THE CENTRE REPORTER.

CENTRE HALL, PA., THURS. Feb. 22

How Are Those Shoes Wearing?

Perhaps you are one of the very large number who bought shoes at this store in the last few months. If you are, the question applies to

of our shoes that are in service. Our interest never ceases while the shoes "live."

We want to know just how the shoes we sell wear. If any make that we handle isn't up to the mark, we are just as eager to know it as anyone could be--and if you don't tell us how the shoes wear, we can never know whether our shoemakor not.

Mingle's Shoe Store. Bellefonte, Pa.

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Finds us at our same business -saving customers many dollars

and Men's Suits.

Men's Suits, - \$2.00 to \$20.00 \$1.98 to 15.00 Men's Overcoats, Children's Cape Over-

\$1.48 to 5.00

be neatly and comfortably fitted in ed from active duty as pastor emeritus. Underwear, Hose, Boots and Shoes, especially in Snag Proof Rubbers, dresses, received into the church over you cannot do better than by call- one thousand members, administered ing at the Potters Mills Bargain six hundred and ninety-eight bap-

Year to all!

F. A. CARSON POTTERS MILLS.

The Musical Convention.

The musical convention held in the U. Ev. church, last week, Prof. Crawford, conductor, was a complete suc- Four churches were organized from cess. The class numbered upwards of colonies going out from these two seventy-five voices, and they were an churches. unusually fine set of vocalists, acquiting themselves creditably in every were delighted throughout. Hence

The Thursday evening concert drew ing taken up. The concert was a fine long served.

ed a brief and neat address.

We never knew an audience to conduct itself more orderly, we are pleased long to be remembered.

The receipts by the convention were some profit.

Lewisburg Prisoners Escape.

way out of jail on Wednesday mornand used a rude wooden key on one of them." the outer locks. They asked William Sirickland, another prisoner, to go with them, but he declined and yelled for help, but too late.

Recent Mifflin County Deaths. Almshouse, Faith Goddard, age 75. Almshouse, John Crumy, age 66. Belleville, Allen Koser, age 18. Burnham, Beverly Price, age 41. Lewistown, Fred. Smith, age 73. Belleville, Mrs. Elizabeth W. Wills,

REV. HAMILL DEAD.

The Venerable and Respected Minister Gone to His Reward. Rev. Robert Hamill, D. D., the venerable and well-known Presbyterian divine, died at the home of his daughter at Philadelphia, last Thursday, aft-

er a brief illness, in his 85th year.

He was born at Norristown, Pa., in 1816, and was educated at the High school at Lawrenceville, N. J., and at Jefferson College, Cannonsburg, Pa.

After receiving his college degree he returned to Lawrenceville and taught for two years. He then entered Princeton Theological Seminary at Princeton, N. J., and after three years was ordained a Presbyterian minister. We are interested in every pair For many years he resided at Oak Hall, until within recent years when he made his residence in Philadelphia. He was twice married, both wives being dead, and is survived by four sons and two daughters.

He was a Director of Princeton Seminary, and for many years was a trustee of Lafayette College.

Dr. Hamill came here a young man, Sinking Creek and Spring Creek churches being his first charge, fiftyfive years ago. He was an ideal Pastor, was honored and respected by all for his strict piety, and in his church one of the strongest pillars, and one of ers are living up to their contracts the safest counselors. In the Huntingdon Presbytery, of which he was a member for fifty-five years, his opinion had more weight than any other member. With the ability he possessed he could have obtained places in large towns and wealthy churches, but he preferred to cast his lot with the country churches, where he became greatly attached to his people, as they were to him. He did not have an equal as a Pastor in the family, as well as being able in the pulpit.

Rev. Hamill, a licentiate of the Presbytery of New York, on invitation, visited the Sinking Creek and Spring Creek churches in the year 1845, and a short time after received a unanimous call to become their Pastor. Accepting these calls, he was ordained and installed as pastor on the 5th of June, Mackintoshes, Overcoats 1846. This relation he sustained twenty-nine years-until April 1874. Then having been called for his whole time by Spring Creek, (Lemont church) he resigned the charge of Sinking Men's Mackintoshes, \$1.48 to 10.00 Creek and served Spring Creek for sixteen years longer, thus completing a pastorate of forty-five years.

