ASSAILANT OF AMELIA NEESE.

A Chapter of Wickedness in Bellefonte-

Attempted Rape-Larceny. An attempt was made to outrage Amelia Neese Wednesday of last week near her home, a short distance from his appearance the fiend escaped.

Neese, a younger sister of Amelia, was \$8.00 to \$98 00, and \$9 00 \$89 00. brought to town and asked to take The persons who are caught by those nished by L. A. Schaeffer.

Wolf, who is sixteen years of age, claims he can establish an alibi.

Fred Waltz and William Vallance, Jr., were arrested Monday morning and committed to jail charged with larceny, mischievous mischief and cruelty to animals. It is alleged that on Saturday night about mid-night they took a horse from the Palace livery stable and drove to Milesburg accompanied by two girls. Sunday morning the horse was found down near McCoy's chain work a, caught fast in a barbed wire fence. The horse was badly injured and the buggy was completely wrecked. Both young men it is claimed were un ler the influence of liquor.

Reduced Bates to Harrisburg.

For the German Baptist Brethren Conference at Harrisburg, Pa, May 20 to 24, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will sell excursion tickets to Harrisburg on May 15 to 21, good to return until June 2, inclusive, from all stations on its lines, at rate of single fare deposited with agent at Harrisburg on ditional charge will be made.

Holders of special excursion tickets Company .- o. May 29. for this event may obtain from the agent at Harrisburg, from May 21 to June 30, inclusive.

Low Rate Tour to the Yello wstone Park

On account of the Annual Conven tion of the National Educational Association at Minneapolis, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will run a personally-conducted tour to Minneapolis and the Yellowstone Park, leaving New York July 5, and, returning, arriving at New York July 20. Roundtrip tickets covering all necessary expenses for the entire trip, will be sold at rate of \$150 from all points on the Pennsylvania Railroad east of Pittsburg. Rate from Pittsburg \$5 less. A special train of Pullman dining, sleeping, compartment, and observation cars will be used. Six days will be spent in Yellowstone Park.

road Company, Broad Street Station, 8m. 2t. Philadelphis.

Smallpox Closes Court.

There is a scourge of smallpox at Mt. Carmel, in Northumberland county, so serious that the regular May term of criminal court, which was to have begun last Monday, was postpened for because the court would have brought to the county seat many persons from the infected district, with grave danger of further spreading the disease. The situation at Mt. Carmel is next to inexcusable. At a time when smallit has been increasing in that section. It is aggravated by the presence of a large number of foreigners who will not be vaccinated unless compelled to be, but this is just the fact that should have made the authorities all the more vigilant. The fear of expense in the small towns has invited spread of the disease, and this seems to be more pronounced in places where precaution

Go to Bushmau's for your fishing

Pat. Colt and Pat. Kid in our \$3.00 Bilt Well shoes, Yeager & Davis.

A LESSON IN BUYING.

Well-to-do Citizens of Cowan, Union County Learn by Experince.

Several citizens of Cowan, Union county, were taught a lesson recently that will not soon be forgotten. A slick Bellefonte. The girl, who is about tongued gentleman sold these parties the attention of her father, J. H. Neese, at the Milton bank, and when paywho was working near by, and upon ment was demanded it was found that the notes had been raised to more than

particular note of passers-by and see if oily tengued rascals are usually a class Cuba not long ago excited and enthusshe could see the assailant of her sister, who are unwilling to pay their home ed the population. It is different as to she having been present when the af- dealer a fair profit for his goods, and the Philippine blunder. All feel that fair took place. She soon pointed out when they run across a stranger with the American people and Nation are Joseph Wolf, who was later arrested a bargain they are always ready for a humiliated by the war. There is no and taken out to Neese's house where beal, which usually turns out quite more glory about it than fighting the he was indentified by Amelia. The different from what was first expected. Digger Ledians, and the military aulatter is confined to her bed from the ef. What good reason is there for any thorities and all the howling of the fects of her injuries. Wolf was released man in Union county to buy a set of imperalists cannot create it. It is under \$1,000 bail. The bail was fur- barness from a stranger who claims to just as well to keep these facts in in the capair is a was home dealer in can people is not dead. harness, and it he is a good citizen and is interested in the comunity in which he lives, why not go to him and make his purchase, pay the first cost and a Democratic state convention will have fair profit, and be done? How could an important duty to perform. Great these men about Cowan have become care should be taken in selecting them, well-to-docitizens, had everybody done as they did in the harness purchase? lest you lose the opportunity to make the first step in the coming battle for reform a decisive one, from which

