PERSONAL MENTION.

Coming and Going.—Visitors in and out of Town.

——W. W. Boob and family spent Sunday with friends in Millheim and Aaronsburg.

——Our pleasant and esteemed patron, Samuel Ertel, of Gregg, called to have his label put up to '99.

——J. W. Adams, one of the proprietors of the Mifflinburg steam laundry, was in town Saturday.

——T. H. Harter, of the Bellefonte *Gazette*, and Mrs. Harter, spent Sunday with friends in Centre Hall.

——'Squire John Dauberman went to Baltimore on Tuesday morning to buy cattle to supply his meat market.

——Jas. N. Leitzel, popular auctioneer and one of Spring Mills' most amiable citizens, favored our sanctum with a call.

——Mrs. Elmer Campbell, and little daughter, of Linden Hall, spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Jane Love, on Church street.

——A. O. Dutweiler, of Tusseyville, gave us a call and had his label set into '98. He informs us grain and grass look promising over there.

——C. U. Hoffer of Philipsburg, chasing the Democratic nomination for prothonotory, was in the vicinity the last few days building fences.

——Mrs. Susan Burkholder gave our office a business call and adv. letters of administration on the estate of her husband, Michael Burkholder.

——Mr. John Hosterman, one of Miles township's leading citizens, gave the Reporter a call, and represents grain, grass and fruit prospects good down there.

——Sumner V. Hosterman who is attending Franklin Marshall College, at Lancaster, is home on his senior vacation; he will return in about four weeks when he will graduate.

Mrs. James A. Keller was taken to the hospital at Philadelphia last Saturday for treatment. She has been ailing for some time and it is hoped that treatment under a specialist will afford the estimable lady relief.

——Howard Emerick, son of Henry Emerick, of this place, left for Warren last Thursday, where he has received a situation in the asylum; as Howard has an older brother employed in the same institution, it will be all the pleasanter for him.

——Our candidate for assembly, George W. Koch, intends making a hard fight for the office. He will make a canvas of the county and will give the Democratic voters an opportunity to get a glimpse of him when he asks for their support.

——Chas. P. Hewes, Esq., of Bellefonte, with wife and children, were spending Monday with friends on this side of the mountain. Charley will move to Erie with his family in the next few days, and Centre county will lose a bright and good attorney.

Political Effect of the Victory.

The political consequences likely to ensue from the United States' capture of the Philippines has excited immense interest. Germany has long had a covetous eye upon these rich islands, while the British interests have been a bar to any deal between Spain and Germany in relation to them. Japan is also known to eagerly desire these possessions. Dewey's victory has suddenly placed the United States in an important position in connection with the far Eastern question.

European interest in Cuba is remote—almost academic—but the Philippines are an entirely different matter. It is believed that the United States can use its possessions of the Philippines as a powerful lever to force Spain to abandon Cuba, through the pressure of European Powers who do not want Spanish colonial disruption in the far East to take place until the Chinese problem is settled.

A Most Interesting Feature.

One of the most interesting features of Bellefonte's magnificent display of flags and bunting is the old, time-worn and tattered emblem which was thrown to the breeze from the upper window of the residence of the late Governor Curtin, on High street, during the ceremonies incident to the departure of our brave Company B boys for Mt. Gretna. It was the flag that so triumphantly waved over the Executive Mansion at Harrisburg from 1860 to the close of the Rebellion in 1865, during which time the Curtin family occupied the mansion. It is a relic highly prized by Mrs. Curtin and has seldom been brought into service since that time.

Latest Swindle.

A set of swindlers are sending out circulars promising "in order to introduce their goods" to send to any address, postage prepaid, ten yards of red, brown or green silk for $1. The eager victims, who are many, receive ten yards of thread cut from the spool. A young lady not far from here sent her nice big hard earned dollar recently and got in return ten yards of baby ribbon worth about one cent per yard. It is quite likely that she will catch on to the next just as readily.—Exchange.

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SPRING MILLS.

The Interesting Events as Sent by Our Much Alive Scribe.

Wm. Pealer has improved the eastern end of portico with lattice work.

The Spring Mills Planing Mill Company is in full operation and has plenty of business.

The front yard of the M. E. parsonage has been very nearly sodded and otherwise improved, and presents a decidedly handsome appearance.

