

### Shoe News

#### of Interest To Everybody.

If our Shoe news fails to interest the whole family we must have a poor advertising writer, for we have the Newest, the Best and the Largest variety of Shoes to be found in Bellefonte. If you want points on what is in vogue for Men and Boys', Ladies and Misses' wear, just look at our special ideas in Winter Shoes. Come here first and you will buy here. Those who have been "looking around" and then come here, buy here, too.

**Mingle's Shoe Store,**  
BELLEFONTE, PA.

#### CHURCH APPOINTMENTS.

Lutheran—Centre Hall, morning; Georges Valley, afternoon; Union, evening.  
Reformed—Centre Hall, 10 a. m.; Tusseyville, 2.30 p. m.  
Presbyterian—Centre Hall, 2.30 p. m.; Spring Mills, 10.30 a. m.

#### Went to Pittsburgh.

Messrs. Wilbur Henney, Frank Ross and Harry Harper, a trio of able-bodied young men, Tuesday started for Pittsburgh in search of employment.

#### Shipping Cattle and Sheep.

Wm. J. Mitterling, during the past two weeks gathered a car load of cows and a car load of sheep which he will ship east as soon as the railroad company is able to handle them.

#### New Advertisers.

H. G. Strohmeier and D. M. McCool are new advertisers in this issue. Mr. Strohmeier solicits the patronage of those who wish to mark and honor the dead, while Mr. McCool comes before the people with an ingenious smoothing iron.

#### A Game for Two.

The people of Georgia have asked President Roosevelt to withdraw his invitation to present a sword to Mayor Jenkins, on the occasion of his visit to the Charleston exposition. The request is in retaliation for his action toward Senator Tillman.

#### Boalsburg Teachers' Normal.

Prof. J. C. Bryson will open a teachers' normal at Boalsburg, April 14. The courses include those of a high school; a special course for those preparing to enter college, and a teacher's course, with special attention given to algebra. An assistant instructor will teach short-hand. Tuition and boarding are low in price.

#### Anniversary Sermon.

Rev. Hertz, on Thursday evening, March 13, will deliver the anniversary sermon for Centre Castle, No. 109, K. of G. E., at Spring Mills. The order has a membership of forty-two members, and was organized March, 1878, this being the 15th anniversary.

#### W. P. ALEXANDER, Master of Records.

#### The Crop Outlook.

The wheat plants throughout Penns Valley are apparently in a good condition. The protection afforded by the snow during the past few weeks, seemed to have refreshed the plant, and when the covering was removed, the plants washed by copious rains, had an apparently healthy look. Much depends on the weather conditions of this month whether the wheat crop will be good or bad.

#### The Reporters Going East.

The issue of last week's Reporter did not leave the postoffice in this place until Monday, and then a transfer was made this side of Spring Mills on the L and T. The patrons of this paper will understand why their county news was not delivered earlier. The railroad company did the best it could, but was unable to get through earlier. The Bald Eagle Valley road was open, but communication between Bellefonte and Milesburg was cut off.

#### An Old Subscriber.

Aaron Luckenbaugh, of Bradish, Nebraska, is probably one of the oldest Reporter subscribers on its list. Mr. Luckenbaugh writes that he has been a patron of the Reporter since 1848. He was an uncle of A. Luckenbaugh, of Bellefonte, and in his younger days was a millwright. Some eighteen or twenty years ago, he moved west from near Tusseyville, but from the fact that he continues reading the Reporter it may be judged that he takes pleasure in following local history made by his former associates and their descendants.

#### 1894-1902.

#### The Bridge at Spring Mills is Swept from its Foundations.

The bridge at Spring Mills was for the second time swept from its foundations by high waters. The first time in 1894 and again last week.

The state law under which bridges swept away by flood, storm or fire, are replaced at the state's expense does not include the Spring Mills bridge, or any other bridges of its class. The law only applies to bridges over navigable streams. Centre county has no bridges that come under the law referred to.

#### Late Arrival of Mail.

The mail from the east was delayed Friday morning until Saturday evening, when it was landed at the Centre Hall postoffice from Coburn by Livertyman D. A. Boezer. There was a rush for the postoffice—the crowd was banked from the door to the street, patiently awaiting the distribution of the two day's accumulation of mail by clerk San-foe and Miss Boal, the postmaster being incapacitated at that time. The front of the office had the appearance of the entrance to a great theatre, each one awaiting his turn to enter.

John Foreman, the news agent, made Boezer's shop his headquarters for the distribution of the dailies, which were very much in demand.

