

THE RACKET.

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

SPECIAL SALE!

Positively for 3 Days Only.

FRIDAY, SATURDAY, MONDAY, May 20, May 21, May 23.

Children's Jackets and Reefers, Misses' Jackets and Reefers, Ladies' Suits, Ladies' Skirts, Ladies' Jackets, Ladies' Capes.

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There'll be a HOT TIME In the OLD TOWN Soon.

Straw Hats

For the men and

Shirt Waists

For the ladies will prove cool things then.

"Remember the Maine"--Store.

Wolf & Crawford.

Corner Stone Laying.

The corner stone of the new Grange Hall in course of erection, will be laid Saturday afternoon, June 4th. The following arrangements have been made by the Grangers for conducting the ceremony: They will meet in the auditorium, in Grange Park at 2 p. m., where they will form in procession and proceed to the site of the Hall, where the ceremony will be held at 2.30 p. m. Col. James Weaver has been deputized by the State Grange to conduct the ceremonies, assisted by the officers of Progress Grange. After the ceremony the grangers and their friends will return to the auditorium where an informal banquet will be held. In the evening a public festival will be held in the auditorium.

What an Old Hunter Says.

Conrad Lingle, now aged 87 years, living the past few years at Colyer, spent 65 years of his life in Poe valley. The recent account of the old days of plenty of game, being read to him from the Reporter, he too remembers how plentiful were the deer in our mountains and valleys in the days of the early settlers. Mr. Lingle tells he killed 67 deer in his time in Poe valley and oft he would shoot one near his home before breakfast. Venison, he says, at that day largely took the place of pork for meat. All kinds of game, says this venerable mountaineer, was abundant in the days of our early settlers. One of his neighbors, J. H. Ishler, obtained the facts from the old Poe valley patriarch.

Marriage Licenses.

The following marriage licenses were issued during the past week: Wm. L. McFarland and Sarah J. Dabbs, both of Philipsburg. Wm. R. Loner and Mary C. Inhoof, both of Stormstown. Orvis C. Walker and Elizabeth L. Haines, both of Rebersburg. Arthur Zeigler, Centre Hall, and Sadie Wantz, Ahronsburg. Irvin V. Musser, Harrisburg, and Verna Meyer, Centre Hall. Edward J. Cullen, Portage, Pa., and Nannie Crain, Millsburg.

For Congress.

We are informed that Col. J. L. Spangler, of Bellefonte, will be a candidate for congress, in which event we think there will be no question about his being the choice of the Democracy of our county, especially since he stood the brunt two years ago when a landslide met the Democracy.

ARRESTS FOR COUNTERFEITING.

Detectives Make a Sensational Haul in Brush Valley.

For almost two years past a large quantity of spurious coin has been afloat in the lower end of the county, especially in Brush valley, and also in Clinton county in the locality of Loganton. For months past the business men in these localities have hesitated in accepting any coin, having been imposed upon frequently in the regular channels of business intercourse. The matter finally culminated in the arrest of Valentine Breen, of Madisonburg, Clark M. Gramley, of Rebersburg, and Charles Bartges, of Loganton, all accused of making counterfeit coins and circulating the same.

About four weeks ago on a Saturday night the merchants and business men in Rebersburg had a large quantity of counterfeit half-dollars, quarters and dimes worked on them. The next day the business men met and discussed a means of stopping the circulation of the stuff. Accordingly a letter was written to the Treasury Department with the complaint. Nothing beyond an acknowledgement of the receipt of the letter by the Department was received by those who laid in complaint, and it was supposed that the officials at Washington did not deem it worthy of any action. The spurious coin still continued to circulate and every coin that was received was carefully examined, yet much of it was worked off.

About three weeks ago a man arrived at Rebersburg. His business, he said, was that of a liquor agent. He pretended to do business. Several days later two other men arrived in the town, ostensibly out on a fishing trip. There was scarce a thought among the law abiding citizens of Rebersburg that these three men were detectives and quietly gathering evidence for sensational arrests.