Michael Shires the active insurance agent of our village, had a few days off from business last week—a breathing spell. It is not very often that Mr. Shires is found idle.

All our farmers are very busy; wheat fields look unusually promising. The recent advance in wheat of course has a happy effect, and the farmer smiles. Everybody in this neighborhood seems to be planting potatoes and making garden.

On Tuesday last the pike was fairly lined with bicycles and riders, on their way to the capital, at Bellefonte, to witness the circus. The first advance passed through here about five o'clock in the morning; among the number I noticed the able editor of the Millheim *Journal*.

Egg Hill has been on fire since Monday night, destroying an immense amount of timber. Quite an army was on the hill on Tuesday night fighting the fire, and after hard work finally obtained control. The fire was the result of brush burning evidently on a scale too extended, and of course soon became "boss."

Our village is gay with flags and bunting. The National colors are displayed everywhere in honor of the recent triumphs of the American arms. On Saturday evening last the Spring Mills band marched through the town playing National airs, of course amid cheers and hurrahs for Dewey and the jolly tars. The jollification continued 'til a late hour.

The old hotel property on the "hill" now occupied by Smith Bros. as a furniture establishment, has been purchased by C. P. Long who contemplates making extensive improvements in the near future. The hotel was erected about twenty-five years since as a summer resort by I. J. Grenoble, then a very prominent citizen and the most popular merchant in Penns valley, but the venture never proved a success. The property was rapidly going to wreck.

LINDEN HALL.

Items of Interest from Our Neighboring Town.

Miss Annetta Kline was in our town on Saturday.

Lloyd Brown wears a smile; he says it is a girl

David Geiss planted the first corn in our community.

J. A. Gettig spent Sunday with friends at Fillmore.

Quite a number of our citizens went to Bellefonte on Tuesday to attend the show.

The Linden Hall Lumber Company have purchased another team for their Laurel Run job.

David Glasgo, Jr., of Tusseyville, was seen on our streets on Saturday evening with his best friend.

Mr. Kebbs, of Lrurelton, was seen in our town he was on his way to the mountain for trout fishing.

The fire on the mountains south of here were dampened by the timely rain on Tuesday night.

The Linden Hall Lumber Company have purchased four more trucks to put on their road from Linden Hall to Laurel Run.

Prof. Calvin Zeigler, of Penn Hall, was seen in our town on Monday. We are pleased to have you come around Prof.

J. H. Ross came home from New York City on Saturday, where he had gone to purchase his spring and summer goods.

The home of George Swabb was saddened a few days ago on receiving the sad new news of the death of Mrs. John Swabb, of Erie, Pa.

Harry Miller, of Coburn, spent Saturday and Sunday at this place; Doc. has not forgotten our interesting and entertaing young ladies yet.

Of Interest to Liverymen.

A decision of importance to the liverymen of Pennsylvania has been handed down by Judge Orlady, of the Superior Court. It sustains as constitutional the act of assembly of 1887, known as the Livery Act, which makes it a misdemeanor, punishable by a fine or imprisonment, to wilfully damage the property of a livery keeper. It was passed to cover cases of injury to horse or vehicle by reckless driving. The judges of five county courts have decided the act was unconstitutional. As a result the law became a dead letter. Now that the Superior Court sustains it, many cases are likely to be added to the business of the courts. People who drive hired teams recklessly and injure them will have criminal suits entered against them as of yore.

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INTERESTING FACTS.

How Cash Derived from Sale of Vessels Captured in War is Divided.

With the blockading squadron sending in captured Spanish vessels almost daily, the question of the method of disposal of such ships naturally arises. The laws are clear and explicit on the subject. A ship in being sent into port is subject to the judgment of a prize court. If the court decides it is a legitimate prize, it is sold by the United States marshal. If the prize vessel was equal or superior in force to the vessel making the capture, the entire proceeds of the sale go to the captors. If of inferior fighting ability, one-half goes to the government, to be used for payment of marine pensions, and the other half to the captors. Among the latter the money is divided as follows:

1. To the commander of a fleet or squadron, one-twentieth part of all prize money awarded to any vessel or vessels under his immediate command.

2. To the commander of a division of a fleet or squadron, a sum equal to one-fiftieth of any prize money awarded to a vessel of the division under his command, to be paid from the moiety due the United States if there be such moiety; if not, from the amount awarded the captors.

