

THE CENTRE REPORTER.

S. W. SMITH, Editor and Proprietor. TERMS.—The terms of subscription to the Reporter are one dollar per year in advance.

Democratic Ticket. Prothonotary—M. I. GARDNER. District Attorney—N. B. SPANGLER.

INDEPENDENT REPUBLICANS. The Philadelphia Times commenting on the recent Centre county Republican convention says: "The speech of Ex-Governor Hastings was a remarkable one to be made from the chair of a Republican county convention and applauded by its hearers."

The machine found no defenders except in two or three officeholders, to whom the convention refused to listen. The Republicans of Centre county did themselves justice in disavowing all responsibility for the crimes that have disgraced their party organization.

When the issue is clearly drawn, as it will be in Pennsylvania this year, between the people and the corrupt machine, true patriots will be found upon the one side, irrespective of the party name, and only the retainers of the machine upon the other.

Mr. McKinley, the Republican Milesburg candidate for prothonotary, is an out and out state administration man—in other words a rank Quayite. To your tents, Democrats.

At the general election in November the people will vote upon important amendments to the state constitution—one to permit the passage of laws providing for personal registration and the other to permit the substitution of voting machines for ballots.

Neither amendment is likely to be adopted. There is enough machinery about voting already, without considering the co-t. Personal registration will be vigorously opposed in the cities where it is intended to prevent fraud.

Meeting our "plain duty" as to Porto Rico by abrogating the tariff tax on importations from the island into the United States, of which it is now a part, has powerfully stimulated freight traffic to and from the island. It is common sense as well as honesty and good faith to do away with the 15 per cent. tariff. Business held back by the shipping in anticipation of free trade is now going on. The United States in its present flourishing condition has everything to gain by a free exchange of products, not only with the West Indies, but with the greater part of the world.

The electoral bill proposed to the Cuban constitutional convention, under which the election of president and congress will take place, provides for universal suffrage, but restrictions of being able to read and write are imposed in the case of office holders. The president, the vice president and the governors of provinces must be native or naturalized Cubans; but if naturalized "must have served in the Cuban army for 10 years." This is to meet the case of General Gomez, who is a native of San Domingo, but has served in the Cuban army in the last two insurrections.

THE WATCHMAN'S IMPRESSION.

The Democratic Watchman's report of the Republican county convention gives a bit of the past in connection with the present. It makes some reference to that great catastrophe at Johnstown, and even hints of a bit of a standard oil deal.

The most comical feature of the Watchman's report of the convention is the paragraph relative to the calling of "Mr. Thomas Tash Taisy Harter to bear testimony to the fact that there was nothing said in the agreement relative to resolutions at all: With tears in his eyes and looking like the picture on a salmon cau Thomas was dragged out from under cover. It was a pitiful sight and a pitiful tale he had to tell.

Hastings' outburst at the Republican county convention brought victory to him for the time being, but the rank and file of the Republican voters have concluded that Ex-Governor Hastings has been boss of the situation long enough. County chairman Reeder even declares that there must be a new order of things and that Hastings must hereafter occupy a seat with the boys, be counted as one and speak when he is spoken to.

Judge Yerkes is pretty sure to be the Democratic nominee for judge of the supreme court, as Judge Potter is to be the Republican candidate by virtue of his appointment by Governor Stone to fill a vacancy. Judge Yerkes was nominated by both Democrats and Republicans the last time he was elected to the common pleas bench in Bucks county. That was in 1893, and the then chairman of the Republican State committee, B. F. Gilkeson, was one of Judge Yerkes' leading supporters.

President McKinley has made a conditional engagement to attend the National Encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic to be held at Cleveland in September.

Pennsylvania Railroad net earnings for the half year ending June 30 shows an increase of more than \$3,500,000 on the lines for which reports are made monthly. This remarkable increase is made on what were considered phenomenal earnings last year, and they indicate that the Pennsylvania is at the highest point of earning power that it ever attained.

TEN DAY EXCURSION.

Ten-day Excursion to Ocean Grove, Asbury Park, or Long Branch via Pennsylvania Railroad. For the benefit of those desiring to visit the great Ocean Grove Camp Meeting, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will, on August 23, sell excursion tickets to Ocean Grove, Asbury Park, or Long Branch from stations named below at the very low rates quoted.