When on application to Presbytery for permission to resign his charge on account of impaired health, he was, at If you are looking for a place to the request of the congregation, retir-

During this pastorate Dr. Hamill delivered six thousand sermons and adtisms, ordained twenty Elders, attend-A Happy and Prosperous New ed over five hundred funerals, solemnized two hundred and five marriages, made over nine thousand pastoral visits, and traveled over fifty thousand ler.

miles in the execution of his work. He baptized, received into the church and married, the parents and the children, and in some instances the children's children. Fourteen young men were introduced into the Gospel ministry from the bounds of his charge. Many precious seasons of revival, with large ingatherings were experienced.

The means used by him in the prosecution of his work were the direct piece rendered and the large audiences | presentation of the cardinal teachings, doctrinal and practical, of the Gospel we do not make special mention of truth, pressed home upon the heart names, as all in the class are deserving and conscience, and coupled with faithof praise in the musical feast, as well- ful following up by pastoral visitation and personal counsel from house to house. At the close of his long pasa good house, and only a necromance torate he remarked that a new generaperformance in Arcadia hall on same tion had grown up. He survived all evening, prevented standing room be- the old members of the church he so

In a letter written to a frieud a short Fridaylevening's concert was an over- time ago he remarked that he "did not flow affair. Aisles, stairways and seats, think that a single member of the were packed. The program for the church as it was then constituted surconcert was an excellent one and the vived, and the younger ones, who Overseer Poor, Emanuel Cronemiller; performance equal to it. When the were children when I left them have, Tax Collector, S. H. Winkleblech; Suprogram was about half through, in I suppose, grown out of my acquain- pervisor, T. E. Smith, A. M. Bower; order to afford a rest for the class, Rev. tance, so that if I should happen to Auditor, I. W. Winkleblech; Clerk, G. Christine was called upon and deliver- drop down among you I would have to be introduced to some of the children whom I baptized."

Dr. Hamill was a faithful pastor, a to say. The convention was an event sound and instructive preacher, and was honored and beloved by his flock Rev. Rhodes and his assistants de- through his long pastoral career. Aftserve great credit for the get-up of the er his retirement from the Spring Nerhood; Reg. Assessor, J. R. Lemon; Creek church he made his home with his daughter in Philadelphia. Thus \$110.39, leaving the church a hand- ended the life of one whose memory is sacred in the homes of many of his people in our valley. Parents talk to their children of his Christian charac-Three Lewisburg criminals cut their ter, and his strict piety and Christian counsel has left its impress in many ing. They are George Hassenplug, homes, which will bear fruit in ages to serving a sentence of nine months, and come. "Blessed are the dead who die John Renfer, convicted of larceny. in the Lord, for they rest from their They cut several iron bars with a saw labors and their works do follow

An Old School Teacher, John R. Sheffler, probably one of the oldest school teachers in Centre county, died at his home at Bellefonte last Saturday, after an illness of about a year, from a kidney and dropsical ailment. He was aged about 65 years and was a direct descendent of Kentucky's famous pioneer, Daniel Boone. He is survived by a wife and ten child- W. H. Grove, John Martin; Auditor, closely, and we find that the personal ren. Interment was made in the Belle- E. E. Smith; Overseer of Poor, Daniel property to be put at these sales, will fonte cemetery on Monday.

ELECTION RESULTS.

The Men Elected to Fill the Municipal Of-

The election in the boro and Potter township was unusually quiet, no conno election was being held. A threefourths vote only was polled.

The following were elected as boro' officers on Tuesday:

Judge of Election: John Krumbine. Inspectors: Daniel O. Stover, Wilbur Henney.

Councilmen: W. H. Bartholmew, W. F. Bradford. School Directors: D. A. Boozer, S.

W. Smith. Burgess: John Riter. Overseer: F. E. Arney. Collector: W. A. Sandoe.

Auditor: F. A. Foreman.

