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THE CENTRE REPORTER, with this issue, enters its sixty-ninth year, and extends the compliments of the season—a Happy New Year—to all its readers.

We are proud of the honorable record of this journal, proud of its usefulness and the good it has accomplished in Centre county. That was our aim in the past and will be our aim in the future. It is pleasing to know that we have so conducted the REPORTER as to gain for it the confidence, respect and support of the people of our county.

Under our future editorial management this paper will stand for the right upon all questions—and we simply ask that the people continue to stand by us in return. A disastrous fire a few years ago, destroyed for us the savings of a life-time, and left us to battle under a financial strain that few would have faced with the same motto, Our creditors first.

Fred Kurtz, jr., long an assistant upon this journal, will be associated with us in the paper—Fred Kurtz & Fred Kurtz, jr., Editors and Publishers.

THERE will be no pardon for the thief Bardsley. Had there been no cry against a pardon from the press and people of the state, he might now be a free man.

STUDY the character of the men who ask you to support them for office before promising them that you will vote for them. If the candidates are men of honor and probity, without any stain upon their public character, they are worthy your support. If there is anything in their past public life that does not meet with your approval, it is your right as an American citizen to refuse to support them.

EVERYBODY knows that Philadelphia is a Republican city—a city in which the Republican party has controlled the government continuously by great majorities. This is a picture of municipal misgovernment, corruption, protection of vice and crime, protection of fraud at the polls, demoralization of the young, and subjection of respectable citizens to the forces of immorality, in a city ruled now, as it has been for many years, by the Republican party, and the picture is drawn by a Republican committee and a Republican press.

THE Republicans in congress propose to pass a new tariff measure providing for a duty on wool and woolen goods. The proposed bill was opposed by the Democratic members of the house ways and means committee, but the Republicans decided to report the measure to the house. The Democrats claim that the woolen tariff is not necessary. It is certain that if wool is taxed the price of clothing will advance and the era of shoddy will again be inaugurated. The woolen manufacturers do not ask for a duty on wool, but the sheep raisers of Ohio demand it, and the Republicans cannot afford to oppose the wishes of the voters of Ohio.

THE Monroe doctrine, about which so much has been said recently, was enunciated by President James Monroe in his message to congress December, 1823. It is as follows:

"We owe it, therefore, to candor and to the amicable relations existing between the United States and the allied powers to declare that we should consider any attempt on their part to extend their system to any portion of this hemisphere as dangerous to our peace and safety. With the existing colonies or dependencies of any European power we have not interfered and shall not interfere, but with the governments who have declared their independence and maintained it, and whose independence we have, on great considerations and just principles, acknowledged, we could not view an interposition for the purpose of oppressing them or controlling in any other manner their destiny (by any European power) in any other light than as a manifestation of an unfriendly disposition toward the United States."

**Wanted.**

100,000 split oak, and hickory spokes wanted. Call or address.

W. W. BOOB, Centre Hall, Pa.

**Clothing at Sacrifice Prices.**

A full supply of men's and boys' clothing at sacrifice prices, on account of sheriff's sale, at the old Philadelphia Branch. Never a chance like it for bargains in or out of Bellefonte, like at the old Lewins stand.

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**TRIAL LIST.**

For January Term of Court Beginning on Monday 28th.

For the first week of January court, commencing on Monday, January 28, 1896:

Jason Underwood vs. J. Willis Hoover et al.  
Geo. W. Campbell vs. Wm. Wolf.  
Elias Walk vs. Vinton Beckwith.  
Bernheim Bros vs. Wm. Parker.  
Overseer Poor Bellefonte vs. Overseer Poor Spring twp.  
T. B. Buddinger vs. John Gunsalus.

J. W. Showalter vs. D. R. Thomas.  
E. R. Holmes vs. Manhattan Club.  
Jas. Shaeffer vs. C. R. R. Company of Pa.

Borough of Millheim vs. J. H. Reifnyder.

H. A. Moore vs. Hannah Stull.  
Hannah E. Grove vs. D. P. Shafer.  
Dewalt, Weirshoff & Co., vs. Wm. Parker.

Mary V. Hale et al vs. Jenkins & Lingle.

D. R. Foreman vs. Jacob Smith administrator.

Henry Stoner vs. Jacob Smith administrator.

Harry Rupert vs. Samuel Hagan.

Albert M. Womelsdorf, of Logan Mills, Clinton county, and Lizzie C. Fram, of Maron township.

**SECOND WEEK.**

Mary S. Gordon vs. Jos. R. Muffly.

Wm. P. Rishel and Rachael Ocker vs. American Ins. Co.

Wm. L. McDowell vs. G. S. Flegal.

W. A. Hartsock vs. W. F. Reeder et al.

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Hezekiah Ewing vs. G. W. McWilliams.

