CENTRE HALL, PA., THURS. Sept. 23.

THE RACKET.

No. 9-11 Crider's Exchange, Bellefonte

We can truthfully say that our as it is now. It's early for Fall and Winter goods, but heavy pur- did a very good business and accumuit and assured U low prices for the in plying their trade.

Utopia, Imported Germantown,

lb. more now.)

Blankets,

All wool, part wool, and Alabama wool (that's cotton U kno), 25 per thanks to a lucky purchase.

Underwear,

R. R. manifest weight, just in. Best for the money we've ever seen and U kno we have seen a few.

55 Boys' Suits,

4 to 14 years, prices 98c, \$1.29, \$1.69, \$1.98. Can't be matched in this city for the money. Nuf Ced. Kom & C.

> G. R. SPIGELMYER, SHEM SPIGELMYER, Jr. Bellefonte, Pa.

LADIES', MISSES AND CHILDREN'S CLOAKS.

on sale by

Wolf & Crawford,

Centre Hall.

samples of cloth of which they are made.

Mifflinburg's Oldest Citizen.

Monday last, says the Times, Henry | could obtain part of his estate. Gast, the oldest man in town, was 91 years of age. The relatives and a few friends in town assembled at the residence of Mr. Gast, to commemorate the event.

Mr. Gast, could not be present.

last named sister is now in her 96th the creditors.

Father Gast for many years has been a prompt paying subscriber of the Reporter-may he be spared many years.

From Illinois.

kota, Ill., Sep. 15:

perity coming on. The hot and dry all its lines. weather was changed by a nice rain to-day, and all growing vegetation was in need of it.

Cornerstone Laying.

The cornerstone of the new United Evangelical church at Linden Hall, this line. will be laid October 3rd, 1897. Rev. J. C. Reaser, A. M., of Berwick, will officiate, at 10 a. m.

Weekly Weather Report-Centre Hall

Temperature:		Highest.	Lowest.	
Sept.	16	90	54 clear.	
à	17	81	66 cleur.	
4.	18	69	42 clear.	
**	19	76	44 part cloudy	
**	20	63	47 cloudy.	
**	21	59	38 clear.	
"	22	63	37 part cloudy	

Rainfall: On 19, at hight, .72 inch; noon, .15 inch.

ARRESTED FOR POISONING.

An Italian Held at Bellefonte for Murdering a Countryman

Yesterday afternoon at five o'clock, constable Henry Montgomery arrested Peter Mendis, an Italian, at Bellefonte on the charge of having murdered a fellow countryman, James Maria, in January, 1896, by poison.

Mendis came to this country from Italy about six months prior to January, 1896. In connection with Maria, stock has never been so complete the two Italians carried on junk business, buying rags, iron, etc. The two chases last Summer previous to lated some money at their trade. They change of tariff when prices were carried on their business at Bellefonte, the lowest on record, accounts for and visited the surrounding country

In Januaay, 1896, Maria was taken ill, and died very suddenly. During his short illness he was attended by and Saxony Yarns, all colors, at last was supposed by the physician to be year's prices, (worth 15 to 20c per hemorrhage of the lungs. During the very short illness of Maria there was not the least suspician that he had been foully dealt with, and he was interred in the Catholic cemetery at Bellefonte. Shortly before Maria's cent. less than last year's prices, to this country and join him. While they were on their voyage across to join their husband and father, his sudden death occurred, and Mendis tele-York of the death and burial, and they returned to Italy's sunny shores again.

The estate of Maria was settled up by another Italian, who sent the family in Italy what money he had accubusiness with Mendis.

Some time after the death of Maria there came rumors of the Italian having met his death by means other than natural causes. These rumors were faint at first, but finally reached the ears of the authorities who at once began a quiet investigation.

A close investigation into the case did much to confirm the rumors afloat. The disclosures that were made convinced the authorities that Maria had been poisoned and circumstances strongly pointed towards Mendis as the one who administered the potion and untimely death. The case was hands, and yesterday afternoon it culie is now confined in the jail at Bellefonte to await further action on the

part of the authorities. expert in Philadelphia for an analysis. The result of this analysis is anxiousof Mendis. Should he discover traces from the three applicants. of poison in the stomach Mendis will be tried on the charge of murder.

