

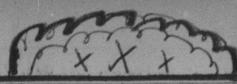
months and 10 days.

Pa., on June 20th.

cemetery.

DIED ON MONDAY MORNING.

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#### THE CENTRE REPORTER.

#### CENTRE HALL, PA., THURS. July 13

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Garman's Store. Pa. Bellefonte, \*

## The Season is on

## INGS AND PICNICS.

True, everyone enjoys spending a few hours or days in the mountains partaking of Nature's gifts, former employer. But one child was pleasing the eye with the picturesque, moss covered rocks, and the trees trimmed with their beautiful this now lively town was but a hamtoliage, filling the lungs with the let of a few houses. He resided here pure mountain air, and quenching since and has seen its steady growth the thirst with the bright sparkling water.

OUR FOURTH.

# DIED IN ILLINOIS.

## tre Hall

Our Nation's Natal day was appro-The death of Mr. William Wolf occurred at about half past four o'clock priately observed in Centre Hall and dent of this section, and the father of on Monday morning, at his home, aft- the day was celebrated with the spirit D. K. Geiss, of Centre Hall, died at er an illness covering but a short pe- of '76. The celebration was gotten up his home in Illinois, on Thursday, riod of time, at the age of 75 years, 2 by the Sons of Veterans Camp, of Cen- June 29th. From the Manhattan, Ill., tre Hall. The day was fine, the weath- Weekly Record, we are able to glean

His illness was caused by a tumor- er being all that could be desired. The the following. ous growth on the liver and first man- town was gayly decorated with flags Father David B. Geiss was born in ifested itself when on a trip to York, and bunting and many beautiful ef- Lebanon county, Pa., April 16, 1812. fects were produced.

In the morning a parade of the or- Susannah Geiss, nee Bright. Lutheran Synod, and returned home der of Sons of Veterans headed by the On Aug. 18, 1834, he was married to Jar Tops, He had gone there as delegate to the suffering from the disease. It was not Pleasant Gap band, was the feature. Miss Sarah Kerlin. This union was Jar Rubbers, until June 30th that he became bed- They were followed by a brigade on blessed with twelve children, of which Tin Fruit Jar Fil fast, and it was seen that the chances wagons and horseback dressed in gro- six are still living. In 1859 his com- 1 qt. Mason Fruit for his recovery were small indeed. tesque and comical costumes. There panion departed this life, and in 1860 For over a week his death was looked was a continual banging of crackers he was again married to Mrs. Catha-for. He was growing weeker deily and anything that muld crackers he was again married to Mrs. Cathafor. He was growing weaker daily and anything that would produce rine Runkle, a sister of his first wife, Jelly Tumblers, and there were times when it was noise. In the afternoon a game of ball who preceded him in death in 1890. Cherry Seeders, thought that the slender thread of life between the Rebersburg and Millheim Of the six children still living are: would be severed ere it was. He re- teams was played on Giange Park. mained conscious until near the end, Other sports were indulged in, and the Centre Hall, Ps.; Daniel K., Joliet, recognizing the friends around him, crowd was kept amused and interest- Ill.; J. K., Beloit, Kan.; Mary J., Gied. In the evening a cavalcade on rard, Kansas, and Anna C.; Manhatand conversing with them.

Boal, paraded the streets of the town. preceding the deceased was Mrs. Suday morning at 10 o'clock. Services The horsemen numbered about thirty. will be held in the Lutheran church, The band discoursed music through- Mary Flink, Mrs. Ida J. Kerlin, Geiss Rev. J. M. Rearick officiating. Interout the day on Grange Park. The or- Wagner, and Rev. W. J. Wagner, who prices. ment will be held in the Centre Hall der was good in the town, and there was here recently to visit his grandwas no trouble of any kind. Every father, and preached in Grace United one was out for a good time and they

William Wolf was the son of Jacob had it. Wolf, one of the pioneer settlers in Miles township. He was born near Rebersburg, April 30, 1824, was educated in the public schools, and worked on his father's farm until he was twenty-two years old. He then entered the store of Henry Witmer, at Aaronsburg, as clerk. The following year when Mr. Witmer moved to Centre Hall and entered the hotel business, Mr. Wolf accompanied him and took charge of the store in this place. Several years later he bought the store FOR SUMMER OUT- from his employer, and remained in the business until a few years ago when he retired from the firm.

In 1854, Mr. Wolf was married to Miss Anna Witmer, a daughter of his born to them, J. Witmer Wolf, now of the firm of Wolf & Crawford.