Table with 2 columns: Station and Rate. Includes Ballefonte, Lemont, Oak Hall, Linden, Centre Hall, Rising Spring, Coburn, Lewistown, Philadelphia.

These tickets will be good for passage to Philadelphia on train indicated, thence on regular trains leaving Broad Street Station at 12:27, 3:30, and 4:17 P. M. that day for destination.

Write Grant Hoover for prices on Insurance.

Farmers Mills.

The festival held at Penn's Cave last Saturday evening was well attended. Mrs. Leiby and Miss Maurer of New Berlin, visited at the home of Samuel Homan, a few days last week.

Miss Gertrude Wise, of Madisonburg, spent Sunday at the home of Harvey Hagan. One of our young men stalled with four in the buggy last Saturday eve. A little more oats and persuading, George.

Robt. Stump who was lying ill, at Isaac Smith's from the effects of a fall from a cherry tree, is convalescent. Miss Annie Weaver, of Centre Hall, and Mrs. John Scholl, of Altoons, stopped with James Scholl and family en route to a visit to Thomas Scholl's, near Madisonburg.

Bert Finkle, formerly of this place, but now employed in a grist mill at Muncy, called on his friends. He looks well and can laugh as hearty as ever. The party who thought they were playing a smart trick Saturday night should hide their evil better. Don't monkey with Uncle Sam's property.

Coburn.

Miss Mary Shoemaker, of Milroy, formerly of this place, was visiting her numerous friends of this place during the past week. Walter Williams and sister Lydia, of Woodward, spent Sunday very pleasantly at the home of Thomas Kaler.

Miss Sadie Condo is at home at present on account of her mother's sickness. Thomas Eisenluth and wife, of Cherry Run, were pleasant callers at the home of G. B. Shaffer Sunday. Jacob Witmyer was seen in town Saturday.

Miss Maud Wagner, accompanied by her friend Miss Vera Grove, from near Centre Hill, were visiting at the home Arch Mullen Saturday and Sunday, and took in the festival on Saturday evening.

The festival Saturday was well attended by our people and those living at a distance. The receipts were seventy-three dollars, over fifty dollars being clear money. Word was received last week that Reuben Eisenluth had his leg shot off by two Italians during a row.

Mr. Berky and wife, of Millinburg, visited at the home of Samuel Everett during this week. Ammon Brauchter after spending several weeks with his parents returned to McAlhattan again where he is a student in the P. R. R Co.'s office.

A camp of gypsies of Northumberland located near J. B. Rishel's last week. They had many visitors Sunday and many of them had their future revealed.

James Koohey, of Glen Iron, is visiting his son at present.

Woodward.

Mrs. Mary C. Weaver returned last week from a two month's trip to Buffalo and Brocton, N. Y. She enjoyed the trip very much, and says the exposition is fine. J. C. F. Motz left last Monday morning for the Pan-American Exposition.

Among those who expect to visit the Exposition in a short time are George Miller, Mr. and Mrs. N. W. Eby and Mrs. Harriet Vonada. There might be a wedding under the springs of Niagara.

Messrs. Savage and Herring, of Penn Hall, were along the telephone line last week; the poles are all on the ground and expect to put them up between this place and Hartleton this week. The P. O. S. of A. festival was a grand success although some of the men opposed it by their actions.

Last Saturday evening quite a number of the people from town attended the festivals at Aronsburg and Coburn. H. M. Goodman started to thresh the grain in this town and vicinity with his traction engine, before he moves on his lumber job on Pine Creek.

The early potatoes are a short crop; a fair crop of late potatoes is expected. The bugs were plentiful, especially the old kind of long black bug. Paris green does not kill them but seems to fatten them.

Among the visitors to town last Sunday were Wm. Bressler and family, of Coburn, C. Wolfe, Michael Fiedler and Miss Anna Wolfe, of Fiedler. John Sheesley, John Fultz, George A. Miller left Harter Bros. lumber job and hired to the Laurelton Lumber company. Saturday night there was quite a large crowd in town, among them being Miss Ida Keen, J. C. Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Harris Stover and baby Lowell, Mrs. Emma Easterline, B. F. Benner, Mary Rupp, all stopping with Harris Stover on the farm; also Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Wolfe, of Aronsburg.