Mendis has been living in Bellefonte since the death of his partner, and along with his junk business, has conducted a carpet cleaning establishan engine and machinery for cleaning these magnificent styles and the carpets, and has been doing a good business. He is about 35 years of age, and unmarried. Mendis has retained as counsel Hugh Taylor and John K. Johnson to defend him.

It is supposed that Mendis administered the fatal dose to Maria that he

A Landlord in Hard Luck.

Tuesday afternoon Sheriff Cronister seized the effects of Landlord J. N. Neubauer, of the Brockerhoff house, Of those present there were J. D. S. Bellefonte. Executions have been is-Gast, his son Harry, with wife and sued to the amount of over \$5,000 with daughter. Elizabeth, Margaret, with a large number of outstanding acher husband, R. E. Snodgrass, Mary counts which will swell the aggregate P. and Katherine; Dr. J. R. Gast and to half that much more. The hotel is wife, J. A. Beard and wife, Rev. Dr. the property of the Brockerhoff estate Earnest and wife, Rev. C. L. McCon- and Mr. Neubauer succeeded George nell and wife. Mrs. J. A. Montelius B. Brandon, as proprietor, six years mother investigated and found that sold. There are three grocery stores of Piper City, Ill., eldest daughter of ago. He had the house refitted and the child was lying on a snake that and one school house. When the peorefurnished throughout at a cost of had coiled up in the bottom of the ple want to attend church they have Those aged widows of Miles town- thousands of dollars, but since his secspip, Mrs. Paul Wolf and Mrs. Jacob ond year has sunk money. Sheriff on the neck, but home made remedies walk to Duncannon. There has been Wolf, are sisters of this patriarch. The Cronister is now running the hotel for prevented the poison spreading. The but one case in the criminal court from

A Business Change.

The general merchandise store of ex-Postmaster Wm. Pealer, at Spring Mills, was sold last week to Harvey D. Rossman, who will take possession in Thos. J. Shaffer writes us from Da- a few days. Mr. Rossman has been employed in the store of C. P. Long at Our crops are, in general, good this that place for several years, and is fayear, and prices getting better-pros- miliar with the mercantile business in

Lock Haven is on the Line.

The New York Sun says that the \$200,000,000 to build the Chicago and New York Air Line Electric railroad has been raised. Lock Haven is on

, Rev. Rearick's Appointments

Sunday, Sep. 26, at Centre Hall, at 7°p. m.; at St. Johns church, at 10 a. m.; at Georges valley church, at 2 p.

-A good, neat fitting suit is always desired and every young man is ad- right in a few days. mired who wears clothing up-to-date in cut and goods. Lewins, Bellefonte, has one of the largest lines in the county, and a suit from his store is always sweeping reductions to make room for offers a most excellent chance for one bound to please. A large stock from new stock. He has the genuine bar- to save several dollars in purchasing of on 19, at night, .59 inch; on 20, fore- which to select and then the price be- gains of the season and the prices on him. All summer lines have been reing always lower than any competitor all lines have been cut in two. These duced. The counters must be cleared, Frosts Tuesday and Wednesday mor- is what is giving the Philad. Branch | bargains are going rapidly and cannot and the price they have marked the the large trade it enjoys.

PICKED THE LOCK.

picnic ground on the charge of a man Members present were Deininger, Rinamed Leitzell, of Spring Mills, for ter, Emerick and Wolf. The minutes swindling him out of \$47 on a wheel. of the last regular meeting were read Dauberman gave his name as Smith, for the erection of the new boro water from Elmira, N. Y. He was held in plant, and then the body adjourned. \$200 bail for his appearance at court, There were about ten or twelve bids in default of which he was placed in submitted. They ranged from \$7616.morning the lodger was still in the reservoir according to a plan submitted through out stock of footwear? It hour or two later when he was to be fications, up to \$11,000. The lowest Feet were never called upon to Cases of Underwear, transported to Bellefonte the boro jail bid for the material, pipes, valves, fit- punish themselves. Wearing bad piles of Dress Goods, had simply melted away like the dew 22. J. S. Vipond & Co., want \$4485.00 to wear a pair of our fine Summer before the morning sun. It is suppos- for all work outside of material. The shoes which afford every possible at lower prices Dr. Mullen. The cause of his death ed his confederates picked the lock, but council will consider the bids at a later element of comfort. There's than ever were generous enough to put it back meeting. again and not carry it with them.

