pay a license fee of \$25 to conduct that business.

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DEATH OF JOHN MCCOY.

The Aged Gentleman Expires on Tuesday Morning.

John McCoy, Potter's Mills oldest and most respected resident, died on last Tuesday morning after an illness of several weeks following soon upon the lacerating of one of his hands that had been caught by a corn husking machine. The funeral takes place Friday morning. Interment at Centre Hill cemetery. His age was about 78 years.

The deceased was a man of quiet disposition and of few words which meant what he said; he was possessed of sound judgment and conservative in his views, the unflinchingly standing by the right. His life was one of devotion to his family, and was close in attention to his duties, amassing a competency that left him comfortable in his old days. He was about the last of Potter's Mills old residents, and the head of a respected and widely known family.

Mr. McCoy was a farmer all his lifetime and a gentleman of stern integrity, and a valuable helper in the Presbyterian church. His wife died nearly a year ago. There survive him two sons, John and Alexander, and three daughters, Mrs. Sartain of Mercersburg, Mrs. J. W. Wolf of Centre Hall, and Miss Emma remaining at the old homestead.

The Gentzel Hunting Party.

The Gentzel hunting party returned on Saturday from a two weeks' hunt in the Clearfield "Green woods," and brot home four fine deer killed by them. The party consisted of eight hunters, Harter of the Gazette being one, who killed the first deer, a large buck, the second day out. The other three were shot later by one of the party from Pleasant Gap. This was better luck than any other party met with this fall. The same party were out a few weeks previous but came back without any venison.

The Pleasant Gap hunter, who put lead into three of these deer, was William Rossman, killing the one and wounding the other two which was followed by shots from hunter-editor Harter that brot them down—Tom, of course, always shoots to kill. The leader of the party was that whole-souled prince of a farmer, Benjamin Gentzel, who always leads his party to good luck. The finale of the story is, we can vouch for its truth for the "Reporter" was the recipient of choice slices of the venison.

Getting Beautifully Less.

Mrs. Samuel Rowe, living at the upper end of town, whose husband is absent in the employ of a Chicago firm, had a flock of 100 fine chickens, raised during the summer, and these during this fall have dwindled down to 6 all told. As none of 'em flew off, nor did she sell any nor decapitate any for her own table, the query is how the fowls grow thus beautifully less?

Again, Dr. Jacobs had taken in about a dozen bushels of wheat and stored it in boxes in his barn, with only a little left, this wheat has got off, and it is certain Mrs. Rowe's six pullets didn't eat it.

May Check the Thistle.

The Canada thistle runs deep roots and needs deep-down moisture to keep it growing. The present drought has gone deep into the earth which deprives the thistle root of its nourishment, thus killing some and checking the growth of others, and with a little vigorous fighting on the part of farmers much could be done now to destroy this greatest of all our weed pests. The drought may have been a good thing in this line while it has caused much suffering for want of water.

More Severe Winter Signs.

Signs multiply all over the country that the coming winter is to arrive early, be severe and last a long time. Big flocks of wild geese have been leaving Michigan for their winter quarters during the last week or so, considerably ahead of schedule time, and this the old settlers regard as a certain weather sign.

The Biggest Porker

Samuel Frederick, of Farmers Mills, called at this office, and reports that he killed a hog which dressed 527 pounds. Our friend Frederick will now please walk up head and stay there until some one comes along and traps him with a hog that will dress over 527. It is now Farmers Mills against the county.

The Fall Registration.

The books and other documents for making the fall registration of voters and of births and deaths will soon be in the hands of the assessors. The assessors will begin making the registration on the first Monday in December.

Home Prices.

Beef is selling at 6c. Pork is reported down to 4 1/2 per lb. Potatoes 18 in cash, 20 in trade. Wheat, 60 cts. Corn in the ear 35.

Buy Bull for Meat

S. W. Smith, of Centre Hall, offers for sale a fine six months old Jersey bull calf, both dam and sire are Maryland stock. He is a fine animal and bears inspection.

TEACHER'S INSTITUTE.

To be Held in the Court House Beginning Dec. 16th.

The annual institute of the public school teachers of Centre county will be held in the court house, in Bellefonte, during the week beginning Monday, December 16th and concluding Friday morning.

The instructors who have been secured are, Dr. J. P. Grady, professor of psychology and pedagogy, of Ohio University; Dr. Byron W. King, president King's school of oratory, elocution and dramatic culture, Pittsburg, Pa.; Dr. A. R. Horne, editor of National Educator, Allentown, Pa.; Supt. Jas. M. Coughlin, Wilkesbarre, Pa.; Prof. Chas. H. Albert, State Normal school, Bloomsburg, Pa.; Miss Margaret McCloskey, principal training department of the Lock Haven State Normal school; Prof. I. D. Gresh, musical conductor, Milton, Pa.

The evening entertainments will be as follows: Tuesday evening Dr. A. R. Horne, of Allentown will lecture, subject "Push and Pull." Wednesday Dr. Byron W. King, president of the Pittsburg school of oratory, will hold the boards. Thursday evening the New York male quartette will sing and on Monday evening there will be entertainment arranged by the friends of temperance.

Broken Again.

Samuel Wagner, of Potter, some 3 months ago, fell and struck his knee on a stone, breaking the kneecap in three places, which was in a fair way to heal. A few days ago, by another fall the cap was again broken and he finds it necessary to be in the hands of Philadelphia doctors for repairs.