Last Thursday afternoon the three men hired a horse and covered wagon and drove to Madisonburg. On the street they met Valentine Breen. He was the object of their visit and was immediately placed under arrest. With their prisoner the detectives drove back to Rebersburg, arriving there about eight o'clock in the evening. A half hour after arriving in the town the detectives drove to the home of Clark Gramley. One of the detectives entered the house and found Gramley settling an account with another man. The detective waited until the business had been transacted and then read his warrant for arrest. When he came to the word counterfeit Gramley is said to have made a rush for the back door of the house to escape. One of the detectives had gone to the rear of the house, anticipating such a move and when Gramley rushed out he was grabbed. Being a strong and muscular man Gramley gave the two detectives an interesting tussle. The one on the wagon with Breen handcuffed his prisoner to the wagon seat and joined the fray. Gramley felled one of the men with a blow, and it was only when he was himself dropped by a billie that he submitted to be handcuffed. When he rushed out of the house, Gramley it is said, threw away a handful of coin. The detectives made a search and found the greater part of them. Most of these were spurious.

With their two prisoners the detectives drove back to the hotel and got supper and after nine o'clock started for Coburn, where they stayed all night. Friday morning the detectives with Breen and Gramley handcuffed together boarded the train for Altoona, where the accused men Thursday evening were arraigned before United States Commissioner McLeod, who in default of \$1000 each bail committed them to the Hollidaysburg jail for a hearing. The hearing for Gramley will be held tomorrow, Friday, and on Saturday the case against Breen will be heard.

Friday morning a start was made by a detective for Loganton, two miles across the mountain from Rebersburg. At that place Charles Bartges was arrested without any trouble. It is said a large quantity of counterfeit money molds and mold frames were secured. Saturday morning he was taken to Altoona and remained for a hearing. In Breen's house and barn at Madisonburg the detectives claim to have found a considerable amount of counterfeit money and the necessary metal and molds to make it.

A search of Gramley's house did not reveal anything of an incriminating nature, except a counterfeit coin.

Pleasant Band Serenades.

That noted institution, the Pleasant Gap band, was present to discourse excellent music for Decoration on Monday evening, and also complimented the Reporter with a serenade, for which we extend the band our editorial thanks.

We were also called to listen by telephone to a serenade from a Bellefonte Decoration band, and the wire telling strains to our ear from the county seat. Thanks.

New Reformed Minister.

Rev. Thomas Levan Bickel, was installed on Sunday evening, 22 ult., as pastor of the Bellefonte Ref. church. Rev. S. L. Whitmore, of Midlinburg, preached the sermon and Rev. Black, of Boalsburg, conducted the ordination services, assisted by Rev. Jas. M. Runkle, of Hublersburg.

THE NEW WATER PLANT.

The Contractors Hurrying Along their Work on the Job.

Last week the contractor, Mr. Malone, came on the ground and is now hustling along the new boro water plant. From the station up through town most of the ditching has been done, and the men are now working up in the mountain. The main pipe line ditch is almost completed up to where the reservoir is to be located in the mountain. The main line of the street mains goes down east Church street to the west side of the residence of B. H. Arney. At this point the line makes a curve and enters the field. For a distance of several thousand feet the line is straight up to the springs. The branch line ditches will be started in a few days. The pipe layers have their work completed up to the Evangelical church. At every corner a fire hydrant has been placed.

When the contract was made last summer the cost of pipe and laying same amounted to \$6200. This was the estimate when the council intended going to the Bible tract below town. In taking the Arney water and placing the reservoir on this tract the cost will not be so great. The people have voted \$5,000 to bond the town. It is the opinion of nearly all that another election must be held to vote more funds to complete the plant. It is estimated that it will require at least \$4500 for the plant exclusive of the reservoir. For the Arney lease \$60 a year for 21 years will be paid. For the Bible water \$50 must be paid for the first five years, and \$75 every year thereafter. On the Arney water there is reserved for the property of B. H. Arney 1 1/2 inches of water. Also one inch for the property of John T. Lee.

The boro has not let a contract for the reservoir, but will likely be placed in a few days. Council has one under consideration of 75 by 50 feet, to be made of clay. The reservoir will be placed that about 50 to 60 pounds pressure will be had in the centre of the town.

If the water on the Arney tract is not sufficient to supply the town the water from Bible's will be piped up, a distance of almost a mile.