#### Return Thanks.

The Howard Creamery Company takes this method of thanking the public for their assistance at the fire Tuesday night. They are truly grateful for the very material aid given.

#### Thunder Storm.

Friday night, between eight and nine o'clock, a brisk electrical storm passed over the valley. The lightning was vivid, and the thunder sharp. The storm lasted for an hour and a half, during which time telephone connections were cut off.

#### Farmers Take Notice.

Patrons of our plant at Centre Hall are requested to have their milk ready on Friday as usual at their homes. The milk will either be hauled to Tusseyville and returned, without cost to patrons, or notice given to bring it to a temporary station near the old site.

#### Howard Creamery Co.

#### Illingworth's New Venture.

Rev. R. W. Illingworth, a Presbyterian divine who left Centre county some time ago to enter the Arizona Mission field, has become associate editor of the *Morenci* (Arizona) Standard, a tidy little eight page weekly that has been launched in that field.

#### The Sale "Pokes."

The printing of the sale "Pokes" was begun Saturday, and will be delivered to all parts of the county in time for use. The printing will require thirty thousand impressions, or, at the rate of one thousand an hour for ten hours per day, it will take three days to complete the work.

#### To Meet in Lewistown.

The Woman's Foreign Missionary society of the Huntingdon Presbyterian held its twenty-seventh annual meeting in Lewistown on March 6th and 8th. Miss Annie S. West, who has done effective missionary work in Japan delivered an address on "Christ in Lives and Homes in Japan" and Miss I. A. Nassau related her wonderful experience of more than thirty years service in the missionary field in West Africa.

#### Missed the Mails.

The non arrival of mails for two days was much to the disadvantage of all business in Centre Hall. No one would care to go back to the ways of receiving mail only every other day. Centre Hall has, however, been well served by mail for the past forty years or more. At that time the stage line between Bellefonte and Lewistown was an important route, and delivered mail from Philadelphia promptly. During war times Philadelphia papers reached Centre Hall on the same day of publication, but not as early as now, but then as now, reached Centre Hall several hours ahead of Bellefonte.

#### The Flood at Centre Hall.

Centre Hall is high and dry—usually—but last week's flood made it pretty "wet" in several parts of the town. The flat in the neighborhood of the Krise properties was badly flooded, but no damage of note was done. The station end of town had its first experience with a flood. The hollow near the station was filled with water, and every depression in that quarter was tank full.

Mr. Huyett's stove shed, near the station, which was temporarily filled with baled hay, was surrounded by water, and about three tons of hay were damaged somewhat.

There is possibly no section in central Pennsylvania, within last week's rain belt, that suffered as little as did Centre Hall.

Don't allow your children to run through this slush & snow and get wet feet, when \$1.25 buys a good pair of Rubber Boots at Meyer & Musser.

#### SAD ACCIDENT.

#### By Lost Life by Falling into Water—Struck by a Stone.

Charles Reamy, of Pleasant Gap, fell from a rock into deep water, was violently struck by a large stone, causing his bladder to burst; death ensued four hours thereafter.

The above are the facts surrounding the death of a son of David Reamy, of Pleasant Gap, which occurred Saturday night. The unfortunate lad, who is fourteen or fifteen years of age, with an associate named Hile, was sitting by the edge of a largesink hole, which was filled with water. The two were peering into the much agitated water, when suddenly the rock which afforded their resting place gave way. Young Reamy was hurled into the water, and as he sank a stone struck the lower portion of his body with such force as to burst his bladder.

For a moment his mate was paralyzed, but in an instant he regained his senses hurriedly climbed to the water's edge, watched for the appearing of his friend's body, and when it came to the surface he clutched it with one hand, holding himself to a root with the other. These were precious moments, and young Hile did not mispend them. His companion clung to him like drowning men cling to any object that apparently might save, and patiently awaited help that they hoped their cries might, and did bring.

Those who came to the assistance of the young men quickly brought them to safety. Hile thought he had saved his companion's life, but the unfortunate blow from the stone proved too severe. Dr. C. E. Euerick was called and did what he could to relieve him, but as noted above, death followed shortly thereafter.

The funeral services took place Monday.

#### WEDNESDAY'S BLIZZARD.

18 inches of Snow—Brisk Wind—Roads Blocked—No Mail.

Wednesday was the star day of 1902. A snow storm raged all day.

During the preceding night several inches of snow fell, and during every minute of Wednesday, up to eight o'clock at night, the beautiful fell after being tossed hither and thither by a brisk wind. The snow's depth is fully eighteen inches.

The train east in the morning got through to Montandon and back as far as Spring Mills, then returned to Montandon.