Mr. Wagner's first mishap occurred one night at Bellwood, Pa., while in the employ of the electric light works, where one of the men came in contact with a live electric light wire and was knocked down. Wagner not knowing what to do, started to call one of the bosses living near, and fell over a bank along the railroad, his knee striking a stone. The second mishap occurred a short time ago, while in Mifflin county, as he was walking the injured limb gave way and he dropped to the ground, renewing the old fractures.

Prominent Citizen Dead.

Mr. George Eckel, who had been lingering near death's door for several days from a stroke of apoplexy, died on Monday morning at four o'clock, at his home at Pine Grove Mills. Judging from Mr. Eckel's daily life, he was a devoted christian and one who was ever willing to lend a helping hand in time of need. He was also a member of the G. A. R. Post No. 272. The funeral services were conducted by Rev. Black, of Boalsburg, on Wednesday at 10.30 a. m. The deceased was aged 65 years.—Centre Democrat.

Real Estate Sold.

The old homestead farm of Daniel Bartges, in Gregg twp., was sold to Robert Hettinger, for \$3240.

The Boyer timber tract along Brush mountain in Gregg twp., was sold to George Gentzel, for \$300, and he will put a mill on soon for the manufacture of lumber.

Hiram Cain sold a lot to Daniel Gensel, three acres with buildings, for \$600, also in Gregg twp.

Made an Assignment.

We are sorry to learn that Samuel Lewin, the well-known clothing merchant of Bellefonte, on Saturday evening felt obliged to make an assignment for the benefit of his creditors. Mr. Lewin was strictly honest with all who dealt with him, sold goods at an honest profit and never willfully misrepresented an article; and if there was any complaint, which was rare, he was ready to refund. We trust he will have his difficulties so arranged as to be able to continue in business. We know he has the sympathy of all.

Railroaders Must be of Age.

The Pennsylvania railroad company is determined that an immediate end must be put to the possibility of suits arising from injuries sustained by employees who were under age. A few days ago nine young men under twenty-one, who were working on the work train at Altoona, were promptly discharged. It is said that this rule is to be strictly enforced throughout the entire system in the future.

Cars in Use.

Before the close of the present year the Pennsylvania lines will have 50,000 freight cars of their own, besides the line cars, refrigerator cars and stock cars the Pennsylvania lines are interested in.

Five Changes.

There will be five changes of the moon in December; full moon on the second, last quarter on the 9th, new moon the 16th, first quarter 24th, full moon the 31st.

Caught a Big Fish.

Davy Meyer writes from Charleston he went out to sea fishing, and caught a fish three feet long and weighing 17 pounds. Judas-priest, Dave, we hosht Sella raus 'kricked?

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Local Jottings.

This being Thanksgiving, union services were held in the Lutheran church in the forenoon, a sermon suited to the occasion was preached by Rev. Eisenberg; music by a choir composed by members of the different choirs of the town.

No pork weights have yet been reported to this office that get ahead of George Durst.

Turkeys are plenty among farmers but are only bringing 5cts. per pound live weight.

Wednesday was cold enough again for a freeze.

Thursday night, 21, we had the first snow this fall, nearly 1 inch in depth.

The recent rains have not as yet replenished the wells and springs to any great extent.

Bring your job work to the Reporter office for a good job at low prices. Circulars, sale posters, letter and bill heads, fine wedding invitations, envelopes, &c., printed on short notice.

Union County Deaths.

The Lewisburg Journal has these recent deaths: Near Montandon, Milo Fairchild, aged 23 years, 9 months.

At West Milton, Nov. 12, Elizabeth, wife of Seth Divil, aged 50 years.

At New Columbia, Nov. 11, Hanna, wife of Geo. Ginter, aged 63 years.

Near Dryvalley Roads, Nov. 14, W. Beaver, aged 62 years.

In Lewisburg, Nov. 18, Mrs. Angeline Ritter, aged 83 years.

In Mifflinburg, Nov. 13, Charles W. Swineford, aged 43 years.

Holiday Presents.—Here is a Complete List.

Neck Wear, Suit Cases, Satchels, Umbrellas, Hats, Toques, Mufflers, Trunks, Telescopes, Mackintoshes, Cans, Golf Caps, Girls Caps, Cuff Buttons, Fur Gloves, Kid Gloves, Foot Ball suits, Scotch Gloves, Boys Gloves, Hosiery, Underwear, Belts, Sporting Goods, Silk and Linen Handkerchiefs, Sweaters, Bicycle Hose, House Coats, Overcoats, Men's, Boys', and Children's Clothing Ready Made and Made to Order.

MONTGOMERY & CO.

Mifflin County Deaths.

In Decatur twp., widow of Israel Erb, aged 85 years.

In Lewistown, widow of Peter Townsend, aged 79 years.

In Decatur twp., widow of Henry Yetter, aged 28 years.

—Lyon & Co. have made a still further reduction in all lines. They publish their prices, and you get the same at their store.

THE GLOBE.

DRY GOODS AND MILLINERY

Something New in Corsets

We have the sole agency in Bellefonte for the celebrated

AMERICAN LADY AND MODEL FORM CORSETS.

The manufacturers of these Corsets guarantee to improve the figure of any lady who will constantly wear this Corset.

THEY ARE UNSURPASSED FOR BEAUTY.

And their wear well qualities are excellent. Prices very reasonable, \$1.00 and \$1.25.

Away beyond our expectations has been our success on the Special Overcoat Sale.

Over 100 were sold during the first three days of our sale. Purchasers were all pleased with their bargains.

We Are Selling The Very Best Overcoats...

At 50 Cents on the Dollar!

The assortment is large and we will save you five dollars on your overcoat purchase.

KATZ & CO., LIMITED. Bellefonte, Pa.