> Well-to-do citizens who are unwilling to pay a fair price to dealers or manufacturers, have little room for complaint if they are skinned in their own disreputable methods of doing business. It was the intention of these well-to-do citizens to beat the home dealer out of a profit that he was entitled to; entitled to because he pays taxes, employs labor, and supports every creditable movement. In turn the stranger beat the beat.

Patronize your home institution's.

Seaboard Interchangeable Mileage Ticket,

or before June 2, for which no ad- may be obtained upon application to ow, and especially when the claim fact clearly demonstrates that the any agent or representative of the was secured for the widow and not to Centre Reporter reflected the senti-

Prohibition State Convention.

24, excursion tickets to all points in On account of the State Convention Pennsylvania, Maryland, and the Dis- of the Prohibition party, to be held at are in great demand. trict of Columbia, good to return until New Castle, Ps., May 21 and 22, 1902, June 2 inclusive, at rate of single fare the Pennsylvania Railroad Company is a good one, Yeager & Davis. for the round trip. Side-trip tickets will sell excursion tickets to New Cas-Harrisburg on deposit for extension, Pennsylvania at rate of single fare for will be limited for return passage until the round trip. Tickets will be sold May 19 to 21, and will be good to return until May 23, inclusive.

Treasurer Harris.

Frank G. Harris assumed the duties | will be employed. of his office as State Treasurer Monday. His predecessor, James E. Bar- the many callers Monday, and had a nett, will resume the practice of law in | kind word for the Reporter. Pittsburg. The amount of funds transferred was the greatest ever turned prietor of the Star Store. There is over by a retiring State Treasurer to something in it for you. his successor, being a total of \$11,434,-367.93. Of this amount \$7,808,687.70-is is in the general fund and \$3,625,680.23 is in the sinking fund.

Pencypacker May Win Out.

It looks very much as though Judge Pennypacker is to win out the race for the Republican nomination for gov-For itineraties and other informal ernor. If Judge Pennypacker succeeds tion apply to the ticket agents, Tourist it will be the first time in the history Agent, 1196 Broadway, New York, or of the party that a Philadelphia Re-George W. Boyd, Assistant General publican has been nominated for that Passenger Agent, Pennsylvania Rail. office. Seven Republicans have been if the same is returned. elected Governor in forty years. Of these Curtin, who had two terms of wick trip on Monday afternoon, school district is entitled to receive. three years each, Beaver, and Hastings Milton Kern, of Millheim, looked after This basis of distribution is the were from Centre county; Hartrauft, Geary's interests during his absence. who served two terms, was from by the present Constitution, was from house was reroofed and other improve-Luzerne; Geary was from Cumberland a week. This was thought advisable and Stone from Allegheny. The only Democrat elected in all that time was a Philadelphian.

On account of the National Baptist Anniversaries, at St. Paul, Minn., May 20 to 28, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will sell excursion pox is disappearing from most places | tickets on its lines to St. Paul or Min- he had been for some time. Jersey nespolis, May 17 to 19, good to return Shore is booming, he says; lots of not earlier than May 21, and not later work, too, but there is a man for every than May 20, at greatly reduced rates, job and for some jobs two men. These tickets will be good for return passage only when executed by Joint Miss Brosious, all of Bellefonte, drove Agent at St. Paul or Minneapolis and to Centre Hall Sunday and were the payment of 25 cents made for this ser- guests of Miss Roxanna Brisbin, who vice. By depositing ticket with Joint | accompanied them, on their return to Agent not earlier than May 21 nor later | Bellefonte, and remained until Tuesthan May 29, and payment of 50 cents day. was more necessary than anywhere a time of deposit, an extension of return limit may be obtained to leave Pitters Mills, while in town Friday St. Paul or Minneapolis not later than made a brief call at the Reporter office, June 30.

hand-made, Yeager & Davis.