When Mr. Wolf came to Centre Hall to the foremost in the valley. It was then without postal facilities and he was the first postmaster appointed in

Then, too, there is another pleas- 1858, a position he held for twelve ing feature connected with these years, and again serving in that capacoutings-that of opening the lunch ity under President Cleveland's administration. In 1876 he was elected basket, providing it contains some president of the Penns Valley bank, of Wolf & Crawford's Fine Cream and served until several years ago Cheese, Sardines, Salmon, Potted when he was succeeded by Mr. Simon Mr. Wolf's vocation was that of a merchant, but he was identified with add a very important item to the other enterprises during his life, until above, "You Need a Biscuit." We he retired from active business pursuits four or five years ago. He was a prominent member of the Centre Hall Lutheran church, and held various positions in that charge throughout his life. For a number of years he was a trustee of the Gettysburg Theological Seminary.

William Wolf, One of Our Earliest Citizens The Day Appropriately Observed in Cen- David B. Geiss, a Former Resident of this Mr. David B. Geiss, a one time resi-

THAN ANY OTHER STORE IN THE VALLEY?

His parents were George Adam and

William F., in Chicago; David K.,

# Let Us Prove it with Goods Right In Season.

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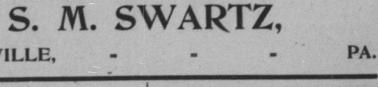
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Were you to make the above purchase and lay down Three Dol-The funeral will take place on Fri- horse back marshalled by postmaster tan, Ill. The only married daughter lars, we would give you eighty-six cents change-the "other fellows" only forty-five cents.

We have all sizes in Enameled Preserve Kettles and at right

4 sizes in Brass Kettles.



We have just received a lot of

**SPRING AND SUM-**MER GOODS.



Twenty Chamber **Must be** Sold....



Easy Payments.

For Cash and

Prices 'Way Down.

COME SEE H. F. Rossman,

SPRING MILLS.

The Piney Oil Company. The Piney Oil Company was reorganized in Bellefonte a few days ago, with the following officers : President, H. Y. Stitzer, Bellefonte. Secretary, J. W. Alexander, Bellef.

Treasurer, S. M. Swartz, Tusseyville. Solicitor, N. B. Spangler, Bellefonte. Directors : H. Y. Stitzer, D. B. Brisbin, S. M. Swartz, Rev. S. G. Shannon and N. B. Spangler.

It is the intention of the company to open a large operation at their coal vein, as well as to thoroughly prospect the land for oil.

The Piney Company was first organized at Centre Hall in the early days of the oil excitement, a farm was pur- the Evangelical Lutheran church, the chased in the oil field, and considerable money spent in prospecting for oil cated till the last, and yet, so situated without making a strike. Latterly as to be deprived of the privileges of prospects are good for coal and this has the church of his choice, never negcalled the company into life again.

Nothing would be more pleasing than a bonanza finally for the Piney stockholders, after many years of patient waiting. Then we'd sing :

"Oil at last at Blueville-Money now to burn ; Whether school is keepin'

Needn't care a dern ; Hustlin' every which way Mornin', noon and night; Rush for board and lodgin'

san K. Wagner, the mother of Mrs. Evangelical church. This was the last sermon he was permitted to hear. Father Geiss lived in Pennsylvania until 1867, when he came to Illinois, where he resided until his death, on TUSSEYVILLE, Thursday, June 29, at 11.30 a. m., in

Manhattan township, when he peacefully passed into his rest. The cause of his death was old age with its weaknesses, ending in dropsy. The departed arrived at an age of 87 years, 2 months and 13 days. He leaves to mourn his departure six aforesaid chil-dren and two step children, Mrs. John mourn his departure six aforesaid chil-Cronmiller, of Joliet, and J. K. Runkle who has been residing with him.

Also a niece, Mrs. Johnson, whom he raised from her infancy, and who now resides in Iowa.

lected an opportunity to work with any other orthodox church, and for this reason for a number of years has been associating his labors with the United Evangelical church here.

The funeral services took place on Saturday, July 1, at 10 a. m., at the old home, Rev. F. W. Landwer, officiating, and who chose for his text Phil. 1:22. A large number of relatives and

Reformed Church Re-union.

Married at Bellefonte.

nedy, of Williamsport, and Miss Elsie

Struck Water.

On the Fourth of July John C. Ken-

departed companion.

Bellefonte.

In early life he and wife united with To make room doctrines of which he faithfully advo- for Fall trade.

Ham, Chipped Beef, Corned Beef, Harper to that position. Olives, etc. We almost forgot to have them.

