

THE CENTRE REPORTER.

CENTRE HALL, PA., THURS. Oct. 8.

THE NEW RACKET

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

Taken as a whole, is easily the best as well as the largest store in Bellefonte and is particularly strong in the following departments:

DRESS GOODS representing the Botany Mills, we are at all times ready to show you goods fresh from the looms, that for quality, price style, speak for themselves. We also carry a complete line of "Gold Medal" specialties in Black only. They rank among the best of the world's products in Black Dress Fabrics.

Our Dress Lining and Trimming Department.

Is up to date, and great care is taken to sell only such material as will give proper style and results, as required in modern dressmaking.

Notions and Novelties.
Immense Variety, Latest Ideas, Standard Goods, Lowest Prices.

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

GOT WET, EH?

There is always a cause for an effect.

If the trouble was on account of not having a

GOOD UMBRELLA

We can prevent the re-occurrence of such a calamity if you will secure one of our new

GLORIA SILK UMBRELLAS.

We have just opened a beautiful assortment, prices to suit all classes, goods the very best to be had for the money. We have them for men and women. Want one?

W. T. MEYER,
Bellefonte.

LOW RATES.
Tour to the South via Pennsylvania Railroad.

The last of the very attractive early Autumn tours offered by the Pennsylvania Railroad will leave New York and Philadelphia October 13.

After the experience of the past few years it is hardly necessary to say that these outings are planned with the utmost care. Suffice it to say that all arrangements are so adjusted as to afford the best possible means of visiting each place to the best advantage.

The tour covers a period of ten days, and includes the battlefield of Gettysburg, picturesque Blue Mountain, Luray Caverns, Basic City, the National Bridge, Grottoes of the Shenandoah, the cities of Richmond and Washington, and Mt. Vernon.

The round-trip rate, including all necessary expenses, is \$55 from New York, \$53 from Philadelphia, and proportionate rates from other points.

The tour will be in charge of one of the company's Tourist Agents. He will be assisted by an experienced lady as Chaperon, whose especial charge will be ladies unaccompanied by male escort.

Special trains of parlor cars are provided for the exclusive use of the party, in which the entire round trip from New York is made.

For detailed itinerary apply to Ticket Agents or to Tourist Agent, 1196 Broadway New York, or Room 411, Broad Street Station, Philadelphia.

Found Water.
Al. Krape let up Monday evening on digging the well at William Colyer's, at the station. He found water at the depth of 111 feet and concluded to stop. The former well was abandoned at the depth of about eighty feet after losing a tool weighing 250 pounds and valued at about \$50.

Hung Herself at Brisbin.
The body of Mrs. James Ramsey, of Brisbin, was found hanging from the transom of a door at her residence on Sunday. She had been partially demented for some time. Instead of using a rope to commit the deed she used a ball of mine's lamp wicking.

A Busy Day.
Shook's cider mill at the station had a very busy day on Tuesday squeezing out the juice. Wagons were lined up until evening waiting their turn at the press.

HOUSES RANSACKED.

A Gang of Housebreakers Got in their Work Last Night.

A gang of house breakers got in their work again on a lot of our citizens last night, but as far as we are able to ascertain, they secured very little booty from dwellings entered.

On Church street the thieves entered the houses of Mrs. Ross, Mrs. Annie Van Pelt, William Lohr, and Mrs. Carrie Osman, and down street an entrance was forced at D. A. Boozer's and Dr. J. Alexander's.

The thieves were after money only, and at no place entered was anything taken beyond the coin found. The robberies occurred about two o'clock in the morning.

Entrance was forced at windows. The dwelling occupied by Wm. Lohr and Samuel Kramer was entered. The thieves did not go up stairs but confined themselves to the lower floor, which was thoroughly ransacked. Nothing of value was found. The thieves were discovered; here by Sam and left in a hurry.

At Mrs. Mollie Ross's home the lower floor was searched and a purse containing \$2.56 was taken.

At Mrs. Annie Van Pelt's home a more torn-up house would be hard to find. The drawers, cupboards, closets, behind the pictures on the wall and even a large parlor lamp was taken apart by the robbers. There evidently was several thieves in the gang, as at this place the robber was without a dark lamp, and used matches to aid him in his search, the carpet being littered with burned matches. Several rooms on the second floor were ransacked, bedding and clothing thrown around and carefully inspected, but no money was found and they left.

At Mrs. Carrie Osman's place across the street an entrance was made at a window. The robber was discovered in Ed. Wolf's bed-room. Ed. says he is a light sleeper, and was awakened by a light in his room. The robber had turned his dark lantern on him. He jumped out of bed and made the alarm, and the robber made a hasty exit from the house. He moved quietly, making no noise, and secured no booty. Ed. describes the man as being tall, but beyond that no further description could be given. Ed. alarmed the neighbors, and there was no sleep for that part of Church street for the rest of the night.