3. To the fleet captain one-hundredth part of all prize money awarded to any vessel of the fleet in which he is serving, in which case he will share in proportion to his pay with other officers and men on board such vessel.

4. To the commander of a single vessel, one-tenth of all the prize money awarded on the vessel.

5. After the foregoing deductions the residue is distributed among all others doing duty on board, and borne upon the books of the ship, in proportion to their respective rates of pay.

All vessels of a squadron within signal distance of the ship making the capture are entitled to share in the prize.

It is reported that a sailor once explained the division of prize money by saying it was sifted with a ladder, and that which remained on the rounds went to the seamen, while that which fell through belonged to the government and the officers of the ship capturing the prize.

Written Over Thirty-Two Years Ago.

A letter written and sent by Mrs. W. P. Harpster on December 26th, 1864, to Governor A. G. Curtin, at Harrisburg, asking for a position as nurse in the hospital department at Washington, was recently returned to Mrs. Harpster. The missile was found among the old files in the adjutant general's office, by H. H. Hewitt, a clerk in that department. Mr. Hewitt being a close friend of Mr. Harpster, and knowing that the letter would be appreciated by Mrs. Harpster as a relic to retain, and a reminder to her of the days when her husband was serving his country on the battle field, he kindly sent it to her with an explanation as to its recovery.—Houtzdale *Journal*.

From Cumberland County.

Leesburg, May 9th, 1899.

MR. EDITOR REPORTER:—Leaving Centre Hall with the 7 o'clock train Monday morning, for a visit to the South Mountain in Cumberland county, we noticed a few things by the way which we thought might be of interest to the many readers of your valuable paper. As we glided along in the cars stopping here and there to take on passengers, we noticed some old and young weeping; we soon learned the cause. These young stalwart men were heading for Mt. Gretna and other points. How the recollections of thirty-five years ago were pressed upon us, when we were among the number who answered the call, "to arms." It is a different thing now; it is a battle with a real enemy; a blood-thirsty foe.

All along the way we noticed evidences of a plentiful harvest. In the town where I am stopping, and the surrounding neighborhood, vegetation seems to be far in advance of Centre county; we saw peas one foot high, ready to blossom. The peach and apple blossoms are nearly all gone, and wheat ready to head.

On Sabbath while you were enjoying splendid sunshine at Centre Hall, the people of Cumberland county were having a terrific rain all day. The streams are swollen bank full and look blue for the man who likes to wrestle with the finny tribe. We shall report our luck later on. Yours Truly,

W. W. RHOADS.

Song that is Going Around.

There is a song going the rounds of the papers and runneth in this wise: We don't want to buy at your place, we won't trade there any more; you'll be sorry when you see us going to some other store. You can't sell us any stale goods; we have opened wide our eyes, we don't want to trade at your store, 'cause you do not advertise.

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May 5	59	45	cloudy.
" 6	52	37	cloudy.
" 7	53	39	cloudy.
" 8	59	34	cloudy.
" 9	68	37	part cloudy
" 10	73	38	part cloudy
" 11	73	37	cloudy.

Rainfall: On 5, afternoon, .08 inch, evening .20 inch; on 6, at night, .78 inch.

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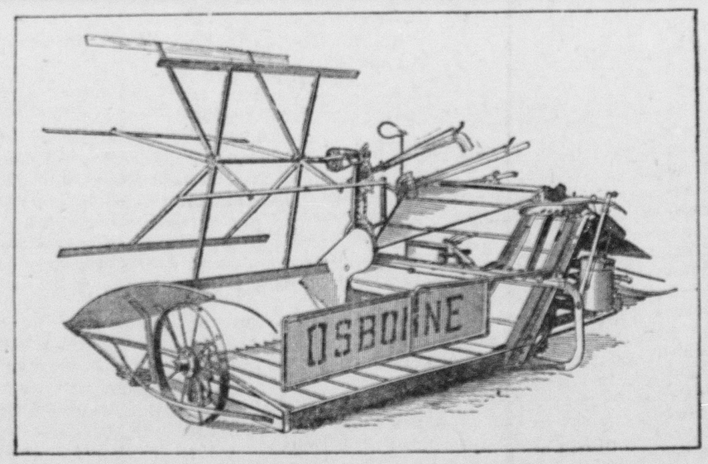

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