The train west reached Bellefonte in the forenoon, but was unable to return in the afternoon. Going east from Bellefonte to Spring Mills the engines must run backwards, owing to a broken bridge between the station and the turn-table.

The order given on the L and T. at the hour of going to press, 10 a. m., is that there will be no trains on this branch to-day (Thursday.)

The public roads are pretty well closed up in all sections, but the condition of the snow and drifts is such that the blocking will only be for a day.

#### Marriage Licenses.

August W. Flood, Powelton. Susie Franz, Worth Twp.  
Hile A. Lilledahl, Altoona. Grace F. Bartlet, Bellefonte.  
Charles F. Weaver, Liberty Twp. Mary Cooks, Beech Creek.

#### A Fortunate Occurrence.

It was a fortunate occurrence that Conductor Reamer crossed the bridge this side of Bellefonte before the structure was swept away by the floods. It permitted him and his crew to make runs between Spring Mills and the borough limits of Bellefonte. Monday Conductor Cook and his train were able to reach the Sinking Creek bridge this side of Spring Mills, where transfers have since been made, by which Penns Valley and Bellefonte are put into communication with the east.

#### LOCALS.

The new borough council will organize tonight.

Men's shirts, fancy and every-day wear, at C. P. Long's.

Postmaster George M. Boal, of this place, has been absent from the postoffice since last week, owing to sickness.

Robert G. Witter has assumed management of the creamery at Howard, one of the plants of the Howard Creamery Company. R. D. Wilson, who was the former manager, retired from the firm.

George W. Spangler, of Tusseyville, was appointed assessor of Potter township by the board of County Commissioners, to fill the vacancy caused by the death of W. W. Royer. Mr. Spangler will, without a doubt, make an efficient assessor.

Rev. Shultz and son, Ward K., are attending the conference of the United Evangelical church in session at Lock Haven. The latter will take the examination of junior ministers, which was to have taken place Tuesday and Wednesday.

Muslin and sheeting in abundance at C. P. Long's.

Meyer & Musser have just received a fresh supply of International Stock & Poultry Food.

#### COMMENCEMENT NOTES.

#### Orators at State for the 1902 Exercises—Lemont Recognized.

The names of the following men have been announced as the commencement orators: H. H. Hanson, Manchester, N. H.; F. Z. Moore, Waynesboro; D. W. Strayer, York; J. Wagner, Housserville; P. E. Smith, Lebanon, Va.

The following are the names of the Junior orators: C. S. Freeman, Pittsburgh; J. H. Snyder, Broughton; F. H. Taylor, South Auburn; D. B. Tuholski, Erie; R. U. Wasson, Lemont; E. N. Zerr, Lehigh.

The contest promises to be an exceptionally good one, as the orators have been selected from a class composed of ninety members.

#### AN EXPRESS PACKAGE.

Why the Shipper Would Not Designate Its Value.

"What is the value?" asked an express agent in a Broadway office of a keen eyed customer who had handed him a package to be sent to a western city. The man addressed did not answer at once, but glanced at a printed card on the wall that reads, "Always state the value of your shipment."

"If I state the value, will your company pay me that amount in case the package is lost?" asked the man in his turn.

"Certainly not, unless that is proved to be its value," answered the agent.

"If I state the value, can I prove a greater value if it is lost?"

"You will have to ask a lawyer that question," replied the agent.

"That isn't necessary, for I happen to know the law," said the shipper. "Your company is trying to establish an unfair rule, because it works only one way. You are right when you say that my statement cannot bind you, for in case of loss you can prove the value, but my statement would bind me, for the court would say that I was 'stopped' by my declaration as to the value."

"If a shipper should undervalue his shipment, thinking that thereby he would reduce the charges, he would have to stand by his statement, and your notice is calculated to make him do that very thing. You can mark my shipment 'No value stated,' and then if we meet in the courts it will be on an equal footing."—New York Herald.

#### The Miles We Walk.

How many miles a man walks in his lifetime depends naturally upon how much he walks a day on the average, but the man who walks the least covers a vast number of miles before he dies. Some men walk two miles a day, some four or five and some as many as ten. If a man walks two miles a day and lives to be thirty years old, he will cover 21,900 miles. At the same age a man who walks three miles a day will have walked 32,850 miles. Almost every man walks between two and three miles a day just in going about the house, the office, the shop and in going to and from the cars, etc.

A man who walks five miles a day finds that at the age of thirty he has covered 54,750 miles and at the age of sixty 109,500. From this should, strictly speaking, be subtracted the few months or a year when he was a baby unable to walk, but the result would not be affected materially.