High Constable: Lewis Sunday. In Bellefonte the fight was on chief Dem., and Ned Blanchard, Rep., in ed in being defeated by his popular opponent by only nine majority in that dwelling for himself and his bride.

strong Republican town. carried Bellefonte, for tax collector; treasurer, Charles Cook, Rep.; counly, Reps. ; P. H. Gerrity, Dem. ; school man, Reps.; A. C. Mingle, Dem; jus tice of the peace, H. H. Harshbarger, Rep. ; John Keichline, Dem. The Republicans named here are anti-Quay.

Gregg Township.

W. P.-Judge Election, D. H. Ruhl; Inspectors, J. N. Leitzel, W. H. Smith; Reg. Assessor, C. C. Bartges. East P. -Judge Election, J. C. Condo; Inspectors, Wm. Madara, W. A. Neece; Reg. Assessor, Adam Ertel. North P .-Judge Election, G. E. Wise; Inspector, G. W. Long; Reg. Assessor, James F. Waugh. Justice of Peace, M. B. Hering; School Directors, J. P. Heckman, Geo. Rishel; Overseer Poor, C. J. Finkle; Tax Collector, H. D. Rossman; Supervisor, John F. Breon, James Foust; Auditor, Wm. Goodhart; Clerk, H. M. Smith.

South Potter: Judge, C. W. Swartz; Directors, P. B. Jordan, C. W. Slack; or, Alfred P. Hosterman ; Supervisors, Heckman.

Miles Township. West Miles: Judge, C. H. Krebs;

Inspectors, W. E. Yearick, G. R. Mil-Reg. Assessor, Chas. Grimes; Jus-

tice, Henry Meyer; School Directors, Geo. Wolfert, U. S. Shaffer; Overseer, Wm. Noll; Tax Collector, C. H. Smull; Supervisors, Adam Wolf, Joseph Miller; Auditors, J. A. Auman, J. B. Hazel ; Clerk, W. W. Hackman.

East Miles: Judge, R. Brungard Inspectors, Clayton Auman, J. G. Sto ver; Reg. Assessor, L. B. Frank. Middle Miles: Judge, J. P. Frank

Inspectors, Wm. Bierley, L. Miller. Harris Township.

Judge, Ad. Hosterman; Inspectors, S. McFarlane, Adam Zeigler; School Directors, John Wieland, Vicen Tho-B. Harrison; Clerk, Chas. Corl.

West P .- Judge Election, W. Bower; Inspectors, G. Musser, L. P. Bower; Reg. Assessor, C. H. Stover. East P.-Judge Election, E. M. Boone; Inspectors, J. A. Haines, S. Kreamer; Reg. Assessor, Perry Stover; School Director, A. S. Stewart, J. H. Wyle; M. Homan.

Ferguson Township East P.-Judge of Election, J. R. Smith; Inspectors, J. W. Fry, M. E. Heberling; Reg. Assessor, J. W. Miller. West P.-Judge Election, Ellis Lytle; Inspectors, R. G. Goheen, J. D. School Director, Thos. Decker, J. T. McCormick; Overseer Poor, W. E. Mc-Williams, T. D. Gray; Tax Collector, D. C. Krebs; Supervisor, N. E. Hess, Samuel Musser; Auditor, G. W. Homan; Clerk, A. J. Tate.

College Township,

tors, Ed. Armstrong, C. R. Roan; Tax | doctors care. Collector, Andrew Lytle; School Directors, Jos. Edmunson, Jacob Herman; Overseer Poor, Peter Shultz; Supervisor, Samuel Roan, Jacob Klinger; Auditor, Elmer Ross; Treasnrer, Corn. of their live stock and implements, at Dale; Clerk, W. Thompson, Jr.

Penn township: Judge of Election, hundred sales are advertised to come Thomas F. Meyer; Inspectors, W. C. off on farms between this and April Krader, D. T. Motz; School Directors, 1, next, in our county, and these sales Henry Snavely, A. F. Kreamer; Tax are principally among large farmers. Collector, A. L. Auman; Supervisors, The Reporter has scanned the list

MARRIED AT NOON.

