PERSONAL MENTION.

SPRING MILLS BUDGET.

is slowly improving.

building up a large trade.

date.

nations by Both Parties.

will enter the business with his broth-

er Philip, who has been engaged in

that town for several months, and is

claim in the language of Macbeth-

Both political parties held their cau-

cus on Saturday last, with an unusual

large attendance. The Democrats

nominated the following candidates:

Supervisors, Jefferson Heckman and

A. Corman; school directors, F. Hos-

terman and F. Yearick; auditor, Wm.

Pealer; assessor, John H. McCool; over-

seer of the poor, C. J. Finkle, and

town clerk, Robert Bartges. The Re-

publican candidates are H. Foust and

M. Weigley for supervisors; Robert

Smith and W. H. Smith, (Brush val-

About 3 o'clock on Friday morning

last, our people were aroused from

their dreamy slumbers by the startling

cry of fire, and pealing bells. Fire was

discovered in the old postoffice build-

ing, located on the main avenue to the

railroad station, owned by Robert

Smith, and occupied by J. Grolman as

a clothing and gents' furnishing store.

The building and contents were en-

tirely consumed. In the rear of the

building are the large stables of Mr.

Smith, and directly back of the store

is a small building formerly used as a

ware room. This building was kept

wet by a small bucket brigade hastily

organized. But it and the stables were

simply saved from the devouring ele-

ment by the high winds prevailing

driving the flames and heat in an op-

posite direction. The morning was

exceedingly stormy; sparks and cin-

ders were hurled across the creek di-

wall, the cry is still they come."

Coming and Going,-Visitors in and out of Town

Wm. Grossman, of near Centre Hill, gave the Reporter a business call. -Danny Zeigler spent Sunday

with his family at Millheim. Howard and N. E. Emerick, of

this place, spent Sunday with friends n Brush valley.

-Squire John S. Dauberman is attending court this week at Bellefonte. He was drawn as a juror.

-----Warren J. Smith, of Fiedler, was canvassing the town Tuesday, in the interest of a book he has for sale.

-N. J. Dale and daughter, of Pleasant Gap, were guests at the home of Henry Emerick over Sunday.

-Miss Mary Crist, of State College, was entertained at the home of her friend, Miss Grace Alexander, last week.

-Mrs. Flora O. Bairfoot returned home Saturday, after a visit of several weeks with her uncle, Dr. G. P. Weaver, in Philadelphia.

-Adam Ripka one of Centre Hill's leading citizens, favored our sanctum with a call and put his label out to '98. He reports general health good over there.

-J. B. Royer, of Penn Hall, was a caller, and looking in the best of health. Wanting all the news he enrolled his name for the Reporter with label to '99.

-Jared Flisher, of Jamestown, N. ley) for school directors; John Grove, auditor; R. U. Bituer, assessor; James Y., gave our sanctum a pleasant call, N. Leitzell, overseer of the poor, and being here on a visit to his venerable, T. W. Gramley, town clerk .-- a foolish but well preserved father, Daniel Flisher, who is basking in his 87th year. joke.

-Mrs. Philip Mersinger, of Joliet, Ill., is visiting triends hereabouts. On her return she will take with her the younger daughter of Vance McCormic who since the death of her mother has had her home with her grandpa A. J. Reesman.

COBURN'S MELANGE.

The Democrats of Penn Put up a Good Ticket .- Other Interesting News.

J. W. Kerstetter is in Bellefonte this week serving as a juror.

Mrs. James A. Kooney and Miss Tome Hosterman are on the sick list. W. E. Braucht has a very pleasant smile for everybody, and says, "it's a girl."

The Misses Blincherdeifer, of Altoona, are at present visiting their sister, Mrs. Andrew Rishel, at this place.

Mrs. Luther Guisewite, of Rebersberg, was circulating among some of rectly towards the town proper in fear-

Jeff Brown, of Milroy, accompanied by three young ladies, passed through Grolman's Clothing Store Burned .-- Nomi town last Wednesday evening en route to the dance at the Old Fort. Mrs. William Allison, who has been

Mrs. Daniel Decker, who died very very seriously ill for the last two weeks, suddenly on Tuesday of last week, was buried last Saturday at the Cross George Dunkle, the reliable wall pachurch, Georges valley; Rev. Rearick per merchant of our village, has just officiated. received an invoice of some very hand-

The REPORTER's scribe of Centre some patterns of wall paper for spring Hill, who alluded to the catching of a sales. Mr. Dunkle is always up to "Beaver" in last weeks' paper, would like to catch that "Beaver" himself, Frank Long of our village, left on but he is not in it at all. Saturday last for Punxsutawney. He

Rev. Williams, who filled the pulpit for Rev. Faus on Sunday evening, preached an excellent sermon. A few men like him would make quite a change in a community.

Howard Rossman our new and en-An adjoining vicinity has a set of ergetic merchant, is evidently doing a young men, or boys as they should be large business; he is receiving new called, who had better learn some sense goods daily, and his store is thronged before going in public. They don't with customers. He may well exeven have brute sense let alone human "hang out our banners on the outer sense

The Centre Democrat's scribe of this place, gets off his base quite frequently. He had better go to school a while yet and learn a little more grammar; especially how to spell and where to place clauses. Please give us the definition of (Helgrimite.)

After the Karthaus Oil Fields,

Local iron men are negotiating for the purchase of the famous Karthaus ore fields, lying partly in Clearfield county and partly in Centre. The Karthaus mines are among the oldest in this section of the state and were never operated to any great extent, although the ore is present in a large body and in quality ranges among the highest per cent. of hematite ores. The great drawback to its development heretofore was its location among the Alleghenies. The only outlet is over the Keating branch of the Philadelphia & Erie Railroad, from whence shipment must be made east over the P. & E., or west to Driftwood and then by the Allegheny Valley to Pittsburg.