Now, the circumference of the earth at the equator is only 24,800 miles, so therefore a man who at the age of sixty has averaged five miles a day since he was able to walk has walked enough miles to have encircled the earth four times and have a good many miles left over toward the fifth lap.

#### VIRTUES IN APPLES.

They Are Good For the System, Especially the Stomach.

Not alone are apples pleasing to the palate of the average mortal, but they possess medical properties of great value to mankind. German analysts say that the fruit contains a larger percentage of phosphorus than any other fruit or vegetable. This phosphorus is admirably adapted for renewing the essential nervous matter, lethich, of the brain and spinal cord. It is perhaps for the same reason, rudely understood, the old Scandinavian legends represent the apple as the food of gods, when they felt themselves to be growing old and infirm, resorted to this fruit for renewing their powers of mind and body. Also, the acids of the apple are of signal use for men of sedentary habits, whose livers are sluggish in action, those acids serving to eliminate from the body noxious matters which, if retained, would make the brain heavy and dull or bring about jaundice or skin eruptions and other allied troubles. Some such an experiment must have led to our custom of taking apple sauce with roast pork, rich goose and like dishes. The malic acid of ripe apples, either raw or cooked, will neutralize any excess of chalky matter engendered by eating too much meat.

It is also a fact that such fresh fruits as the apple, the pear and the plum, when taken ripe and without sugar, diminish acidity in the stomach rather than provoke it. Their vegetable salts and juices are converted into alkaline carbonates, which tend to counteract acidity.

A good, ripe, raw apple is one of the easiest of vegetable substances for the stomach to deal with, the whole process of its digestion being completed in eighty-five minutes. Gerard found that the "juice of roasted apples mixed in a wine quart of fair water and labored together until it comes to be as apples and alcohol which we call lamb-wool—never falleth in certain diseases of the rains, which myself had often proved and gained thereby both crowns and credit." "The paring of an apple, cut somewhat thick, and the inside whereof is tied to hot burning or running eyes at night, when the party goes to bed, and is tied or bound to the same, doth help the trouble very speedily and contrary to expectation—an excellent secret."

A poultice made of rotten apples is of very common use in Lincolnshire for the cure of weak or rheumatic eyes. Likewise in the Hotel des Invalides at Paris an apple poultice is used commonly for inflamed eyes, the apple being roasted and its pulp applied over the eyes without any intervening substance.

# THE STAR STORE.

ESTABLISHED 1889.

G. O. BENNER,

PROPRIETOR.

We have many corn cob crushers on a few of which we will give you quotations, and you will find them true to name, in the little hen coop on the popular Flat Iron Corner at the Station. May be you doubt this, if so come and see for yourself. We have explained it many times. It is the old story; buying and selling for cash only. We buy nothing from traveling salesmen or of houses that employ them. They can sell goods cheaper. We pay no rents or drayage, consequently are not compelled to keep horse and wagon and man to drive and tend same, all of which costs, and you pay the bill. Another thing; we give no prize tickets or premiums, nor do we give discount. These tickets and premiums cost money; they don't come with the wind. Well you pay for them alone with your goods. Isn't it plain? We haven't room to quote you all we would like to but will give you a few to consider.

- Head light oil, 5 gal. 6c; 10c per gal.
- Arbuckle and Lyon coffee, 10c per lb.
- Banner lye, 10c
- Roiled Oats, 10c per package
- 2 piece good laundry soap, 5c
- Good Envelope, 25 in pack 5c
- 24 sheets good note paper 5c
- Men's Canvas gloves, 10c
- Men's Suspenders, 10c
- Boy's Suspenders 5c
- Table oil cloth, 13yd. wide, per yd., 15c
- 15 lb. Iron stand and 4 bats, per set, 25c
- Wetters unaltered Dictionary, 11.00 pages, 75c
- Men's overshoes, 10c
- Boys' overshoes, 5c
- Good Ticking, per yard, 10c
- Good Ticking, Better Quality, 12 1/2c
- Good Parlor Matches, per doz, boxes, 10c
- Fruit press or potato masher, 25c
- Felt window shade, on spring roller, 10c
- Linen window shade on spring roller, 20c
- Wetters' showing banner, 25c
- Fancy paper lamp shade, 5c
- 4 Burner oil stove, 3 1/2 in. wick, \$1.00
- 4 Burner oil stove, 5 1/2 in. wick, \$1.50
- 4 Pair Men's heavy hose, 25c
- Fancy Roller Flour, 49 lb. sack \$1.00
- Good Calico per yd., 5c

THE STAR.