Centre Hill.

Mrs. Wm. Lytle, visited her invalid mother at Pleasant Gap one day last week. Miss Florence Smith, having spent several weeks visiting friends in Union and Snyder counties, returned home Monday much pleased with her trip.

J. C. Bible and family spent Sunday at the home of John Moore. Miss Helen Bolander, of Wisconsin, is visiting at the home of G. L. Goodhart. Mrs. Lloyd Smith, is visiting at the home of her mother-in-law, Mrs. Adam Smith.

Bruce Goodhart, who was expected home last week, has decided not to come for the present. No doubt one of the young ladies will be very sorry to hear of his decision. Rufus Strohm, who has been located in Philadelphia, for some time came home Monday, and will spend part of his vacation with his parents at this place.

Messrs. W. E. and H. F. Burkholder made a business trip to Bellefonte Wednesday.

Swartz's Weekly Reminder.

Now is your opportunity to secure a lot of merchandise under price. The reason: we are rummaging up all the corners of the store, emptying boxes, drawers, shelves, etc., of such goods that we do not wish to and have no room to carry to another season. In going into our shoe department you will find shoes that were \$2.55 now \$1.95 shoes that \$1.48 and \$1.35 now \$1.00 etc. A nice lot of them but going fast; nothing wrong with them, only some are Tans, others a wee bit too narrow in the toe to be up to today's style.

Men's Overalls 10 to 45 cents. You will find you have never seen any overalls to beat these for the price.

Ladies' shirt waists 30c from 50c, 40c from 60c, etc. Summer Dress Goods 9 and 10c to 5 and 6c. Lot of Misses' Black Hosiery sizes 5 to 8 1/2 from 10c reduced to 6c etc.

Remember we have only mentioned a few things to give you an idea how we have put the knife in to prices. Come and see whether you buy or not.

S. M. Swartz, TUSSEYVILLE.

Advertisement for W. A. HENNEY, BLACKSMITH. Come around to see me. mar 21-17

Must be Sold At Cost Or Less: Straw Hats, Summer Dress Goods. Now is the time for Mason Fruit Jars, One Quart 95 Cents Dozen. Half Gal. 85 " Tin Cans, 35 " Crocks and Jugs, 5c. gallon.

SUGAR PRICES: Light Brown, 5 1/2c. Soft White, 6c. Granulated, 6 1/2c.

The Long Store Company, (Opposite Spring Mills Hotel).

CENTRE HALL CARRIAGE WORKS.

We manufacture all grades of Buggy Tops, Cushions and Full-backs, with or without springs. Old Tops and Cushions repaired at very reasonable prices.

Woodwork and Repainting

is given prompt and special attention. Our prices are as low as the lowest and the work is done with first-class stock and by good mechanics. Satisfaction guaranteed. Give us a chance to estimate on your job before placing your order elsewhere.

J. T. LEE, Centre Hall, - Penn'a.

Spring Mills, Pa. P. V. S. STORE.

Special prices on Spring and Summer Shoes. Come while sizes are full. This sale is to make room for my large fall orders, so do not miss these bargains in Bunkins, Oxfords and Sandals in Men's, Ladies', Misses' and Children's, just the shoes for warm weather. Men's Bicycle Shoes from 50 cents up to \$2.00.

C. A. KRAPE.

FOR SALE—TWENTY-FOUR ACRES OF first-class land—without buildings—would be desirable piece of property; has a never failing stream of water running through it. It would, with buildings, make a convenient home as it is located in a public place, not far from postoffice, church and store. For further particulars inquire of FERDINAND POTTER, Lindsay Hall, Pa.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE—THE THOMAS Silver farm is offered at private sale. Apply to W. B. MINGLE, Centre Hall, Pa.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE—LETTERS TESTAMENTARY on the estate of Daniel Weaver, late of Potter township, deceased, having been duly granted to the undersigned, he would respectfully request all persons knowing themselves indebted to the estate to make immediate payment, and those having claims against the same to present them duly authenticated for settlement. GEORGE S. WEAVER, Executor, Ferris Cave, Pa.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE—Letters of administration on the estate of Lizzie Keller, late of Centre Hill town, deceased, having been duly granted to the undersigned, he would respectfully request all persons knowing themselves indebted to the estate to make immediate payment, and those having claims against the same to present them duly authenticated for settlement. D. A. BOOZER, Centre Hill.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE—LETTERS TESTAMENTARY on the estate of Joseph Miller, late of Miles township, deceased, having been duly granted to the undersigned, they would respectfully request all persons knowing themselves indebted to the estate to make immediate payment, and those having claims against the same to present them duly authenticated for settlement. H. H. MILLER, Executor, 274 Jones.

