

THE CENTRE REPORTER.

CENTRE HALL, PA., Thurs., Dec. 27.

Slippers For Christmas

For Her

No other shoe store in Bellefonte pays quite as much attention to this branch of the business as we do, and our Holiday stock is a really remarkable collection of Slipper elegance and quality. Warm, comfortable Bed room and house slippers of felt, fur-trimmed, at \$1.00 to \$1.50 per pair.

For Him

Every man enjoys the comfort there is in a Slipper. You are likely thinking of a Christmas gift for a husband, a son, a father, a brother or some one else's brother. We have all the late ideas—handsome Slippers in Calif. Kid and Velvet, at 50 cents to \$2.00 per pair. We certainly have the Slippers that WILL PLEASE HIM. Come to the Slipper Store for Christmas Slippers.

MINGLE'S SHOE STORE,

Bellefonte.

CHURCH APPOINTMENTS.

Presbyterian: Centre Hall, 10.30 a. m. and 7.30 p. m.; Spring Mills, 2.30 p. m.
Reformed: Centre Hall, 2.30 p. m.; Tusseyville, 10.30 a. m.
Lutheran: Centre Hall, 10 a. m.; Union, 7 p. m.; Georges Valley, 2 p. m.
Jan. 6: Tusseyville, 10.30 a. m.; Spring Mills, 2.30 p. m.; Centre Hall, 7 p. m. Note change of appointments—J. M. REARICK, Pastor.

No Paper Next Week.

The Reporter will not be published next week. All hands will be given a week for rest and recreation. The office will be open however, for business, at all hours.

Election of Officers.

The annual election of officers for the Farmers' Mutual Fire Insurance Company of Centre County will take place at the Centre Hall hotel Monday, January 14, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 2 p. m.

Week of Prayer.

A week of prayer will be observed by the various churches in Centre Hall, beginning Sunday evening, January 6, at which time Rev. G. W. Kershner, pastor of the Reformed church, will conduct services in the Lutheran church.

A Corpse Revives.

Samuel Entz, a prosperous farmer of Upper Fairfield township, Lycoming county, apparently died Thursday night after a prolonged illness. Before the final funeral preparations had been definitely decided upon, some person made the startling discovery that there was yet life in the body.

The aged farmer responded finally to treatment and regained consciousness, breathing freely.

The Best Plaster.

A piece of flannel dampened with Chamberlain's Pain Balm and bound to the affected parts is superior to any plaster. When troubled with lame back or pains in the side or chest, give it a trial and you are certain to be more than pleased with the prompt relief which it affords. Pain Balm also cures rheumatism. One application gives relief. For sale by Mrs. J. W. Keller, Linden Hall; J. F. Smith, Centre Hall.

Married Thursday.

John Durst and Miss Eliza Stover were married at the Lutheran parsonage Thursday evening of last week by Rev. J. M. Rearick. Mr. Durst is a son of Philip Durst, east of Centre Hall, an active, energetic and well thought of young man. The bride is the daughter of George Stover, of Earlstown, who bears a most excellent reputation and possesses many good qualities. A long and happy life, Mr. and Mrs. Durst.

Centre Hill Store Property Sold.

J. C. Bible, of near Centre Hill, purchased the Strohm property at Centre Hill, comprising a dwelling house, store room, etc., from Alfred Lee, who bought it about a year ago from the Michael Strohm estate. Mr. Bible will take charge of the store, etc., in the spring, and, of course, being a Republican, expects to be appointed postmaster. Mr. Bible is a gentleman well thought of by all who know him, and will make an obliging postmaster and successful business man.

Consul Shaw Dead.

W. Irvin Shaw, who had been filling the position of United States Consul at Barranquilla, Columbia, and who was recently appointed Consul General to Singapore, committed suicide early Christmas morning at the Windsor Hotel, Philadelphia. Mr. Shaw was reported dead in all the local papers in Central Pennsylvania last summer. He is well known in the central part of the state, having been born in Clearfield county. His age was thirty-eight years. His widow and two little sons are at State College, where they were to remain until the husband and father should return from Barranquilla.

House and Lot Sold.

The property occupied by W. A. Sandoe and owned by Mrs. Carrie E. Osmann, now located in Eureka, Kansas, was sold to William and Sallie McClennahan for \$1,300.00. The McClennahan's will occupy the same in the spring.

Christmas Service.

The Christmas service in the Reformed church Monday evening was of such a character which not only pleased the children, but was instructive to all. Master Daniel Irvin's "Wail Song" was splendidly rendered, as was also the song of little Miss Reah Keller. The decorations were very neat and pretty.