We understand also that should the supply of water from both tracts not be sufficient, meters will be placed.

QUIETLY WEDDED.

Miss Verna Meyer and Mr. Irvin V. Musser Married Yesterday Morning.

Yesterday morning a quiet wedding was solemnized at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Meyer, in this place, in which their daughter, Miss Verna, was united to Mr. Irvin V. Musser, of Harrisburg, Pa.

The ceremony took place at 11 o'clock, and was witnessed by only the immediate family. Rev. Eisenberg officiated at the ceremony. An elaborate repast followed.

The bride and groom departed on the 3.00 o'clock train for the groom's home in Harrisburg, and will at once go to housekeeping.

The bride has made many friends in our town since residing here but a little over a year, and all wish her and her husband all attainable happiness.

Mr. Musser is in the employ of the National Biscuit Company, as a salesman, in Harrisburg. He is a young man of good qualities, and has made an excellent choice of the one who shall share his joys and cares.

A Complaint from Stone Mill.

At the request of a citizen of Stone Mill, we note his complaint that some of our boys that go over there to fish are guilty of bad conduct and he hopes this notice will serve as a warning and prevent a repetition and prosecution. We were sorry to hear this because we know there are some good boys in our village who may get a share of the blame wrongfully.

He says the conduct of the boys is offensively boisterous; some have revolvers and alarm folks there by firing them off endangering the lives of persons, as in one instance a pistol ball came within a few inches of striking a little girl in the face, while in another case a bullet crashed through a window. Without mentioning names our complainant says the leader in this conduct belongs to a parent of would-be importance.

It is unlawful for any persons to carry concealed weapons and parents should not allow their boys to carry revolvers.

Large Cattle Raising.

Our enterprising townsman, lumberman E. M. Huyett, who has his new lumber operations in the mountains beyond Colyer, under headway, intends to turn his 1500 acre timber tract into a summer pasturage for beef cattle. He now has 52 head in those woods and it is his purpose to increase the number to several hundred right along. These cattle will be under the care of a keeper specially hired, to salt them, and look after them daily.

In the fall the big herd will be driven to near Centre Hall, where he intends to erect large sheds this summer in which the cattle will be fed for fattening during the winter.

Raised a Flag.

The school board purchased a flag recently, and on Monday raised a large pole on the corner of the school grounds from which Old Glory now proudly floats. The flag is 10x15 feet. It was raised without any ceremony whatever.

MEMORIAL DAY EXERCISES.

Pleasant Weather and a Large Crowd Add Interest.

The Memorial day exercises were observed according to the usual program in the town Monday. The program was all that could be desired, and a great many people were in town to attend the exercises.

At six o'clock the members of the Samuel Shannon Post, G. A. R., assembled in front of the Post room. With the Pleasant Gap band at the head veterans marched to the cemetery, followed by the spectators. At the cemetery a stand draped with bunting stood in the center of the ground from which the speaking was done. While the band played a dirge little children in charge of veterans strewed the graves of the departed comrades with flowers.

Rev. Rearick delivered an address. Mrs. G. P. Thomas then read an original poem appropriate to the day. Rev. James Boal, of Port Carbon, Pa., was the next speaker. The program was interspersed with music by the band.

The town was gaily decorated with bunting and flags, and the effect was very pretty. After the services at the cemetery the Pleasant Gap band gave a concert in front of the hotel, which was delightfully listened to by a large crowd.

The Worry of Holding Office.

Even a boro' high-constable has his worries and his woes in the discharge of his duties, as much so as the President of the United States. Of this we were convinced on hearing high-constable Capt. Will Runkle relate a week's experience of complaints, of which we can recall only these few:

Complaints that the Brisbin, Kurtz, Smith, Emerick, Krise and other alleys contained obstructions, complaint that at the Lose plaining mill a building was built square on the street; complaint that some folks lead horse or cow to a by-road to eat the luxuriant grass while held at halter's length; complaint over ancient board piles on a street near the station; complaint of some one having thrown a bunch of weeds from his lot onto an out-of-the-way part of the road, complaint that Clemens had a little steamer standing in his alley, &c., &c. If these are some of the trials that weary a boro' official, isn't it a wonder that men are ambitious to be President? Some of the above complaints are trifling, and others just.