Michael Cameron vs. O. L. Schoonover et al.

Geo. W. Campbell vs. Geo. F. McMullen.

Fred Decker et al vs. Andrew Lytle.

Sugar Manufacturing company, vs Wm. Benner.

Michael Canaran vs. O. L. Schoonover et al.

John Holand vs Ed Hughes et al.

S. Wilson & Co. vs. Brandman & Gufand.

Jas. Ross vs. Cent. & K. T. R. Co.

W. S. Biglow vs O P Phillipsburg boro.

W. J. McGowan adm'r vs. Mary J. Donovan.

Thomas Barnes vs L. C. Brinton.

Wm. H. Taylor & Co. vs Wm. Parker.

Wm. Noll, adm'r vs Samuel Noll Jr.

Use of J. H. Taylor vs James A. Lingle.

James F. Weaver vs Dwelling House Ins. Co.

Susan Miles vs Boro of Milesburg et al.

Wm. J. Thompson vs. Wm. Parker et al.

W. F. Reynolds vs. Margaret Brockerhoff et al.

A. G. Curtin et al vs Joseph L. Neff et al.

Thomas Watson vs J. M. Green administrator.

McClam & Cook vs J. M. Green administrator.

**TRIBUTE OF RESPECT.**

Whereas, It has pleased Almighty God in his allwise providence to remove from among us by the grim hand of death, J. H. Musser, a faithful and efficient director and agent of our company, The Farmers' Mutual Fire Insurance Company, of Centre county, Pa., and also a highly esteemed and respected citizen of the community.

Therefore, Resolved, By the directors of said Ins. Co., in session met Dec. 24th, 1895, that we bow in humble submission to God's will, knowing that he doeth all things well, and hereby tender our sincere sympathy to the friends and relatives of the departed in this their loss, directing them to the dispenser of life and death for refuge and consolation.

Resolved, That a copy of this action be entered on our minutes and be published in the CENTRE REPORTER.

J. C. SMITH,  
SAM'L GRAMLEY,  
H. B. HERRING.

**Reduction Sale.**

Eclipsing our great Fire Sale of 1894, when we sold great quantities of goods in a short space of time. Stock is in much better condition—prices are lower, values are greater. No reasonable man expects to buy All Wool Suits, and All Wool Overcoats for the prices quoted for Shoddy and Satinets. We expect to get your trade—when you are through being deceived, and have your eyes opened. Clothing is our business.

**MONTGOMERY & Co.**

For a pain in the chest a piece of flannel dampened with Chamberlain's Pain Balm and bound on over the seat of the pain, and another on the back between the shoulders, will afford prompt relief. This is especially valuable in cases where the pain is caused by a cold and there is a tendency toward pneumonia. For sale by Wm. Pealer, Spring Mills; J. M. Swartz, Tusseyville, and R. E. Bartholomew, Centre Hall.

**At Sheriff Sale Prices.**

All goods formerly in the Philadelphia Branch store, clothing to suit men and boys of all ages and sizes, at sacrifice prices, a big supply and must be sold. Now for real bargains.

**DANIEL BARTGES.**

Died at His Home in Spring Mills on the 21st of December.

After an illness of some months, Daniel Bartges, a highly esteemed citizen of Spring Mills departed this life at an early hour on the morning of the 21st, and was interred in the cemetery at Rebersburg on the 24th. The funeral was largely attended. The deceased was for many years a very prominent and influential farmer of Penns valley, but of late years, owing to increasing infirmities and advancing age has lived a very retired life.

Four children survive him, two sons and two daughters. His wife, a very affectionate and highly accomplished lady, deceased about twelve or fifteen years ago, a bereavement from which he never fully recovered. Frequently when speaking of his farm, home, or incidentally referring to her his loss would be vividly recalled, and a shade of sorrow would seem to pass over his aged brow.

The deceased was an active farmer from his youth; busy on his wide acres early and late and ceased only when age admonished him and called a halt, with the reminder that he had journeyed through life's uneven road almost his three score years and ten. With a name and reputation unsullied, honorable and reliable in all his business transactions, his word circulated like current gold. A thorough farmer and polished gentleman; one of the old school, affable, kind and generous, liberal almost to a fault; none knew him but to love him.

No man, woman or child ever appealed to him in vain for aid; he was ever ready to assist the deserving and unfortunate, would part with his last coin, even deny himself, if he could cause poverty to smile or soothe the sick man's pillow. No ostentation marked his acts of charity and kindness; no vain show, for his left hand knew not what his right hand did; but these noble deeds were registered by the Recording Angel, to be revealed only on that last great day, which will be the ending of all that is; and those whom he befriended with such willing, generous hand, his decease will cause them many a silent tear.