Fun at Boalsburg.

The ladies of the Presbyterian church, Boalsburg, will give a rich treat in the town hall, January 1, at 7.30 p. m., in the form of a "Convention—a New Year Burlesque." All are invited to come and see how the old maids of the 19th Century conducted their conventions, and before your own eyes see them transformed into beautiful young maidens. Admission 10 and 15 cents.

Foot Badly Cut.

John Wingard, of Tusseyville, went to the woods Monday to cut wood and after making but a few strokes his axe caught on the limb of a tree which caused it to strike his foot. The great toe and the one next to it were almost completely separated as a consequence. Dr. Lee dressed the wound, which required seven or eight stitches. Although Mr. Wingard was greatly reduced from the loss of blood, he is getting along very well at present.

Timber Land Sold.

A tract of timber land belonging to the Sparr estate, was sold at public sale at Centre Hall Friday of last week, by the executor, Capt. George M. Boal to the Linden Hall Lumber Company. The price paid per acre was \$54.50, and the number of acres fifty-five and a fraction. The treasurer for the company, Charles Steele, transacted the business. The other bidders were Mr. Feenden, Glen Iron; Thomas G. Hosterman, Feldler, and Messrs. Orwig and Cryder, Centre Hall. The bidding was quite spirited, all parties placing bids until \$50.00 per acre was reached.

Two Met Death Under The Ice.

While a party of young people were skating upon the ice on the Susquehanna river Monday at State Line, four miles north of Susquehanna, the ice broke and two of the number, Miss Ida McKune, of State Line, aged 22, and Arthur Munson, of Lanesboro, aged 20 went under.

Miss McKune's body disappeared from view, but Munson succeeded in reaching shore. He hurried to the farm house, near by, for help, and while working with the rescuing party a few minutes later he went through the ice a second time and was drowned.

Col. Reeder, of Bellefonte, indulged in some awful nice talk about farmers, while in Centre Hall the other day. In fact it was so nice that for the time being the farmer imagined that he really was a king, his wife a queen, his daughter a princess and his son a prince, and that for the farmer and his family there was nothing to do but enjoy life. But the next morning when the call came, "John, get up and make the fire," it first dawned on the head of the family that Col. Reeder was (perhaps) giving a good stiff to this class of people in the expectation of paving the way for a "mark in the circle" some future day.

Two Good Jersey Cows.

Mrs. J. W. Crawford, of North Bend, Clinton county, purchased two of the finest cows in the United States. One "Brown Bessie," in the month of June, 1893, averaged 40 pounds and 7 ounces of milk per day, and in a test of three months on three different days gave over three pounds of butter. In three months she yielded 5,617 lbs. 22.5 oz of milk.

"Merry Maiden" was the winner of the great sweepstakes awarded for the best individual cow in any herd competing at the World's Fair. She hung to 40 pounds of milk per day on dry feed for a long time and proved herself the richest cow of the seventy-five in the tests.

Meyer-Condo.

The marriage of Harry N. Meyer and Miss Carrie Condo, both of Penn Hall, will be celebrated at the home of the bride-elect's father, J. C. Condo, the well known carriage builder, at 11.30 a. m. on New Year's day. H. F. McManaway will be the groom's best man and Miss E. Blanche Condo, a sister of the bride to be, will be her maid. Rev. F. W. Brown will officiate. A dinner and reception will follow the ceremony and the couple will depart on an afternoon train for a short honeymoon tour. Both these young people are well known all through Penns Valley. The groom is at present teaching school at Coburo, and is one of the best equipped young men for that profession in the county.

All kinds of Job Work Done at the Reporter office.

Christmas Weddings.

A pretty Christmas wedding was that of Mr. John B. Martin, of Pittsburgh, and Miss Emma A. Holmes, of State College. It was solemnized at the home of the bride's parents.

The Lutheran church at Pine Grove Mills was the scene of a very pretty wedding ceremony Christmas evening at seven o'clock when Mr. Samuel E. Goss and Miss Alka Musser, both of that place, were united in marriage. The church which was well filled with guests, was handsomely decorated with potted plants and cut flowers. The ceremony was performed by Rev. C. T. Aikens, pastor of the church. The groom was attended by Mr. M. E. Heberling, as best man, while John H. Bailey, Andrew Heberling and Arthur Fortney were ushers. The bride was attended by her sister, Miss Anna Musser, as maid of honor, and Miss Stella Heberling and Anna Kreps as bridesmaids.