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Established 1880.

G. O. BENNER, Proprietor.

A MICROSCOPE IS NOT NECESSARY

To see the startling bargains offered below. They are plain enough even for the short sighted.

The following at the special prices, will be offered for cash only. Under no circumstances will there be sold, at these figures, but for the cash down.

Abbe's Coffee, per lb. 10c  
Head Light Oil, per gal. 10c  
Banner Lye, with checker board 10c  
Wire Nails, per 10 25c  
Family Soap, 5oz to 4 lbs. 75c  
Brace and 5 bits, worth 1.50 75c  
The famous Wire Rat Trap 85c  
The best of Syrup, Ajax, per gal. 27c  
Men's Molekin Pants 75c  
Brownie Overalls 25c  
Ladies' Tan Hose 1.00  
Ladies' Dr. & Shoe 1.00  
Ladies' Storm Overalls 25c

Two Specials for Saturday only,

A large Market Basket 2c  
A good Wash Basket 10c

Don't fail to see our Ladies' Oxford Ties from 75c to 1.00.

We have many new things to show you in Shoes, Clothing, Ladies' Waists, Tin Ware, Hardware, etc.

Don't fail to get, on Saturday, a basket worth 10c. for 2c.

Our Business Grows

Because we are leaders in our line. Because it deserves to, and will grow as long as it deserves to, and no longer.

Because our stock is kept at full tide of completeness and variety. Because low prices on high quality goods always rule here.

Because fair and honorable dealings are a supreme rule of the house. Because custom like our way of doing it, and being a good thing, is like a wheelbarrow, pushed along by each one who uses it.

The last of our Shirt Waists, \$1, 75c, 50c styles. Your choice at 25c.

The last of a lot of Gingham for dresses, 8c and 10c goods—the balance 5c—can't last long.

A few Challis and Lawns—were 5c and 6c—now 3 1/2c.

Don't blame us if you wait too long.

GARMAN'S STORE, BELLEFONTE, PA.

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—TO OUR—

June Bargains.

A First Class Baby Carriage, - \$5.00  
Porch Settees, - - - - \$1.25

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Manufacturers, importers and wholesalers as a rule have advanced the prices on nearly everything. They argue that in War Times prices must necessarily advance. But patrons of the Globe will never know it happened. With one of the largest stocks ever brought to Centre county, bought at a time when prices were at the lowest. We are prepared for all emergencies. When you think of us, think of saving money.

What We Sell We Guarantee!

We want you to know that we mean it. Everything you buy here must please you, or we'll be pleased to return to you your money. In spite of all conditions we continue to grow, for ours is a policy that spells "SUCCESS."

This Morning We Tell You of a Few Good Things which can be Found only Here.

We have only a few short pieces left of the 23c. Wash Silk. When they are gone we cannot replace them under 40c.

If you want to buy a good Corset that is sold everywhere for \$1.00, come and see us and get it for 50c. It is the best selling and biggest Corset bargain we ever offered.

Our plain India Linens at 8, 10, and 12 1/2c. are elegant in quality.

Lace Curtains, formerly sold at \$1.50, this week, 98c.

Lace Curtains that cannot be matched anywhere under \$2.50, this week only \$1.50. We want you to come and examine these and compare with other stores as we know we are right on this.

The very latest thing in Ladies' Neckwear.

All the nobby and stylish things that are being shown, all sold at popular prices.

500 boxes Papetrie, each box contains 24 sheets fine note paper and 24 square envelopes, regular price, 25c. Special for a few days at 8c.

Carpet Dept.

Our sales in our new Carpet Department have greatly exceeded our expectations.

We have an Excellent Line and Prices Are Right.

A good quality Ingrain Carpet, at 25c.

And a Superb Brussels at 50 & 60c

All Great Trade winners!

Millinery

Department

Every new shape that is pretty we have on our tables as soon as it is shown in Eastern cities.

New Things in Fine Sailors this Week.

New Stock of Flowers.

A Handsome Line of Ribbons suitable for Ladies' Sashes.

No charge for Trimming hats.

KATZ & CO.,

Makers of Low Prices and Terrors to All Competitors.

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