Mr. Edward Foreman and Miss Mary Good-

The wedding of Mr. Edward Foreman and Miss Mary Goodhart took test on anything. The Democratic place yesterday, at the home of the candidates being elected. In the boro | bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William it was so quiet that outsiders thought Goodhart, a short distance west of Spring Mills. The wedding was witnessed only by the immediate friends and families of the contracting couple, and about twenty guests were present. The ceremony was performed promptly at noon, and Rev. Hepler, pastor of the Boalsburg Presbyterian church, of-

After the ceremony, the guests sat down to a sumptuous dinner which had been prepared for them. The time quickly passed until it was necessary for the bride and groom to leave on their wedding trip. They were driven to Penn Cave station where they took the train for a short tour through the western part of the state. burgess, between Harrison Walker, After their return Mr. and Mrs. Foreman will take up their residence in which Walker's popularity was attest- Centre Hall, where the groom has already started operations on erecting a

The bride and groom are both resi-Capt. Hugh S. Taylor, Dem., again dents of Centre Hall. The groom is one of our most promising young men. He has attained quite a reputation as cilmen, G. L. Potter and J. I. Knise- an architect and builder and evidences of his skill are seen in different directors, J. P. Harris and W. H. Cris- parts of the town. The bride for many years has made her home with her uncle, Mr. John Dauberman, in Centre Hall. She is a most exemplary young lady, and our good friend Ed. is certainly to be congratulated in securing a lady with the many attainments his bride possesses.

Reformed Classis.

A special meeting of West Susquehanna Classis was held in the Reformed church at this place on Tuesday. Sessions were held in the morning and evening, when important business was transacted. Rev. Moses George, charge, was dismissed from the Susquehanna Classis, and Rev. J. M. Runkle was transferred from the Hublersburg charge to Williamsport. In the evening, the call of Rev. G. W. Kerschner by the Centre Hall charge, was confirmed. Rev. Brown deliver-Inspectors, D. G. Fortney, J. D. Deck- ed the charge to the Pastor, Rev. Bicker ; Reg. Assessor, W. W. Royer ; Jus- le conducted the devotional exercises, tice of the Peace, W. M. Grove; School and Rev. Black the installation -ervices, setting forth the duties of the Pas- An Editor's Life Saved by Chamberlain's Overseer, D. L. Bartges; Tax Collect- tor to his people. The ministers who sessions were very interesting.

An Old Landmark to Go.

brick church at Centre Hill.

worshipped in that church had a large Smith, Centre Hall. and wealthy membership, served by a number of able pastors, conspicuous among these was Rev. Dr. Hamill, of Philadelphia, a notice of whose demise last week, will be found in another colum of this issue of the Report-

The congregation, by deaths and removals and by organizing the nearby congregation at Centre Hall, dwinmas; Overseer, Cyrus Durst; Tax Col- | dled until regular services in the old | lector, J. T. Weber; Supervisors, J. home ceased, and the officers of the Hettinger, Wm. Brooks; Auditor, R. charge have concluded to dispose the church and lot.

> This house of worship was erected in 1845 at a cost of \$5,500. The Potters, Gillilands, McCormicks, McCoys, Kerrs, Boals, and others, were prominent families and liberal in support of the church.

Met With an Accident.

Lewis Winegardner, a son-in-law of Michael Hess, and living on Adam Weaver's farm at Feidler, met with a serious accident on Monday morning, while on his way to Gramley's sale, in company with Mr. Barner, Michael Hess and Hess' daughter. Coming down the hill in eastern Aaronsburg, one of the traces unhooked and in going over a breaker the neck yoke slipped off the pole, the pole dropped to the ground broke off and the horses ran away. The wagon soon upset and threw the party out. Winegardner had both bones of one of his legs broken below the knee and was otherswise injured. The others escaped. He was at once taken home and Dr. Musser followed and cared for him. One of the horses was badly hurt and is lying Judge Election, S. Sellers; Inspec- in Dr. Bowersox's stable under the

The Spring Sales,

It is a subject of remark that more Centre county farmers are making sale public outcry, this spring, than in any previous year. And the query is, how Result of the election on Tuesday in to account for it. Upwards of one Braucht; Town Clerk, Daniel Auman. | aggregate something like \$175,000.

**************** We Invite You To Our Birthday Party.

THURSDAY, MARCH 1st, we will celebrate our Sixteenth Anniversary. We are going to hold a Mammoth Birthday Party and we want you to be among our guests. We will reverse the custom usually followed on occasions of this character and will make you the recipients of the gifts.