Bellefonte's Famous Forty Amateurs will appear in Garman's opera house in Minstrelsy on New Year's night. It will be a benefit for the proposed hospital. Reserved seats 50 cents. General admission 35 cents.

Friday night, says the College Times, thieves gained an easy entrance to the cellar of Charles Foster's house and, after gathering up about fifty cans of fruit, a lot of eggs, and a cake, moved off with their plunder in a wagon.

Hanged Himself On Christmas Day.

Edward Hamberger, a well-known citizen of Flemington, committed suicide Christmas night by hanging. "We are all here to-day, but we'll not all be here next Christmas Day," he said as he left the house. His brother Charles found him hanging in the barn.

BRIEF LOCALS.

C. C. Mattern, of Tyrone, is visiting Miss Lolo Strohm, at Centre Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. I. L. Walter, of Paxtonville, Snyder county, are guests at the home of Rev. and Mrs. J. M. Rearick.

John F. Miller, of Potters Mills, was a caller, and had his name added to the Reporter and New York World subscription lists.

Fire Sunday morning destroyed the plant of the United States machine company at Williamport. Loss, \$20,000.

Mr. Laudenslager, a Senior Seminarian, at Lancaster, is visiting at the Keller home with John Keller, who is also a student at that place.

Patrick Garrity, of near Potters Mills, was a Monday morning caller. Mr. Garrity is the Seven Mountain prince whom all hunters and fishermen delight to meet.

Dr. M. R. Thompson, a dentist, of Lewistown, was painfully injured when his vulcanizer, which had attained a temperature of 320 degrees, exploded last week. His wife was also hurt.

The lecture on "Ben Hur" given by John H. Keller and S. Charles Hoover in Grange Arcadia last evening, was well attended. The young men did admirably, and presented the lecture in a pleasing manner to their audience.

Mr. and Mrs. N. C. Kryder paid a visit to their former home at Lamar, Clinton county, the other Sunday. Mr. Kryder is a member of the lumber firm of Orwig & Kryder, doing business near Linden Hall and at one or two other points.

The Colyer's Mills band serenaded Centre Hall Christmas day. The band in its new uniform looks splendid, and the music rendered by them is enjoyed by all who chance to hear it. There are a number of excellent musicians among the boys, and as a whole the Colyer's Mills band is far above what would be expected from a little country village; it would be a credit to any locality.

John T. Lee, the carriage and wagon builder of Centre Hall, was a caller Christmas morning to wish the Reporter well. You will find Mr. Lee's advertisement in the supplement with this issue, and heretofore in the Reporter. He is a firm believer in advertising, and one of the reasons why his advertising brings him work is because he fulfills all promises made in them.

To the Japanese Troops Belong Chief Honors.

To the little brown soldiers of the Mikado such honors as this inglorious war has bestowed must, by common consent, fall. Unpleasantly surprising as it undoubtedly will be to Western nations, there is no gainsaying this. The Japanese have, of all the nationalities engaged in this business, shown to the best advantage. They came to the work intelligently equipped, in understanding of the situation, with its many requirements, and means to deal with it. They have consistently employed, from the beginning both understanding and means. Because of these things their success has been conspicuous among nations which have heretofore arrogated to themselves, in invincible conceit, the crown of superiority.—From "A Comparison of the Armies in China," by THOMAS F. MILLARD, in the January Scribner's.

**ARE YOU ECONOMICAL
ARE YOU THROWING AWAY MONEY
WHERE ARE YOU BUYING YOUR CLOTHING?**

At the present time we can make you economical, save you money, by charging less for new, well-made, stylish clothing than others charge for their old, commonly-made, out-of-date goods, for there is now in progress one of the greatest Clothing Sales ever known in Centre Co. Have you heard of it? If not you will, for it is the talk of all good buyers. We need the cash and are going to have it. Our entire stock is marked at such prices that it will only be a short time until we have the cash, and others have the goods. No exceptions whatever in this reduction. Everything is to be sacrificed. Even our "Military Cut" Suits, which others will have and tell you about next season, are placed within the reach of all. All will be served with the best accommodation, as our list of salesmen has been increased. Goods to be as represented or we trade back.

**Yours for Business,
Sim, The Clothier,**

Reynold's Bank B'ld'g, Allegheny St.

**Seven-Piece
Golden Oak.
Chamber Suit, \$16.66.
Mattress, \$2.50.
Spring, - 2.50.
Order one at once.**

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ANSWERED PROMPTLY.