# Wolf & Crawford.

#### Dealth at Bellefonte.

William Wallace Hays, one of the oldest and most prominent citizens of Bellefonte, was found dead in his bed of heart failure on Sunday morning. He had spent the evening bei. re with some of his immediate friends. The was the son of Robert Hayes, one of the original settlers of Bellefonte, who came there in 1814, and was 78 years Interior department at Washington, count of ill health was forced to resign very valuable. His collection of 1794 Bellefonte, and a brother, Alfred A. Hays, of Ashton, Mo.

Transfer of Real Estate.

Isaac C. Smith to Centre Hall school district, 1 acre and 116 perches, woods in boro, \$600.

P. B. Waddle's exr's to D. L. Meek, 244 acres in Patton twp., \$8514. Daniel C. Grove to F. S. Heverly, 22

acres in Benner twp., \$660. Elizabeth Brown to David L. Zerby,

house and lot in Millheim, \$500. F. S. Heverly to Daniel C. Grove,

15 acres in Benner, \$375. L. A. Echaeffer to Wm. C. Heinle,

440 sires in Rush and Miles twp's, \$1. P. B. Waddle's heirs to D. L. Meek, 105 acres in Patton twp., \$1.

#### First Wheat in Market.

Selinsgrove's first newly threshed grain of the season was marketed there on Saturday, and brought 75 cents per bushel. The farmer is expecting more than the average acreage. Potatoes are now selling at 75 cents a bushel, and the late crop, it is predicted, will be larger than in many years past. Old Seelystettle beats Centre county by two weeks in this.

Try the Reporter for all job printing. the other side of the valley.

He was the brother of ex-Co. Com-Mrs. Daniel Ziegler, of Millheim; Rev. night he started home. While coming Dr. E. J. Wolf, of the Gettysburg Theand the son, survive him.

Eye Destroyed.

Amos Parker, west of town, met old. He was the first to introduce the with quite a serious accident recently, business of tanning in this county, which deprived him of the sight of an which he continued until 1855. He eye, along with other injuries of no then left this county and carried on little consequence. He was working business in Danville, Shamokin and for Joseph Grossman, who is putting Springfield, Iil., until the fall of 1870, up a new barn on his property across when he accepted a position in the near Tusseyville. A heavy blast had been placed to blow out some rock. which he held for 25 years, but on ac- The charge did not explode when expected and Mr. Parker, thinking the in 1895. Since that time he has made fuse had burned out, went back to rehis home at Bellefonte. His collection light the charge. When he stood over of United States coins is considered the hole there was an explosion, the broken stone striking him full in the cents in widely known among collec- face and right arm. A piece of stone tors. The members of Mr. Hays's fam- entered his left eye and destroyed the ily who survive him are his only sight. His right arm was fearfully daughter, Mrs. J. W. Gephart, of lacerated, the flesh being blown full of particles of stone and ground. He suffered greatly, but has recovered sufficiently to allow him to make an oc-

casional visit down to town.

#### Tenth Census District.

The tenth census district of this state is composed of the counties of Centre, Clearfield, Montour, Northumberland, Snyder and Union. The supervisor is H. A. Reed, of Sunbury. The census takers under him will be over 200. Applicants must apply to supervisor Reed. Centre county will have some 40 enumerators, one in each township and boro. In the interest of Harmony none but Quayites need apply. The state has been divided into 19

districts.

#### florse Bites Child's Finger Off.

Nevel, Dr. Emerick informs us, lost left wrist. the little finger of one of her hands, on Saturday last in a peculiar way. The little one was endeavoring to feed a pet

Prices out of sight.

"Oil at last at Blueville— Every foot of land Not already taken

Not already taken In corking good demand ; No more hard-up grumbles, Not a single croak ; Everybody happy"— Then the native woke.

#### Robbed Near Selinsgrove.

Postmaster George C. Wagonseller, of Selinsgrove, was a victim of a highway robbery a few days ago. He drove missioner John Wolf, of Rebersburg; to Shamokin Dam, and about midthrough a closed bridge two robbers | Lock Haven, Bellefonte, Wilkesbarre, ological Seminary; Henry Wolf, of jumped out from a hiding place, one Tomhicken, Mt. Carmel, Lykens, Har-Mifflinburg. These with the widow holding the horse and the other throttling the already thoroughly frightened

Postmaster and both demanding his money. Under the circumstances Mr. 5.45 p. m., will be run through to Wagonseller felt rather liberally inclined and gave them \$16, all he had with him. He also offered them his watch, but they refused to accept and disappeared.