At D. A. Boozer's home a bay window was forced open and the lower floor thoroughly searched, but nothing was obtained.

An office window was forced at Dr. Alexander's home and the lower floor ransacked. The thief started to go up stairs and was heard by the Dr. who jumped out of bed grasping his revolver. The fellow got out of the house at once. A purse containing about a dollar and a silver charm was taken from here.

The thieves went on down street and broke into the home of James Alexander. The lower floor was at their disposal but nothing was taken. For the night's work the thieves got about \$3 or \$4.

At Bellefonte a number of houses were entered the night before. The robbers were discovered in the room of Chas. F. Cook, who jumped out of bed at his man. The robber fled down stairs and fell. He then drew a revolver and fired point blank at Mr. Cook, but missed, the powder burning his night shirt. The residences of F. W. Crider and John F. Johnson were entered also, but nothing was taken.

The gang is evidently the same one that did the work at Bellefonte. Centre Hall was in their route, and they visited a number of people here.

Biographical Record.

Otto Stemple, representing the well-known firm of J. H. Beers & Co., of Philadelphia and Chicago, is at present engaged in gathering the data in Potter township, for the Commemorative Biographical Record of Central Pennsylvania, as projected by that firm of publishers. Beers & Co. have been for twenty-five years the standard publishers of this kind of literature, and their reputation in this line insures a work of inestimable value, and to posterity a most precious heirloom.

Festival.

Don't forget the festival and supper the ladies of the United Evangelical church will have on Saturday afternoon and evening Oct. 10. Supper will be served from 5 to 7 p. m. Ice cream, cakes, etc., will also be served. Everybody is invited to come.

New Millinery Goods.

Mrs. Lucy Henney has gone to the city to purchase a stock of the latest style millinery goods for fall and winter. The goods will be opened in a few days for the inspection of the ladies.

Lost a Horse.

Boozer's livery sent two hacks to Milton Monday morning, to run at the fair there this week. On the way down one of the horses took sick and died. The horse was one of their best.

Shipping Them Out.

The shipment of chestnuts to eastern markets has begun and a great many bushels will go out from this section. The crop seems fair and the prices paid are up to the average.

The Water Supply.

The water company's work to increase the supply of water for the town, after about two months' effort is about ended, for this fall at least. Some new springs have been found at different places at the foot of the mountain on this company's territory, and at considerable expense. There will be an increase of 50 per cent in the supply, which alone would supply the town with five barrels per day to a family when one barrel is far more than enough. But the waste! the waste! the neglect and the willful waste, is the sole cause for the water having been short at times, when in reality there was plenty. The water board was unjustly abused because the blame justly belonged to citizens. Only think, the average use per family has been 15 barrels per day! enough to supply five such towns.

The stockholders for nine six years have not received a penny in dividends, and have, in that time, furnished the town with water, getting nothing for it but abuse from some, who seem to know all about running a water company. But the board has taken it all good naturedly, and are in hopes that water users will use proper economy in drawing supplies.

Death of Maud Olive Meyers.

We regret to learn of the death of this interesting daughter of Prof. Wm. T. Meyer, of Bellefonte, aged about ten years. It was on Tuesday morning she was called to her long home. For more than a year she has suffered from troubles affecting the glands of the neck. The fond parents left nothing undone in nursing and expense to relieve her in her sufferings which little Maud bore with heroic patience. It is as though an angel had left the family; beloved by all her companions she was a favorite generally. We extend our sympathies to the bereaved parents. Interment takes place at Aronsburg, this, Thursday, afternoon.

Silver Ox Roast.

The Millheim Democrats have concluded to have an ox-roast in honor of Bryan and free silver. The roast, we are informed, will be had about the 15 of this month. Millheim's Democracy is enthusiastic for Bryan and the interests of the masses.

We learn since the roast is fixed for Thursday, Oct. 15th. There will be meetings in the afternoon and evening and addresses by eminent speakers. There will be a big turn-out and a big time, and a big bite of roast ox for every body. The Democrats down there never do anything by halves, especially when it comes to rolling up big majorities.

Another Fire in Nittany.

The large barn on the farm of George Piper on the turnpike about two miles above Furst's mill was totally destroyed by fire Thursday night together with all the contents. The loss is estimated at \$2,000 and is fully covered by insurance. The origin of the fire is unknown but it is believed to be incendiary. This fire, being the third one in Nittany valley within a short period, strengthens the fears of the farmers in that section that they are being preyed upon by incendiaries. With the barn was burned a large tobacco shed which was filled with hay. The season's crop and all the implements were also consumed.