We will present to each visitor a Handsome Souvenir commemorating the event---one which any lady would be pleas-

But better yet-we are going to offer you such exceptional values in Reliable, Trust-worthy Dry Goods that you who favor us with your presence on this Birthday celebration will remember fsr a long time to come.

May we look for you?

GABLE & CO., 1320-22-24 11th Avenue, Altoona, Pa.

Sunday's Storm.

The blizzard, Saturday night and Good Buy in an Sunday, was not as violent as some blows experienced here, and there was Original Crate only one inch of snow.

In Philadelphia and the counties adjoining, however, the blizzard was severe, and 12 inches of snow caused who lately resigned the Rebersburg blockades and interference with traffic and travel.

Earnest in His Sacred Calling. Rev. Rearick, pastor of the Lutheran church, has devoted the past six weeks in the different congregations of his charge, holding protracted services At Very Low Prices. each evening, and is not through yet Surely, he is faithful and untiring in the vineyard of the Lord.

Cough Remedy.

were in attendance at the sessions During the early part of October, 1896, John C. Kuhn, Adam Krumrine; Au- were, Rev. Haas, of Selinsgrove; Rev. I contracted a bad cold which settled ditor, H. F. Musser; Clerk, J. A. Black, of Boalsburg; Rev. Brown, of on my lungs and was neglected until I Aaronsburg; Rev. Derr, Lock Haven; feared that consumption had appeared Rev. Bickle, Bellefonte; Rev. George, in an incipient state. I was constant-Inspectors, George W. Condo, C. G. Rebersburg, and Rev. Runkle, of Hu- ly coughing and trying to expel some-Spicher; Reg. Assessor, Victor A. Au- blersburg. The different charges were thing which I could not. I became also represented by an Elder, and the alarmed and after giving the local doctor a trial bought a bottle of Chamber- Spring Mills, lain's Cough Remedy and the result was immediate improvement, and aft-The Presbyterian council of the er I had used three bottles my lungs Sinking Creek charge, assembled in were restored to their healthy state. the church at Centre Hall, last Satur- B. S. Edwards, publisher of the Reday afternoon, and concluded to offer view, Wyant, Ill. For sale by J. H. at public sale the old and commodious Ross, Linden Hall; S. M. Swartz, Tusseyville; F. A. Carson, Potters Mills; Years ago the congregation which H. F. Rossman, Spring Mills; J. F.

******************** Penns Valley Shoe Store.

Leggins and Overgaiters in all sizes for ladies and gentle-

Felts for boys, youths, men,

Gum Boots for children,

youths, boys, men and ladies. Come and get prices and you will be convinced to buy.

C. A. KRAPE, SPRING MILLS.

A Full Stock of Dry Goods, Notions, Queensware, Trunks, etc.

Just Received a

Our stock was never so complete and was bought early in order to take advantage of the constantly advancing prices.

Come and see, and you will find that we sell at same prices as before.

H. F. Rossman,

SPRING MILLS.

This week we can

give you The Benefit of a

of Queensware.

Cups and Saucers at 25c. a set. Ewer and Basin, Nappies, Bowls, Meat Dishes, Pitchers, Chambers,

Look into this at once.

All kinds of Coal on sale. Wheat, 67c. Bran and Middlings, \$1.00 per cwt. Cheaper by

G. H. LONG.

Our Saracen Dress Shoe

For women is the best in the country for the money-\$3.00. They are neat fitters.

Our Walkover Men's Dress and Work Shoe

For \$3.50, all styles and all leathers are the most serviceable ever made. Our sales are doubling on them every season.

Don't forget we sell Working Shoes and Combinations. They are fine for winter working outside,

Powers Shoe Co.

Bush Arcade. Bellefonte.

Brachbill's Annual Reduction Sale

- Furniture

Now Going On.

Which includes some of the choicest goods in the market that came too late for the Holiday trade. Although prices have advanced, does not say that you must pay higher prices for your furniture, as we are now selling what goods we bought early in the season, before prices advanced. We offer every year during the months of January and February great inducements to buyers in Furni-

Don't wait for lower prices, but come and see what we can do for you.

W. R. Brachbill,