THAT DISGUSTING WAR. Victory In the Philippines Creates No Enthosiasm.

CENTRE HALL, PA., T

When the American soldier does achieve a "victory" in the Philippines over the little brown men the public receives the news either with indifference or disgust. President thirteen years of age, was out in the a lot of harness for less money than Roosevelt beat the tom-toms with a field, when a young man came along, they were really worth; and in pay- sort of Napolianic proclamation over grasped her and attempted a destardly ment would accept nothing but sixty- the success of General Davis fighting deed. The cries of the girl attracted day notes. The papers were discounted the Mohammedan savages in Mindanao, but no one responds. It fell flat. The fact is that the American people cannot see anything in the On Saturday afternoon little Eilie ten times the original amounts-from useless and cruel war, in the Philippines to rejoice over. A little skirmish with the Spaniards on the coast of represent a Chicago firm? Every one view. The conscience of the Ameri-

Very True.

"The delegates to the forth-coming Did you ever think of it in that light? there would be no retreat. Send men of good judgment, who will attend the duty they go to perform.

The above is from the Democratic Watchman, which has at heart the best interests of the county and State Democracy, and does not believe in peddling out Centre county's delegates to the State Convention for a job.

Result of Persistent Effort.

Mrs. Mary Wilson, widow of Thomas J. Wilson, who died some six or seven years ago, was granted a pension of eight dollars per month with arrears amounting to \$841.00. This pen-Seaboard Air Line Railway has sion was secured by the untiring efplaced on sale 1000 mile tickets at \$25. forts of Mrs. Daniel Hess, of Linden 00, which tickets are good over its en- Hall, after one or more claim agents for the round trip (minimum rate, 25 tire system, and also over the lines of had made unsuccessful efforts to obcents). An extension of return limit its important connections, represent tain the same. Great credit should be Full information as to these tickets forts in the interests of a desering wid- of a new man for this high trust. This miles away. secure a fair share as a commission.

LOCALS.

Girls, that is girls to do house work,

Mrs. J. C. Bible and daughter, Miss sold to passengers having tickets to the from all stations on its lines to Lizzle, were in Bellefonte Wednesday. Miss Emma Alkens, of Bellefonte,

> was the guest of Mrs. W. F. Bradford John McClenahan Tuesday morning went to Williamsport where he

Levi Stump, of Colyer, was one of

Read the adv. of G. O. Benner, pro-

with the family of J. H. Ross, Linden gress the law. Hall, was home over Sunday.

Considerable corn was planted this week. The cold weather did not deter do you do? the early sowers and planters.

W. A. Boal's condition is anything but favorable. He has been ill for Centre County Gets \$41,715 as Its Share some time and suffers considerably.

El Riter, Saturday lost his pocketbock containing sixteen dollars in money. The finder will be rewarded

Montgomery; Hoyt, the first to be was here this week, and repaired the children between the ages of 6 and 16 elected for the four-year term provided Meyer property on Hoffer street. The that attend school. ments made.

of the clerks in Montgomery & Co's, and \$25,000 for township high schools, gents furnishing store, was in town leaving the public schools, \$5,275,000. over Sunday. He was unusually pleasant and not in the least lonely.

Charles A. Bodtorf, of Colyer, Monday returned from Jersey Shore where

Wm. Bottorf, the Misses Snook and

Mrs. W. R. Neff and son, John, of wheer the junior Neff watched with much interest the operation of the Our Bilt Well shoes for \$2 50 are presses, and gave that cute little 'coon a few kind pats.

RAMLEY ELECTED SUPERINTENDENT

Received 91 Out of a Total of 178 Votes on Third Ballot. Mr. Gramley was re-elected superin-

necessary for a choice, ninety.

Centre Hall.