#### Trout Caught.

The trout season closes on Saturday. Rev. Stephens. A wedding dinner Anglers had better luck than in the was served at the home of J. Mitchell Leib, after which the bride and groom three previous seasons, and if all the catches were reported, the number of departed on a wedding tour. The of this county would run high in the making her home with John Puff, thousands. So far as reported to the and is well known here. Among the Reporter office, the catches were as follows:

Walter Garrity, 1500; Rev. Rhodes, will reside with his bride in Williams-750 ; editor Harter, 700 ; Rev. Christ- port, where he is employed. ine, 500; F. Kurtz, 700. The largest trout we hear of was 14 inches, by section boss Osman, of Poemills. Send in your luck and sizes; there

are others who have good scores.

Leg Broken. Last Friday afternoon, W. W.

Spangler, Potters Mills' former postmaster had a leg broken below the knee mass of magnetic rock was struck, He was driving the hay rake when which caused pieces of iron and nails the horse became unmanageable and to cling tenaciously to the tools. In selected by senators Quay and Penrose, began to kick, striking Mr. Spangler his experience in punching holes in below the knee, producing a compound fracture of the bone. He is improving ber of wells, Al says he has but once as well as can be expected under the before struck the magnetic rock. circumstances.

#### Wrist Broken.

While Mrs. James P. Coburn, on ers of the American Revolution at the cial at the home of Mrs. Frank Bradattending the reunion of the Daughtclub house at Hecla, a short time ago, in making a mistep was thrown down A four year old daughter of Wes. a short flight of stairs, fracturing her

#### Where Rattlesnakes are Plenty.

Rattlesnakes are reported so plentihorse some grass held in her hand, un- ful in the mountains up Loyalsock fortunately getting too close to the an- creek in Lycoming county, that the from stations in this valley, transportimal's teeth the little finger was nip- lumber and bark jobbers are having ing them to New Jersey. There were ped off. The family resides across on trouble to keep their men at work, and two crews, of about 40 men, with the many are deserting the camps.

friends were present to show their re spect and esteem for the departed. The interment took place in the

Klingler cemetery by the side of his JOHN SMITH & BRO.,

The Third Annual Reunion of the 9-30 Reformed Churches in Central Pennsylvania, will be held at Island Park, Our baby has been continually troub-Sunbury, Thursday, July 20, 1899. For led with colic and cholera infantum this occasion the Pennsylvania Railsince his birth, and all we could do for him did not seem to give more than Now Completed road Company will sell excursion tickets to Sunbury and return, limited to temporary relief, until we tried Chamday of issue at single fare for the round berlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea trip, no raise less than 25 cents, from Remedy. Since giving that remedy he has not been troubled. We want to give you this testimonial as an evirisburg and intermediate stations. dence of our gratitude, not that you Train 101 which leaves Montandon need it to advertise your meritorious on arrival of train 1, leaving Sunbury remedy .-- G. M. Law, Keokuk, Iowa. For sale by J. H. Ross, Linden Hall; S. M. Swartz, Tusseyville; F. A. Carson, Potters Mills; H. F. Rossman, Spring Mills,

Reduced Rates to Philadelphia,

Austin, of Bellefonte, were married at Methodist parsonage, Bellefonte, by Convention, to be held at Philadelphia July 21, 1899, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company has arranged to sell to all persons applying excursion tickets from stations on its line in the State of speckled beauties caught in the streams bride formerly resided in Centre Hall, Pennsylvania, to Philadelphia, at rate of single fare for the round trip (minimum rate fifty cents). presents she received was a silver tea Tickets will be sold on July 20 only, set. The groom is a plumber, and and will be good to return until 23, inclusive.



On account of the prohibition State Ones must Go at Reduced Prices.

Spray still leads.

## G. H. LONG,

Spring Mills,

THE ALASKA REFRIGERATOR.

The only ice-saving box made.

W. R. BRACHBILL,

BELLEFONTE, PA.

EVERYTHING IN SEASON The creamery is having Al Krape drilling a well, being obliged to do it to get fresh and clear water. A depth Here you are of over 180 feet was reached yesterday, when the drill tapped a stream suffic-**Go**=Carts ient to supply all the demands to be made upon it. In drilling the well, a the earth, and he has put down a num-Also we have **Baby Carriages** The Ladies' Aid Society of the Presbyterian church, will hold a porch so-\$4.75 and Upwards. ford, on Saturday evening, July 15th. The Largest Assortment in Central Penna. Ice cream, cake, coffee, etc. will be

## church. All are cordially invited. Big Load of Ties.

served. Proceeds for the benefit of the

Porch Social.

On Wednesday, 5th, the Penn'a railroad took out a long train load of ties train.

Spring Mills.

**Repairs Are** 

And as we go to arrange the goods to suit our new room, we find too much goods for even our enlarged shelf and counter

These Goods and Many New