## SPRING IS APPROACHING

which will cause the thoughtful housewife to look forward for material for Spring Sewing.

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# C. P. Long's Store

Headquarters for

- Muslins . . . . .
- Sheetings . . . . .
- Bed-Ticking . . . . .
- Towelings . . . . .
- Calicoes . . . . .
- Cinghams . . . . .

Produce of all kinds wanted.

## Local Paragraphs.

Salt fish at C. P. Long's.

Mrs. Simon Harper is in Bellefonte, and will remain for several weeks.

W. C. Cassidy, of Bellefonte, assisted the Reporter in its job department last week.

Wm. F. Gable & Co., Altoona, celebrated its 18th anniversary March 1st. The Gables built up a splendid trade in the dry goods line, and are very proud of their store.

Sunday evening a chilly air came from the north. Monday morning the ground was frozen and everything looked more like winter than it had for several days previous.

A horse Arthur Thomas was driving in Bellefonte ran away, threw Mr. Thomas from the buggy and wrecked the vehicle. It took six or eight stitches to sew together the wound on Mr. Thomas' scalp.

Tuesday Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Alexander began housekeeping in their new home at Earlstown. They occupy the Alexander homestead, formerly occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Royer, who moved into their new house erected on the same farm.

Henry Derr Yeager, of Bellefonte, died Saturday from the effects of locomotor ataxia, at the age of sixty-eight years. His wife and five children are living to mourn his death. The children are: H. C. Yeager, Patton; A. O. Yeager, Howard; Elmer Yeager, Bellefonte; Mrs. Emma Rimart, Howard, and Mary, Bellefonte.

F. W. Sweetwood, of Potters Mills, son of D. R. Sweetwood, Tuesday started for Symerton, Illinois, where he will be employed on a farm by Mr. Quigley, his former employer. Symerton is settled mostly by Irish, who Mr. Sweetwood says are a fine class of people—good to their employees.

Former sheriff John P. Condo, of Millheim, made an assignment for the benefit of his creditors, says the Watchman, naming former probroctary W. F. Smith and W. H. Runnik, Esq., as assignees. His assets are approximated at \$11,000 with liabilities amounting to \$9,000 or \$10,000. Mr. Condo's embarrassment is supposed to have been brought about through branching out too extensively in various enterprises on a limited capital. He bought a farm, a property and store in Millheim and another store at Wolf's Store all within a short period and the load was more than he could carry. It is believed he will be able to pay dollar for dollar.

Pink and cream albatross cloth for waist, at C. P. Long's.

Fresh groceries arriving daily at C. P. Long's.

Baby Reish arrived at Hotel Eutaw, Potters Mills, the other day.

Prof. C. D. Ferny, of State College, will sail for Germany on March 29th, to continue his study of the German language.

Miss Alda Sankey, of this place, is at Milesburg the guest of her sister, Mrs. James Gregg, where she will remain for several weeks.

Miss Grace Brosius, of Bellefonte, arrived in Centre Hall Tuesday afternoon and will be the guest of Miss Roxanna Brisbin for a week.

The hour of the sale of W. H. Sliver has been changed from 10 a. m. to 9 a. m. He has a great many small articles to sell, and concluded that there would need be an additional hour to do the work. Note the change in the register.

J. W. Kepler, of Pine Grove Mills is papa of Baby No. 2. Papa Kepler is hot after Legislative honors, and the arrival of the little girl will spur him on still more. Mrs. Kepler's betrothal marriage, was Miss Maggie Goss, and is favorably known in this place.

Christ Alexander, of Coburn, for several days this week, stopped with his brother Dr. J. F. Alexander, in this place. Mr. Alexander came east from Illinois some weeks ago, being called home by the death of his brother, Hon. W. K. Alexander.

Roy W. White, a member of the freshman class at State College, died recently from the effects of the measles. He apparently had recovered from the disease when exposure brought a relapse, with the above noted result. His home was in Johnstown.

Rev. J. A. Dunlap, Ph. D., pastor of the Warriors-Mark Lutheran church, has received and accepted a call from the Lutheran church at Loganton and Boneville, in Sugar Valley, Clinton county. He will take charge of his new appointment about the 1st of April next.

J. A. Hoover, of near Pleasant Gap, surprised his wife Monday night of last week by inviting to his home about fifty of her friends to celebrate her forty-seventh birthday. She was presented a number of handsome presents. John Bitner, of Potters Mills, furnished music, to which those inclined so to do tripped the fantastic toe in the Blanchard cabin near by, while others spent the time pleasantly at Mr. Hoover's home.

For discount prices on winter goods see Meyer & Musser.