C. L. Gramley, of Rebersburg, was and Harry, all of Philadelphia. nominated by H. C. Quigley, Esq , of Bellefonte, seconded by John A. Daley of Romola.

of Nittany.

named by John H. Beck, of the same stroke of paralysis. township.

Prof. John F. Harrison, of Bellethe same place.

THEBALLO	TS.		
Gramley	83	87	91
Hunter	32	36	55
Harrison	21	17	
Musser	23	19	20
Pletcher	16	17	19
Necessary to a choice		*****	90

them to break the same for the common good. There was more activity on the part of politicians than is usually the case prior to a political convention. every lieutenant on the ground, and they did most efficient work.

ment of the directors on the southside of the county, and the directors in amply justify the action of the south- evening. The Bilt Well shoe for men at \$2.50 side directors and the attitude of the Reporter.

> succeed himself proved untrue. The writer had not given proper credit to L. Mothersbaugh. the influence of the hero and magnate who entered into the contest so heart'- in Bellefonte. ly, and, sgain, the personnel of the Cenrated.

After Mr. Gramley has his commission he will be County Superintendent Monday after a week's visit with his convenient. of public schools for three years, and brother at Jersey Shore. he will be respected and upheld by Miss Lillie Stump, who is staying this paper so long as he does not trans-

Superintendent C. L. Gramley, how

SCHOOL APPROPRIATION.

from the State Fund. The appropriation to the public

June, the Department of Public In- public auction on May 20, 1902. struction having myle calculations as Barber Geary returned from his Ber- to the amount that each county and number of teachers, the number of re-C. Howard Meyer, of Williamsport, sident taxables and the number of

The original amount appropriated was \$5,500,000, but \$200,000 of this will George Nearhood, of Bellefonte, one be deducted for the normal schools The counties of the State receive the following sums :-

> Adams, \$32,174.72 Allecheny, \$480,009.51 Armstrova, \$35,370.02 leaver, \$32,570.74 leaford, \$44,685.63 lorks, \$140,938.15 larr, \$72,865.90 radford, \$74,448.00 lacks \$90,029.77 Adams, \$32,174.72 aniord, 5,4,43 coreks \$90 629 77 ritler, \$53,424 20 corb ia, \$57,863 31 coreron, \$57,47 49 riton, \$41,444 47 entre, \$44,745 41 cester, \$69,937,34 a fon \$25,301,59 nester, \$10,37.54 isa-ion \$35,901,99 learingto, \$25,100 93 floton, \$23,243 10 olumbi, \$39,499 50 leaw ford, \$39,762 05 lumberland, \$45,101,13 lauphin, \$33,099,14 leaware, \$72,853 25 bit \$39,22,03 839 7.23,53

Lack's 'nna. \$157,975,33 Lanoaster, \$131,896,60 Lawrence \$18,445,04 Lenanon, \$17,733,42 Lehigh, \$78,924,70 Luzerne, \$205,226,99 Lvooming, \$73,479,18 McKean, \$46,72,162 Marreer, \$90,2-6,89 Millin, \$22,190,69 Mouroe, \$21,631,75 Montg vm'y, \$111,1,126 Montoor, \$14,113,31 Northampton \$8,927,62 North'b "riad, \$79,881,94 Perry, \$29,01,37 Philas"s, \$907,159,18 Fire, \$7,697,63 Potter, \$31,583,61 Schuyikuli, #159 1:7.87 Snyder, \$19 123.70 Sumerset, \$19 420.23 Sullivan, \$13,983.56 Susqu'hanna \$14 616.7; Tioga, \$31,826.74 Union \$16,575.99

DEATHS.

David Klepper. The venerable David Klepper died tendent of public schools of Centre in the hospital at Lock Haven very county Tuesday of this week. Out of unexpectedly on Wednesday of last a convention composed of one hundred week. He had been in that institution and seventy-eight directors, on the for about six weeks receiving treatthird ballot ninety-one saw fit to vote ment for a fractured hip, which he ty, was in town several days last week. for a fourth term for Mr. Gramley- sustained some time ago by a fall down stairs. His heart failed.