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her friends at this place over Sunday. Mrs. Michael Evart of this place, left for Swengle, Union county, on Monday, and will visit friends at that

place for a few days. M. I. Gardner, of Bellefonte, was circulating through this section last week looking up Democratic friends, and building political fences.

On Tuesday evening a terrible wind storm accompanied with driving sleet, loud peals of thunder, and vivid flashes of lightning passed through this section.

County Commissioners Riddle, Heckman, and Fisher, and ex-Commissioner T. F. Adams were examining the site of the prospective iron bridge across Penns Creek, at or near Sober, on Saturday, and took dinner at the Coburn House, at this place. The bridge at that place may be built next summer.

The Democratic caucus on Saturday afternoon was well attended, and everything passed off very hermoniously. J. F. Garthoff was chosen presiding officer and P. H. Stover and A. B. Meyer Secretaries. They then placed on nomination the following names: Judge of election, F. P. Vona da; inspector, A. R. Alexander; overseer of poor, Jacob Kerstetter; school directors, A. J. Stover, and John Corman; auditors, T. A. Meyer and Percival Tharp, 1 year; Supervisors, W. A. Stover and H. M. Swartz; Assessor, Daniel Hosterman; town clerk, A. L. Auman. In the evening the Republicans made the following nominations: Judge of election, T. B. Motz; inspector, Levi Spigelmoyer, assessor, James A. Kooney; school directors, H. C. Kling, W. W. Vonada; overseer of poor, R. H. Hackenberg; supervisors, John Martin, David Burd; auditors, Henry Wingard, J. E. Kooney; town clerk, E. M. Stevenson.

A Woman Stone-Breaker.

Cambria county may be in a higher state of physical developement than Somerset, but, thank the Lord, Somerset county women are not compelled to break stone on the public highway. A Somerset county gentleman who recently had occasion to drive from Johnstown to Scalp Level was horrified when a short distance from the former place, he came upon an aged woman and a man breaking stone on the public road.-Somerset Herald.

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ful clouds, scattering in all directions, and it was only owing to the wet and damp condition of the roofs which prevented a general conflagration, and possibly the total destruction of the village Mr. Grolmau informed me that his loss on stock was \$2500, with an insurance of \$1500, in the Lykens Valley Co. Mr. Smith had an insurance of \$350 in the Penns Valley Mutual, on the building. The origin of

the fire is unknown. Mr. Smith will rebuild at once.

CENTRE HILL.

The Democratic Caucus Was Well Attended Last Saturday.

The boys played a game of ball last Saturday.

Some of our boys are talking of going west in the spring.

Mrs. Charles Neff spent Saturday with friends at this place.

Mrs. Daniel Daup spent Monday with her sister, Mrs. J. B. Strohm.

Rev. Christine, pastor of the Presbyterian church, preached at this place last Sabbath.

Last Saturday the Democrats held their caucus meeting at this place. They had a right good turn out.

Miss Kate Rossman, one of Linden Hall's bright young ladies spent Sunday with her friend, Miss Florence Smith.

Misses Rose Armbruster and Lizzie Rishel were pleasant callers at the home of Benjamin Stover recently. Clate says he is sorry he was not at home.

POTTERS MILLS.

Breezy Letter With all the News from Our Neighbors.

Wm. Workinger killed another fox

last week. Any one desiring a cheap ring should

apply to (Colver.) This community is blessed with

agents of different kinds. Rey. Potts, of Centre Hall, visited at

the home of Alex McCoy last Sabbath.

A seranading across the valley on Thursday night. How was it, Dave? The new blacksmith at Sprucetown,

has established quite a good trade already. Alex McCoy is doing quite a good

bit of lumber sawing for different parties.

Harry Fishburn, one of our blacksmiths, made a business trip to Centre Hall last Friday.

Protracted meeting is still in prog-Suits, New Overcoats, New Hats, New ress. There have been a number of

Henry Foust and family, of Pleasant Gap, have been visiting at the Fancy Shirts, New Trunks, New Suit home of his mother during the past

> Charles Sweetwood narrowly escaped being caught in a pulley while helping to saw wood at Joe Carson's last Bellefonte, week.

Jan. 20 37 29 cloudy. 44 21 35 cloudy. 66 22 35 32 cloudy. 11 31 cloudy. 40 23 ** 24 32 26 clear. 44 19 cloudy. 30 25 " 26 26 part cloudy. 36 Rainfall: On 20, forenoon, .13 inch.; on 22, afternoon and night, 1 in. rain and melted sleet; on 23, .02, melted sleet; on 24, afternoon, 11 in. sleet. Night of 20 to 21, storm ; morning of 23 violent storm set in mixed in with snow squalls and sunshine.

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ruary, 30. Butter, fancy western creamery, 20c;

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Potatoes, in car lots, 65a75 ; Jersey sweets, 65 per basket ; onions per bbl. \$2.25.

Hay, baled, timothy, \$12; mixed, \$8.50; straw, straight rye, \$9; wheat straw \$6a6.50, oats straw \$6a6.50.

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MARCH 18.-William Farner, near Potters Mills, horses, cows, hogs, farm implements, etc. Wm. Goheen, auc't.

MARCH 17.-J. F. Heekman, two mlles east of Spring Mills, live stock, farm implements, and household goods.

MARCH 3.-Daniel Heckman, rn the B hoff farm, two miles west of Beilefonte; cows, farm implements, household area

MARCH 14-Cyrus Di



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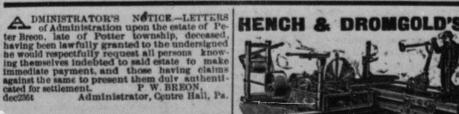
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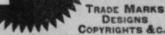
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