E. S. SHRECKENOST, AUCTIONEER AND CARPENTER. I am open for engagements in either of these occupations. My experience in both should be a sufficient guarantee for satisfaction and good work. Terms are moderate. Give me a trial. mar 21-17

EXECUTOR'S SALE OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE—The Executor of Margaret S. Sparr and Nancy Sparr deceased, will offer for sale on Friday, August 30th, 1901, at 10 o'clock a. m., on the premises, the following described property: 1st—The Jacob Meyer farm, located about 1/2 mile south of Linden Hall station on one and one-half miles east of Ballefonte, bounded on the south by public road leading from Ballefonte to Potter Mills; on the east by lands of Thomas Meyer; on the north by public road leading from Old Fort to Ballefonte, and on the west by lands of Frank McFarlane, containing one hundred and sixty-five acres, more or less, thereon erected two good dwelling houses, large bank barn and all the necessary out buildings; all in good state of repair. The land is limestone and meadow land, a stream of water running through both meadows; a good orchard of choice fruit adjoins the dwelling house. This is considered one of the best farms in Harris township.

TERMS OF SALE—10 per cent. of the purchase money to be paid on day of sale, the balance in three equal payments: one-third on April 1st, 1902, when deed and possession will be given on-third on April 1st, 1903, and the remaining one-third on April 1st, 1904, deferred payments to be secured by bond and mortgage on the premises, with interest. Tract No. 2—Consisting of 32 acres and 78 perches south-east of tract No. 1, bounded on the north by public road leading from Ballefonte to Potter Mills; on the east by timber tract of Jas. Meyer's estate; on the south by lands of John Hook, and on the west by lands of Lot Kimport. This tract is well covered with good timber principally oak and chestnut. The land will be valuable for farm purposes after the removal of the timber.

TERMS OF SALE—10 per cent. of purchase money to be paid on day of sale, the balance on the first day of April, 1902, when deed and possession will be given by GEO. M. BOAL, Executor of Margaret and Nancy Sparr. Centre Hall, Pa. Aug. 18, 1901.

BANKS. Penn's Valley Banking Company, CENTRE HALL, PA. Receives Deposits, Discounts Notes. W. B. MINGLE, Cashier, July

HOTELS.

CENTRE HALL HOTEL. J. W. Bunkle, Manager. Newly equipped, bar and table supplied with the best. Summer boarders receive special attention, and can find no healthier locality for fishing and hunting. may97 HOTEL HAAG, BELLEFONTE, PA. Fine Stabling. Heated Throughout. Rates \$1.00 per day. East Bishop Street. F. A. NEWCOMER, Proprietor.

SPRING MILLS HOTEL. Edwin Ruhl, Proprietor. SPRING MILLS, PA. First-class accommodations at all times for men or board. Free bus to and from all trains. Excellent livery attached. OLD FORT HOTEL. S. B. SHAFER, Proprietor. Rates 11.00 per Day. Newly Furnished. Best Liquors. Fine Stabling. G. L. OWENS, ATTORNEY-AT-LAW, BELLEFONTE, PA.

Our Specialty: Collections and Reports. References on request. Nearby towns represented—Bellefonte, Altoona, Hollidaysburg and Huntingdon. 72ep 00

PENNSYLVANIA R. R.

Philadelphia & Erie R. R. Division and Northern Central Railway. Time Table, in effect May 26, 1901.