The convention was called to order Mr. Klepper was born at Aaronsburg by Superintendent Gramley, who read this county, about seventy-five years the official call. Theorgan'zation was ago and for many years had followed effected by electing as chairman, Capt. his trade of carpentering in this vici-C. T. Frybarger, of Phillipsburg, sec., nity, says the Watchman. The fami-H. C. Quigley, Bellefonte; reading ly home was at the upper end of Coleclerk, P. H. Haupt, Milesburg ; tellers, ville. His surviving children are I. J. Dreese, Lemont, and S. W. Smith, Mrs. Cole, Mrs. Herman Robb, of Bellefonte; Emanuel, David, John ing visitor.

D. H. Yeager.

D. H. Yeager Esq., the most remark-J. Dorsey Hunter, of Fillmore, was able man in many respects who has named by I. J. Dreese, of Lemont, sec- ever lived in Centre county, passed ended by H. C. Crissman, of Bellefonte. away at his home, midway between Luther W. Musser, of State College, Snow Shoe and Gilliland, Wednesday was placed in nomination by Sol. Peck, night of last week. He had been ill only since the previous Saturday night, A. A. Pletcher, of Walker twp., was when he suffered something like a

'Squire Yeager was eighty-five years old and though he had raised a family fonte, was named by G. W. Rees, of of twenty-two children, been justice of had reached an age seldom allotted to about a month ago. man, he had not a gray hair on his head when he died. Surviving him are a widow and a number of children

Mrs. Phoebe Cronister.

Mrs. Phoebe Cronister, widow of the The hours preceeding the calling of late Henry G. Crouister and mother the convention were devoted to stiffen- of former Sheriff W. M. Cronister, died ing up directors who had permitted at the home of her son, in Huston themselves to commit rash promises township, Thursday evening, the 24th during the campaign, or inducing ult. She was eighty-one years of age.

Small-Pox at Danville Asylum,

There is a case of small-pox in the State Hospital for Insane at Danville. The Republican insurgent element had The patient is an epileptic, confined who released him under \$500 bail. to his bed most of the time. He had no visitors and received no mail, and how the disease was contracted is a The vote from the south side of Cen- mystery, as there was no small-pox to June 30 will be granted if ticket is ing in all approximately 15,000 miles. given Mrs. Hess for her persistent ef- tre county was almost a unit in favor nearer than Mt. Carmel, nearly twenty

Boalsburg.

Walter Woods and Morris Weaver, turn reflected the overwhelming senti- two Pine Grove "sports," called at the ment of the people. These conditions home of Wm. Goheen last Wednesday

Prof. James C. Bryson made a business trip to Bellefonte on Saturday.

The prediction made in this paper Renovo, and Miss Amanda Motherslast week that Mr. Gramley would not baugh, of Sunbury, spent a few days last week at the home of their brother,

Mrs. Laura Bricker spent Saturday

Communion services will be held in tre county school directors was over- the Presbyterian church Sunday morn- such seasonable and useful topics as ing at 10 30 oclock, Rev. Hepler, pas- house cleaning and the planting of

Rebersburg.

John Wolf was able to take a short drive on Saturday, but his condition is ot encouraging.

being rapidly completed; some of the his new field of labor. pipes have been received, while there are still several car-leads back. The bonds, ranging from three to twenty shools for the year ending June 1, 1902, years, have been received, and are put will be ready for distribution early in up in fine style. They will be sold at

hustling business.

The primary school has forty some members; good for a summer term.

Peter Breon spent Saturday and Sunday among his many friends in this community; always glad to see caster Avenue, Philadelphia, was in you, Peter.

Most of our farmers are busy planting corn.

The grass and grain fields about town look promising, although some the funeral of his aged father, menfields, several miles from town, look tion of which is made in another rather bare.

It seems we must again quarantine the small-pox parties unless they comply with the request of the Sanitary electricians, and is superintendent of Board.

Squire Relfsnyder and wife visited friends in town on Sunday.

vacation at home.

wagon will do well by seeing J. A. son farm, near the station, and upon Beller before purchasing elsewhere. reaching manhood he went to Berrys-He always has them on hand or can burg and secured a clerkship with J. supply them on short notice. Toe F. Romberger, an extensive dealer in best in the world, best material in the general merchandise. Later he investmarket used.