Surprise Birth-day Party.

On Friday, September 25th, a surprise party was held at the home of Mrs. William A. Ishler, at Tusseyville. On the morning of the day mentioned a message came from a neighbor lady to assist her in work. She was gone a very short time when she was called home, being told her sister had come to see her, and when she arrived home she found the neighbors and friends had taken possession of her house, bringing money and other useful things, for which she extends her sincere thanks for their kindness.

Why They Were Refused.

A number of persons applied to Judge Love, who was holding court in Clearfield last week, for their naturalization papers. When asked about the constitution of the United States they knew nothing of it, and could not even tell who was president of the United States. When asked who made the laws they replied: "The court and lawyers." They were refused. Judge Love has set an example worthy of imitation.

Marriage Licenses.

The following marriage licenses have been granted the past week:
Thomas A. Fletcher, Howard, and Alta A. Schenck, Liberty twp.
N. A. Auman and Ollie M. Gary, Millheim.
J. C. Greger and Ella M. Owens, Spring twp.
Geo. M. Woomer and Robie M. Jones, Brisbin.
Edwin S. Bierly and Sadie C. Erhard, Rebersburg.
Geo. Bailey, Altoona, and Margaret Kline, Fillmore.

Millinery Opening.

Do not forget Mrs. C. B. Boob's Millinery Opening Tuesday and Wednesday, October 13 and 14. The largest display of Trimmed Hats and Bonnets ever brought to this town.

WHAT FOSTER SAYS.

The Storm Waves We May Look for This Month.

My last bulletin gave forecasts of the storm waves to cross the continent from Oct. 1 to 5 and 7 to 11. The next disturbance will reach the Pacific coast about the 12, cross the West of Rockies country by close of 13, great Central valleys 14 to 16, eastern states 17. The warm wave will cross the West of Rockies country about the 12, Great Central valleys 17, eastern states 18. The cool wave will cross the west of Rockies country about the 15, great central valleys 17, eastern states 19.

The notable feature of this disturbance will be the cool wave mentioned above and scheduled to cross the continent from the 15 to 29. It will be a cold wave and will cause much snow and freezing in northern latitudes and killing frosts in the northern parts of the cotton belt. This disturbance will also bring the heaviest rains of the month to the southern states and inaugurate the coolest week of the month.

Temperature of the week, Oct. 4 to 10, inclusive, will average more above the normal than any other week of the month, and during the week the most severe storms of the month will occur. This 4 to 10, will be what I term the high temperature storm period to distinguish it from the low temperature storm period to that will occur from 18 to the 24.

CURRENT TOPICS.

Items of Interest Collected for the Hasty Readers.

Work has been plenty here and in all parts of our county, all summer with prospects ahead the same. Wages for day laborers are \$1.25 per day as a general thing, tho some work for 75 cents.

Pumpkins are very plenty in the corn patches, we have not seen so big a crop for many years, and we do not think that more than half will be used for feeding stock.

Andy Reesman got back from the Canton-McKinley trip a little sick. After the 3rd of November all of 'em will be sick including McKinley and their post-office address will be Salt River.

The opinion seems to be the price of pork may drop down to \$4 per 100, on account of corn being plenty and low in price. Hogs are now being sold at \$3 per hundred, live weight. Shoats are bringing 4 cents per pound. We feel warranted in predicting the sausage crop will be a large one.

Apple butter boiling is keeping our good house wives busy just now. In some states, among the yankees, they don't know what apple butter is, and wouldn't know how to make it, and when any of these yanks come down into Pennsylvania they eat apple butter with a spoon and call it "saus." Apple butter is worth from 40 to 60 cents per gallon crock.

Trapped a Bear.

John Wingard, of Colyer, trapped a bear the other day in the mountains over there. He shot brain in the trap and his weight was 100 pounds. This is the third one he trapped inside a year. He baits his log-made traps with beef heads and sheep heads. It requires two men to raise the lid of his ponderous bear trap. Signs indicate that bears will be plenty this season, in which happy event we may see a savory chunk of bear meat find its way to this office. Wingard is safe against starving and freezing, with plenty of bear meat to eat and warm bear skins to sleep under. He carried his game on his shoulder three miles out of the mountains where he could put his burden on a wagon.

Blew Out the Gas.