TRAINS LEAVE MONTANDON, EASTWARD

7.28 a. m.—Train 61. Week days for Sunbury, Harrisburg, etc. via Philadelphia, 12.10 a. m., New York 12.15 p. m., Baltimore 12.30 p. m., Washington 1.15 p. m., Parlor car and passenger coach to Philadelphia. 9.27 a. m.—Train 30. Daily for Sunbury, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Harrisburg and intermediate stations. Week days for Scranton, Hazleton, and Pottsville. Philadelphia, New York, Baltimore, Washington. Through passenger coaches to Philadelphia. 1.25 p. m.—Train 12. Weekdays for Sunbury, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Hazleton, Pottsville, Harrisburg and intermediate stations, arriving at Philadelphia at 6.25 p. m., New York 6.50 a. m., Baltimore, 6.00 p. m., Washington at 7.15 p. m. Parlor car through to Philadelphia, and passenger coaches to Philadelphia, Baltimore and Washington. 5.01 p. m.—Train 32. Weekdays for Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Hazleton, Pottsville, and daily for Harrisburg and intermediate points, arriving at Philadelphia 10.20 p. m., New York 8.55 a. m., Baltimore 8.40 p. m., Washington 10.55 p. m. Passenger coaches to Philadelphia and Baltimore. 8.11 p. m.—Train 6. Daily for Sunbury, Harrisburg and all intermediate stations, arriving at Philadelphia at 6.25 a. m., New York at 7.15 a. m., Baltimore, 2.30 a. m., Washington 7.15 a. m. Pullman sleeping cars from Harrisburg to Philadelphia and New York. Philadelphia passengers can remain in sleeper undisturbed until 7.30 a. m. 2.28 a. m.—Train 4 daily for Sunbury, Harrisburg and points east and south, arriving at Philadelphia 7.22 a. m., New York 8.55 a. m., Baltimore, 8.50 a. m., Washington 7.15 a. m., Sunday, 8.50 a. m. Pullman sleeping cars and passenger coaches to Philadelphia and Washington.

WESTWARD

5.33 a. m.—Train 7 (Daily). For Erie, Canonsburg, Rochester, Buffalo, Niagara Falls, and intermediate stations, with passenger coaches to Erie and Rochester. Week days for Dubois, Bellefonte, and Pottsville. On Sundays only Pullman sleeper to Philadelphia. 10.00 a. m.—Train 31. (Daily) For Lock Haven and intermediate stations, and weekdays for Tyrone, Clearfield, Philipsburg, Pottsville and the West, with through cars to Tyrone. 1.31 p. m.—Train 61. Weekdays for Kane, Tyrone, Clearfield, Philipsburg, Pottsville, Canonsburg and intermediate stations. Through Rochester, Buffalo and Niagara Falls, with through passenger coaches to Kane and Boscawen. Parlor car to Philadelphia. 6.05 p. m.—Train 1. Week days for Renovo, Elmira and intermediate stations. 10.00 p. m.—Train 67. Weekdays for Williamsport and intermediate stations. Through Parlor Car and Passenger Coach for Philadelphia. 9.10 p. m.—Train 9. Sunday only, for Williamsport and intermediate stations.

LEWISBURG AND TYONE RAILROAD.

Table with 4 columns: Station, A.M., P.M., and Rate. Includes Westward and Eastward routes with stations like Montandon, Lewisburg, Bielefonte, etc.

Additional trains leave Lewisburg for Montandon at 5.20 a. m., 7.25 a. m., 9.45 a. m., 1.15 a. m., 3.20 p. m., returning to Lewisburg at 10.00 a. m., 12.00 p. m., 2.05 p. m., 4.10 p. m., and 6.15 p. m. On Sunday trains leave Montandon 9.25 and 10.05 a. m. and 5.05 p. m., returning to Lewisburg at 7.40 a. m., 9.40 a. m., 10.05 a. m., and 5.14 p. m. J. B. HUTCHINSON, General Manager. A. A. WOOD, Gen'l. Passenger Agent.

CENTRAL RAILROAD OF PENNSYLVANIA.

Table with 4 columns: Read Down, No. 1, No 3, No 5, Read Up, No 6, No 4, No 2. Includes stations like Harrisburg, York, Lancaster, etc.

Philadelphia Sleeping Cars attached to East-bound train from Williamsport at 11:30 p. m. and West-bound from Philadelphia at 7:30 a. m. J. W. GEPHART, General Superintendent.

BELLEFONTE CENTRAL RAILROAD.

Table with 4 columns: Station, A.M., P.M., and Rate. Includes Eastward and Westward routes with stations like Harrisburg, York, Lancaster, etc.