Never more in this world will we behold his old familiar face and silvered locks, nor hear his kindly voice; all is hushed, all still; he sleeps in the city of the dead. We deeply sympathize with the family in their sad bereavement and we know how vain it is to try to soothe a grief like theirs with empty words.

Bitter, bitter tears will bedew the earth that covers his mortal remains from human sight; many times will his grave be visited by his dearly loved ones and there weep bitter tears that come not from the eyes. To these sad ones whose hearts are filled with grief and pain, let us point to that beautiful home beyond the stars, and persuade them to exclaim with us in the language of Him who died on Calvary, "Not my will oh Father, but Thine be done." C. C. C.

**Free Pills.**

Send your address to H. E. Bucklen & Co., Chicago, and get a free sample box of Dr. King's New Life Pills. A trial will convince you of their merits. These pills are easy in action and are particularly effective in the cure of consumption and sick headache. For malaria and liver troubles they have been proved invaluable. They are guaranteed to be perfectly free from every deleterious substance and to be purely vegetable. They do not weaken by their action, but by giving tone to stomach and bowels greatly invigorate the system. Regular size 25c. per box. Sold by J. D. Murray.

**Sheriff's Sale.**

Great bargains in all kinds of clothing at the Philadelphia Branch, a full line of men and boys' wear, at sheriff sale sacrifice prices. Bargains that beat anything known.

**SPECIFIC FOR SCROFULA.**

"Since childhood, I have been afflicted with scrofulous boils and sores, which caused me terrible suffering. Physicians were unable to help me, and I only grew worse under their care. At length, I began to take

**AYER'S** Sarsaparilla, and very soon grew better. After using half a dozen bottles I was completely cured, so that I have not had a boil or pimple on any part of my body for the last twelve years. I can cordially recommend Ayer's Sarsaparilla as the very best blood-purifier in existence."—G. T. REINHART, Myersville, Texas.

**AYER'S THE ONLY WORLD'S FAIR Sarsaparilla**  
Ayer's Cherry Pectoral cures Coughs and Colds

**LINDEN HALL.**

Interesting News Items Gathered by Our Correspondent.

Mr. Lucian Spicher who had been on the sick list for some time is slowly improving.

Mrs. David Frantz has just returned from a trip to Blue Ball, Clearfield county, where she has been visiting among friends and reports having a good time.

Harry Swab, of Bellefonte, is visiting his grand parents at this place.

The railroad bridges on this section of the railroad have been undergoing repairs for the last week or two which will be quite an improvement when finished.

Miss Jennie Weible, of Watsontown who has been spending her holiday vacation under the parental roof will return to her school on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Farnor of Potters Mills were visiting friends in and around town a few days last week.

We have had several good rains of late which were needed very badly; nothing could have been more welcome at this season of the year.

The Christmas entertainment held by the United Evangelical Sunday school on Christmas evening was very good, and the children and young people are to be praised for the natural and easy way in which they performed their parts. Many thanks is due to the kind people of the community for so ably assisting the school in giving their chairs and benches. The school house was crowded and good order prevailed throughout the service.

Miss Mame Bradford and her brother Clyde, of Centre Hall were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. P. Bradford on Christmas.

On Sunday while the Sunday school was in the midst of the lesson the announcement was made that the house of Mr. Henry Zeigler was in flames; it created quite a commotion and Sunday school was broken up. Mr. Zeigler's family all being present but two; quite a number of men and boys started in conveyances for the place but when within a half mile of the home it was discovered that the alarm was false as it was about one mile south east of their home on the Alexander farm.

The singing class that had been organized by Prof. E. W. Crawford will have to be closed as the Dubsites have been locked out of the church and the class also consider themselves locked out and some of the directors will not allow the school house to be used at night.

A little stranger called at the home of Frank Weiland on Tuesday last; Frank says it is a little girl and has come to stay.

**G. A. R. COMMANDER**

Jas. S. Dean, Gen. Grant Post, Roundout, N. Y.

**CURED OF DYSPEPSIA.**

Commander Dean writes: "As Chief U. S. Mail Agent of the U. & D. R. R., good health is indispensable. I found myself however all run down with Dyspepsia. I doctored and doctored, but I grew worse. I suffered misery night and day for fully two years. My case was pronounced incurable. I chanced to meet Dr. Kennedy about that time, and told him of my condition and he said, try a bottle of

**DR. DAVID KENNEDY'S FAVORITE REMEDY**

take it morning, noon and night, and it will cure you. I took the medicine as directed, but had no confidence in a cure, as my case had been tried by so many. After using it a week I began to feel better, and in a short while after that I was entirely cured. That terrible distress, everything I ate, breaking up sour in my throat had all gone and I have not had a moment's discomfort since. Today there isn't a healthier man and my appetite is grand."