Beautiful Phenomenon.
On Thursday last at noon, and continuing about an hour, a bright and beautiful circle appeared around the sun. The outside of the circle was an intensely bright rim, and inside were death, he sent for his family to come sun. The outside of the circle was an intensely bright rim, and inside were the hues of the rainbow in their most beautiful colors. A second circle, of hazy white interlocked with this ring For men, women, children, one ton, graphed them on their arrival at New on the east and north sides crossing the sun's centre. Far outside these two circles was a third circle like a dim rainbow. The sight was witnessed by hundreds here in attendance upon the pic-nic, and we noticed from mulated in this country in the junk our exchanges, was witnessed in adjoining counties. The sky was clear save a very light haziness in some por-

tions and the atmosphere very warm. The phenomenon was caused by a peculiar atmospheric condition which is supposed to cause halos by a refrac. A few days ago a measurement was tion of light. Later in the afternoon taken of the springs that the borough dark clouds arose around the horizon proposes utilizing when the new plant and soon after dark a heavy thunder shall have been put in operation. The storm set in.

The Schools Opened.

for an eight months term, with Prois. strong, one was completely dry and Snyder, Krise, and Foreman in charge. the other nearly a duster, flowing a which was the cause of Maria's sudden | The attendance was about 155 little over a gallon a minute. In compupils, and more will come as the parison the flow is not as strong as the placed in District Attorney Singer's term progresses. The fourth room will spring recently placed in the water be opened about a month later. The company's reservoir from the Ripka minated in the arrest of Mendis, and room occupied by the grangers could property. From the spring leased by not be fitted up with furniture in the boro there must be allowed one time for the opening and a month was and one-half inch of water to one farm, taken off the term. This additional and an inch flow to another. At pres-The remains of Maria were exhumed school is necessary to relieve the ent there is not that quantity of way All the celebrated Morris, Bei- yesterday at the Catholic cemetery at crowded primary, and will be designat- ter there. Bellefonte, and the stomach was re- ed as the primary proper. New furn! field & Co., New York, make, are moved from the body and sent to an ture throughout with the exception of boards will be required. The directors have not elected a teacher, but at the there is in the following report sent

Lewisburg Fair.

We invite your inspection of all ment. He has his shop fitted up with Railroad Co. will sell Excursion Tick- and then it was discovered that out of ets to Brook Park, Sep. 28, 29, 30 and sixty head all were dead but twenty-Oct. 2, 1897, inclusive, at greatly re- carcasses of the dead beasts. Some of

and Friday Sept. 30 and Oct. 1 between | while others bear no mark at all. The Lewisburg and Brook Park every half cattle yet remaining alive have been hour from 9.30 a.m., to 5.30 p. m.

and on Friday Oct. 1 to Gha Iron, cause of the wholesale slaughter of the leaving Lewisburg 5.30 p. m., Brook stock. It is more than likely that Park 5.55 p. m.

Copperhead in Crib With Baby.

A 3-year-old child of Mrs. James Cross, who resides in the Beech Creek region, was bitten by a large copper- it there is no minister, no church, no head snake on Saturday while in its Sunday-school, no lawyer, no justice crib. The child began crying and told of the peace, no industrial work of any its mother that its back was cold. The kind, and no place where liquor is crib. The snake had bitten the baby to cross the river to Perry county and snake measured over six feet in length. the township in the last 25 years.

The Harvest Moon is First, It is frequently a subject of dispute which is the "harvest" and which is the "hunters" moon. The moon nearest the autumnal equinox (September 21) is known as the harvest moon; the following as the hunters' moon. During September the moon's path being very oblique, she does not get far ahead of the horizon and consequently the horizon loses little time in overtaking her, and the moon rises at nearly the same hour on consecutive evenings.

War Bullet Extracted.