Yeager & Davis.

TOWN AND COUNTY NEWS,

HAPPENINGS OF LOCAL INTEREST FROM ALL PARTS.

S. T. Alexander, of Saticoy, California, who went west from Mifflin coun-Monday morning's train west was well filled with passengers who had

business in Bellefonte and points west. Harry Smurl, of Scranton, a rigger, fell from a pole at the Standard Steel Works at Lewistown and was killed.

J. B. Ream, of Penns Cave, was in town Monday on business and called at this office and proved an interest-Mrs. L. S. Bayard, of New York, ar-

rived at the home of her brother, James B. Strohm, Saturday for a brief stay. Mrs. Bayard just returned from one of her frequent tours abroad.

Alexander E. Patton, from present indications, will be the Republican nominee for state senator in this disdriet which is composed of Clearfied. Centre and Clinton counties.

The body of a small boy was found on a sand bar in the middle of the Susquebanna River a mile above Jersey Shore. It is presumed to be the body of 9 year-old Frank Fought, who disthe peace for nearly forty years and appeared from his home in Cammel

> It will be pleasing news to the young men of this town to learn that eminent physicians have decided that ice cream will make freckles and chewing gum make wrinkles in the face. Tue same authority says that dancing makes girl.' feet big, and hanging on

> the front gate produces rheumatism. Detective Rightnour on last Friday arrested John Stonebraker, better known as "Blasty," whose home is between Philipsburg and Sandy Ridge, charged with poisoning cattle on the Allegheny mountain. He was taken before Squire Keichline of Bellefonte

> Messrs. W. C. Farner, C. S. Bottorf, J. S. Housman, G. M. Cooney, of Colyer, and Daniel Tressler, of Linden Hall, trustees representing the Evangelical Association in the suit involving the ownership of the parsonage and Evangelical church in this place. were passengers to Bellefonte Monday

D. J. Meyer purposes giving his peach orchard near Linden Hall an other year's trial, after which the trees will be pulled up and the acres set to apple trees. That's a good idea, and Mac. Mothersbaugh and wife, of one Mr. Meyer should have thought of and put into operation when he first came into possession of the farm

in question. Most of the newspapers through the State that enthusiastically boomed Attorney General Elkin a few days ago are now turning their attention to flower seeds. It shows with what Bruce Harrison returned home last things politics can be mixed when

Rev. Rhoads, former pastor of the United Evangelical church, in this place, was in town this week. He was summoned to attend a suit in court; and spent the between hours among old acquaintances. Rev. Rhoads is now located at Idaville, The pipe ditch for the new pipes is Adams county, and is delighted with

The Huntingdon Reformatory Record in speaking of the death of a twin boy born in December to Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Brown, of Huntingdon, and who was burried in the Union cometery, near Farmers Mills, states that Our meat man, W. J. Bair, is doing a the other twin, whose life was despaired of, has recovered. Mr. Brown is chorister at the Reformatory and the Record speaks very kindly of bim and his wife.

David J. Klepper, Jr., of 3730 Lantown Saturday and divided his time between his aunt, Miss Angeline Tobias and the Reporter office. Mr. Klepper came to Bellefonte to attend column. Years ago the family lived in Centre Hall. Mr. Klepper is at present engaged with Francis Bros. & Jellett, Broadstreet, Philadelphia, one of the departments.

John Stover, of Berrysburg, Pa., paid his mother a visit at her home in Lewis Cole is spending his summer | Spring Mills, and drove to Centre Hall Saturday, for a few hours' stay. Mr. Any one in need of a good two horse | Stover spent his boyhood on the Wiled with cupid, and succeeded in securing the controling stock in his em-Bit Well shoes for men and boys- ployer's daughter, and has since been Yeager & Davis. Every pair of our a member of the family. Mr. Stover \$2,50 Bill Well shoes is guaranteed, has many associates in this place who were glad to take his hand.