**CASH GOODS, CASH PRICES.**

Beginning January 1st, 1896, we will sell goods for cash only. No books or accounts will be kept.

**GOODS WILL BE SOLD AT SPOT CASH PRICES!**

Country produce will be taken in exchange.

**R. E. BARTHOLOMEW, Centre Hall.**

**COURT PROCLAMATION.**—Whereas the Hon. John G. Love, President Judge of the Court of Common Pleas of the 21st Judicial District, consisting of the counties of Centre and Huntingdon, and the Hon. C. A. Faulkner, and the Hon. Benjamin Rich, Associate Judges in Centre, having issued their precept bearing date the 29th day of Dec., 1895, to me directed for holding a Court of Oyer and Terminer and general Jail Delivery and Quarter Sessions of the Peace in Bellefonte for the county of Centre, and commencing on the 4th Monday of Jan., the 27th day of Jan., 1896, and to continue two weeks; Notice is hereby given to the Coroner, Justices of the Peace, Aldermen and Constables of said county of Centre, that they be then and there in the presence of the jury, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, with their records, inquisitions, examinations, and their own remembrances, to do those things which to their office appertain to be done, and those who are bound in recognizance to prosecute against the prisoners that are or shall be in the jail of Centre county, be then and there to prosecute against them as shall be just.

Given under my hand, at Bellefonte, the 29th day of Dec., in the year of our Lord, 1895, and the one hundredth and eighteenth year of the Independence of the United States.

JOHN P. CONDO, Sheriff.

**QUALITY....**

**Coupled With The Lowest Price Possible**

*Is exactly what you expect from US.  
Is exactly what is promised by US.  
Is exactly what you receive from US.*

**YOU WANT TO SAVE MONEY.**

**HERE IS A CHANCE.**

**Men's Suits, \$5.00.**

We will say nothing about the quality. Only that others ask for same goods \$7.50

**Men's Suits, \$7.50.**

Good honest wearing. Strictly All Wool Goods, in a dozen different styles. Considered cheap in other stores at \$12.00.

**Men's Suits, \$10.00.**

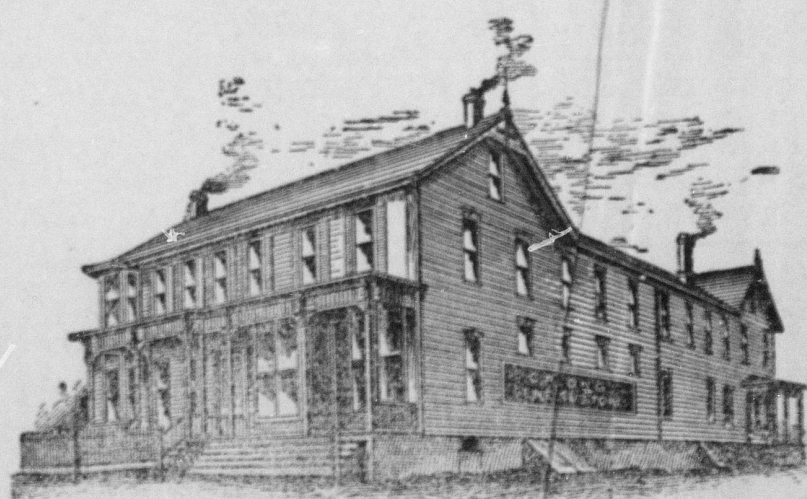
The very perfection of Dress Suits. Sacks or Cutaways. It will amuse you when others tell you how cheap their's (exactly the same goods) are at \$15 and \$18.

Overcoats, Boys' and Children's Suits, everything in the Clothing and Furnishing Goods line proportionately as cheap. See us and you will be sure to buy, and you will be sure to save money.

**FAUBLES.**

Men's Outfitters. Bellefonte.

**PENNS VALLEY BARGAIN STORE.**



**Mid Winter Sale.**

The cold weather is here. It will continue for some time. Protection from the cold blast is the first thought when Winter strikes you. And then where it can be secured with the least possible cash outlay. You will need Heavy Underwear, Heavy Clothing, Blankets, Mittens, Gloves and anything that will turn cold. You want good goods and you want it cheap, too. We have everything you will want. We sell it at figures that our competitors dare not think of. We propose to get rid of our immense stock, and have

**MARKED DOWN PRICES ON ALL GOODS!**

The goods must go, and the prices we intend selling them at will make them go with a rush. Do you need anything? If you do, get in the swim. Our fine line of Dress Goods will be sold at a sacrifice. We want you to have the benefit, what we want is the room, and will have it regardless of cost. Come while they last.

**C. P. LONG,** Spring Mills. State College.