Thursday morning of last week, Mr. John Stover and wife, of Millmont, attended the Union county fair. After spending the day on the grounds, they came to Lewisburg and stopped at the Cameron House. Upon retiring for the night they blew out the gas and the valve of the burner was half open in their sleeping apartments the entire night and when they awoke on Friday morning were surprised to know they had almost been asphyxiated. Mrs. Stover became quite ill, but was able to leave for home with her husband on the 1.45 p. m. train Friday.—Chronicle.

What Smith Wants.

One dozen calves, any breed will do, but Jerseys are preferred, from one day to two weeks old, are wanted by farmer S. W. Smith, west of town. He also offers for sale his thorough-bred Jersey bull "Duke of Maryland" in order to prevent in-breeding. The bull is an excellent animal, and his offsprings are ready sale.

Football at Hecla.

J. W. Gephart, superintendent of the Central railroad of Pennsylvania, is now negotiating with the proper parties to have the Princeton and State College foot ball game played on the Hecla Park Athletic grounds on Saturday, Oct. 31.

Jack Frost.

Jack Frost has been around several times of late putting the shivers on outdoor belongings and obliging indoors to be provided with fires.

AT THE RING

School Bell

Tens of thousands of the men of the next generation pack up their books and turn their steps towards the school house. Happy days are they for the boy who is well-clothed and well shod; and that reminds us that we have, for various reasons, been the recognized leaders in boys' footwear in this town. Special attention has been paid to shoes for the little men, and this Fall we are better fixed than ever before to clothe their little feet. And we don't forget their little sisters, either.

BEAUTIFUL MEDALLION FREE.
Ask for a card.

MINCLE'S SHOE STORE,
BELLEFONTE, PA.

A line of Handkerchiefs. Fine India Linen, plain 1/2 in. hem, at 5c—would be cheap at double that price.—GARMANS.

One particular style of Dress Goods, a little check with silk mixed, at 50c. Words will not describe it. All the pretty Crepon effects in Silk and Wool, and Mohair. The Serges from 25c to 50c are remarkable value, especially with the rising market.—GARMANS.

A very excellent 5c outing Flannel suitable for shirts or skirts, not in remnants or damaged, but regular stock goods.—GARMANS.

The new style Pencil Box, lock and key, chalk slate pencil, lead pencil, ruler and sponge, all for 5c; worth three times what we ask. A Tablet for 5c with fine writing paper.—GARMANS.

Choicest Lancaster Gingham, red and all colors, 5c.—GARMANS

The new line of Plates—bread, butter and deserts, are immense, from 5c to 15c each. One or a dozen at same price.

GARMAN'S STORE.
BELLEFONTE, PENN.

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Everybody will tell you that we are headquarters for good, artistic furniture at lowest prices. We are now offering a

Solid Antique Oak Chamber Suit, 8 pieces, with Large Bevel Glass, Regular Price, \$28, Our Price, \$18.75.

Also have a few of those fine Cobbler and Saddle Seat Rockers, which are going fast, only \$2.99.

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THE GLOBE.

Dry Goods, Clothing and Millinery.

PRICES THAT OVERSHADOW ALL COMPETITION.

30 days ago the Dry Goods and Woolen market was in a panic condition. The different mills throughout the country were badly overstocked with manufactured goods and no demand for them.

They commenced to slaughter goods right and left without regard to value.

This was our opportunity. Although rather early for us to buy Winter goods, we purchased all we thought we could use for the entire season, and today we own our stock fully

25 PER CENT. CHEAPER THAN ANY OF OUR COMPETITORS.

Look at the following list of prices, and see whether it is to your advantage to do your Fall and Winter buying from us.

Domestics.

At prices that were never equaled.
Good Fast C for Calico..... 40
Best quality Lancaster Gingham..... 50
Good quality Dress Gingham..... 50
Yard wide Heavy Unbleached Muslin..... 45c
Yd. wide good quality Bleached Muslin..... 50
Good Canton Flannel..... 50
Extra Heavy Canton Flannel..... 70
Good Outing Cloth..... 50
Heavy Checks for Shirtings..... 50

Flannels, Blankets, At Sacrifice Prices.

All Wool Heavy Red Twilled Flannel..... 14c
All Wool better quality Flannel..... 17c
The very best 7yd Twilled Flannel..... 25c
Heaviest qual. 8-cz Lumberman's Flannel..... 30c
Half Wool Grey mixed Flannel, very heavy, 15c
Heavy Grey Blankets..... 80c
Extra heavy and good quality Blankets..... 1.48
All Wool Red Blankets..... 2.48

Dress Goods.

This Department has no equal in Bellefonte. We keep the largest and best stock, and confidently claim that we do the Dress Goods business of

KATZ & CO., LIMITED.

Bellefonte, Pa.

"Makers of Low prices and Terrors to All Competitors."