Sarah E. Weber,
Boalsburg, Penn'a.

ROOFING SLATE.
ED. F. FOREMAN, Centre Hall, Penn'a.

HANDLES all grades of roofing slates. Estimates made per square. Work done by experienced mechanics. Slate is as cheap as shingles and far superior. 18deely.

L.L. SMITH, Agent for ..
Glenwood Nursery, Rochester, New York,

will call on you before long and if you wish to purchase fruit trees, berry bushes, vines, bulbs, or anything grown by nurserymen, you will find he has both the best stock and lowest prices. He also sells the ROCHESTER SPRAY PUMP, the best of the kind made. 19deec

For SLEIGHS and SLEDS go to Wm. W. Boob, Centre Hall, Pa. Light Bob Woods ready to iron and paint, for \$8.00 and up.

Ladies
Should know that white shirt waists and collars, perfectly laundered, make up for other short comings in dress. Give them to Wm. McC. Wolf, to send to the Bellefonte Steam Laundry.

Public Sale Register.
MARCH 1, Friday—J. A. Sankey, Potters Mills, pure and grade Holstein-Friesian cattle, sheep, hogs, horses and farm implements.
R. P. Odenkirck—Wednesday, March 6, farm stock, implements and household goods.
John F. Broo's—March 21, Spring Mills, farm stock, implements, etc.

Free Ad. Column.
FOR SALE:—
Fresh cow for sale. D. W. Bradford, Centre Hall.
Two short horn bulls, one sired by the fine short horn State College bull, for sale by Samuel Durst, Centre Hall.
HOUSE AND LOT FOR RENT.—The undersigned offers her house and lot in Centre Hall for rent. Seven room house, three down and four up stairs. Excellent fruit on the lot. MRS. MARY MCCLLENAHAN.
NOTICE—Public notice is hereby given to all persons not to purchase a certain note, made payable to Daniel E. He, and signed by the undersigned, bearing date December 11, 1900, due in thirty days, in the sum of \$75.00, as the same will not be paid unless compelled by law, as we did not receive value for the same. GEORGE HETTINGER, W. S. HETTINGER, Spring Mills, Pa., Dec. 20, 1900.

CAUTION NOTICE.—Notice is hereby given that the following personal property was purchased by the undersigned at constable's sale on Dec. 1, 1900, and all persons are hereby cautioned not to meddle with the same: 2 stinks, 2 tables, 6 chair, 3 rockers, 2 beds, bureau, 3 carpets, cook stove, coal stove, 5 stands, lounge, dishes, bed clothing, 2 hogs, 12 chickens, cow, together with all the defendant's, Andrew Moyer's, personal property. 18decc MAGGIE MOYER.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.—IN THE ORPHAN'S COURT of Centre County, in the matter of the estate of John H. Odenkirck, deceased, late of Potter township, the undersigned an Auditor appointed by the Court of Centre County, to ascertain and report items against the real estate described in the proceedings in partition, and to report a schedule for distribution, will advise to the duties of his appointment at his office in Kridler's Exchange, Bellefonte, Pa., on Tuesday, January 15, 1901, at 10 o'clock a. m., where, and when all persons interested may attend if they see proper. J. H. WETZEL, Auditor.

The Star!
GEO. O. BENNER, Prop. ESTABLISHED 1889.

You are again invited to call and see our holiday display. We think we have everything in the line suitable for presents, and at a price you are satisfied to pay. Your attention is especially called to our line of Confections, Fruits, Nuts, Toys and Fine Groceries. We offer special prices on candies, fruits, and nuts to those wanting any quantity for schools. We make some prices:

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| Mixed Candies per lb. | 5 to 25c |
| Stick | 10c |
| Dates, in 1 lb. packages | 10c |
| Figs | 15c |
| Mixed Nuts per lb. | 15c |
| Peanuts per lb. | 5c |
| Pure Maple Sugar in 1 lb. bricks | 20c |
| New England Peanut Taffy per lb. | 10c |
| Sugar-coated Pop Corn | 15c |

You will also find our stock complete in the following: Oranges, Lemons, Bananas, Cranberries, evaporated Peaches, Prunes, Raisins, Chopped Apples, Walnuts, Pop Corn, Citron Peel, Raisins, Spanish Onions, Oysters, Fancy New Orleans Molasses, Butterfly Syrup, Buckwheat, Spiced Apples, Spray and Golden Rod Flour, Cigars, etc.

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