The doctors a few days ago, removed a metal ball from James Riley, of Clearfield twp., Cambria county. The ball is known as grape and canister and weighed 325 grains. It was located in the pelvic cavity back of the by the Department and he was apbowels. Mr. Riley was a member of pointed last Thursday. He has filed Company A, 55 Penn'a Vol., and was his bond and the commission is expectwounded at the battle of Pocotaligo, ed to arrive in a few days. The office S. C., Oct. 22, 1862. He will be all will change hands on Oct. 1st, tomor-

-All the summer clothing at Lew-

COUNCIL'S DOINGS.

A Gambler Mysteriously Disappears from Opening of the Bids for the New Water

Thursday afternoon an arrest was The town council met in regular sesmade of one of the gamblers on the sion last Friday evening in the bank. The gambler at a hearing before 'Squire and approved. The bids were opened the lock-up for safe-keeping. Friday | 22 by H. P. Malone, who could build a pen when offered his breakfast. An the council and not according to speci- merits your careful inspection. was found to be empty. The door lock tings, and fire hydrants, was by R. D. shoes is wholly unnecessary. It's Muslins and Cantons was still in the staple, but the man Wood & Co., Philadelphia, for \$4344.- like going on a long pleasure trip by the bale,

were drawn for bills:

On Sept.	3rd	the	following	orde	rs
were drawn	:				
E. J. Wolf on a	eet 1	Corine	ering Record fo	or	
adv. Propo al water works					
			. P. Herdie fe		60
drawing up specifications					00
J. M. Goodhart, water ordinance					90
" letting notice					50
Kreamer & Son	, oil.	wicks	, etc., to Sep	4.	
9. 197					85
G. W. Bushman, 8 globes, 3 doz. wicks					20
Al. Krare, work on street					85
Geo. Floray,	**		*******	3	25
E. Durst,	**		********	77 77 17 17 17 17 17 14 14 C	75
Sam'l Runkle,	AM			1	
Byton Garia,	67		********	1	25
Jas. Sandoe,	24		********	***	50
E. S. Riter,			************		50
			ng stone		18510
J. MCCHSDMBRB	, 1197	triting 1	amps, etc	10	
E. J. WOII, Sec	y, 3 11	nos sa	lary	***** 4	50

The Springs Measured.

flow showed about eleven gallons per minute, not enough water to fill a one and one-half inch pipe. Of three The boro schools opened on Monday springs which in wet weather flow

Valley Cattle Reported Dying.

We do not know how much truth ly awaited, as thereby hangs the fate next meeting a selection will be made abroad: Last spring a number of farmers of Penns valley banded together and drove their young cattle to the mountains, south of the valley, for the The Union County Fair will be held summer, the cattle to be tended and at Brook Park, near Lewisburg, Sep. salted by a man engaged for the pur-28, 29, 30 and Oct. 1. 1897. For the pose. Little attention was paid by benefit of visitors, the Pennsylvania the farmers to their stock until lately, Oct. 1, valid for return passage until two. The woods is sirewn with the

them have the appearance of having Special trains will be run Thursday been killed by a mysterious wild beast, brought home, looking gaunt as spec-Special return trains will be run tres, and an investigation is being Thursday Sep. 30 to Rising Springs, made to ascertain, if possible, the state aid may be called for.

What is Boasted of a Township.

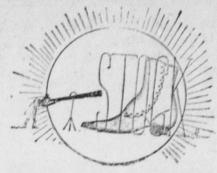
Reed township, in Dauphin county, has 254 inhabitants and 50 voters. In

Collar Bone Broken.

On last Sunday evening Edward Boone and family, of Feidler, were returning in a spring wagon from preaching at Woodward, and when in the vicinity of Reinharts, it being quite dark they drove over a sled on which were two spring harrows that had been left standing close by the road by Isaac Orndorfs, and the result was an upset. With the exception of a little boy, aged about seven years, who had his collar bone broken, the rest escaped in-

The recommendation of B. D. Bris bin by Congressman Arnold for postmaster at Centre Hall, was confirmed

-There are yet several months of ins, Bellefonte, is being offered at warm weather and Lewins, Bellefonte



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