

THE CENTRE COUNTY FAIR.

Bigger and Better Than Ever—Large Purse for Horse Races—Free Wild West Show.

The big Centre County Fair next week will be the biggest and best ever held, if the weather man is kind enough to give propitious weather. Every arrangement has been practically completed and the management is confident of all success of the twelfth annual exhibition of the Centre County Agricultural Exhibiting Company which will be held on Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday of next week. Four days and every day will be a big one. Liberal premiums and increased purses are having their effect and the indications are that every available foot of space in the large exhibition building and the produce and fruit tent will be taken and the outlook was never brighter for a big string of race horses. And everybody who comes to the fair will be accorded the very best of treatment.

A county fair without races is not much of a fair and in this respect the Centre county fair this year will undoubtedly surpass that of any previous year. Through the generosity of the business men of Bellefonte the purses have been increased to a figure that makes them an object worth while to every horse owner in the State. A \$300 purse both Wednesday and Thursday and \$400 for the big free for all on Friday is worth going after and horsemen will be here to contest for the big money. Then in addition there will be a running race each day, and everybody knows the excitement of such a race. Frank Smith, of Buffalo, N. Y., will be the starter and this fact not only assures horseman of a square deal but the general public also that the races will be pulled off on time.

There will be the usual large display of farm implements and machinery and from the numerous applications already received for concessions on the "The Pike" there will be plenty of amusements to entertain the crowd. No gambling dens or devices, however, will be allowed on the grounds.

Tompkins' wild west show as the free attraction this year will be away above the average. One of the features of this attraction is a basket ball game on horseback between Cowboy and Indian teams. A beautiful young lady will perform marvelous tricks on the best educated horse in the state. There will be broncho busting and lasso work of the most thrilling kind and dare-devil riding sufficient to make your hair stand. All this will be absolutely free and will be shown near the judge's stand during the races.

Don't forget the fact that Wednesday will be Children's Day, when all children will be admitted free. Bring them to the fair and let them see what Centre county is doing along every line that interests the farmer. The fair is an education in itself and the children of the county should be given the advantage of learning all from it they can. Therefore bring them in on Wednesday when it won't cost you a cent for their admission.

Don't wait for one special day as being the big day. Every day will be big so that you can't afford to miss one of them.

Shook-Long.

A very pretty home wedding occurred at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Long, in Spring Mills, Wednesday, when their daughter, Miss Eleanor Mary, was united in marriage to Ralph Shook, also of Spring Mills. The bride wore white satin messaline and carried a bouquet of white chrysanthemums. In addition to the members of the two families a few personal friends were present to witness the ceremony which was performed by Dr. W. H. Schuyler, of the Presbyterian Church. The young couple were attended by Miss Mable Long, a sister of the bride, as bride's maid, and Gross Shook, a brother of the groom, of Franklin and Marshall College, as best man. Quite an elaborate wedding breakfast was served after which the young couple were driven to Bellefonte in an automobile where they took the 1:25 train for a trip to New York state. Their many friends extend congratulations and wish them a life of happiness.

Reception to Rev. Barry.

On Tuesday Rev. Fred W. Barry came to Centre Hall as the pastor of the Penna Valley Lutheran church, and is now domiciled in the parsonage. He is accompanied by his three sisters, Misses May, Myrtle and Birdie, one of whom presides over the home.

Friday evening an informal reception will be tendered the pastor in the church at Centre Hall, and to this all persons in the charge connected directly or indirectly with the Lutheran church have been invited by announcement in the various Sunday-schools.

John D. Miller, of Walker township, asks your support for the office of county treasurer at the primary on Saturday. He is the only ruralite in the field; he is fully competent; thoroughly honest; sober and industrious.

For district attorney vote for D. Paul Fortney who has always supported the Democratic ticket through thick and thin.

DEATHS.

Henry McMonigal, died at the home of his daughter in Holidaysburg, aged a little over eighty-eight years. He was born in Taylor township, but went to Kansas more than thirty years ago. He served in the civil war. Two daughters survive: Mrs. R. W. Downing, of Holidaysburg; and Mrs. John V. Baker, of Harper, Kansas. James and John McMonigal, of Port Matilda, are brothers of the deceased.

William Iddings, for many years a resident of Unionville, died at Huntingdon, aged eighty-nine years. Three sons—Edward, of Unionville; Ellis, of Huntingdon, and Morris, of Phillipsburg, survive. Mrs. Anna Moore, of Gramplan, and Mrs. Mary Hall, of West Virginia, are surviving sisters.

Mrs. John Burket died in Pittsburg. Her maiden name was Olive Matern, and was born near Stormstown, where interment was made. Since her marriage she lived in Pittsburg. J. Collins Matern, Mrs. Emma Way, of Stormstown, and Miss Belle Matern, of Altoona, survive.

Home From Encouraging Trip.

Frank W. Grebe, candidate for the Democratic nomination for Treasurer, has just returned from a trip over the mountain, where he was interviewing the voters and looking up his interests, and seems to be very much elated over the encouragement received. Mr. Grebe, who is bookkeeper for the Moshannon Lumber Co., now owned by his father and brother, is noted as being one of the best penmen in this section, and this, with his ability as a bookkeeper, gives him special fitness for the office—Phillipsburg Journal.

Marriage Licenses.

Caleb E. Miller, Bellefonte
Elsie C. McCloskey, Howard
Ralph H. Shook, Spring Mills
Eleanor M. Long, Spring Mills
William Gingerich, Potters Mills
Chester C. Confer, Potters Mills
Gottlieb Banks, Casanova
Julia Scham, Gerhartville
Leone M. Kunes, Blanchard
Florence I. Boone, Howard
William Laffin, Pittsburgh
Florence May Dubbs, Pittsburgh

Reporter Register.

Mrs. John J. Hewitt, Riverside, Calif.
Mrs. W. H. Stiver, Centre Hall
A. G. C. Rhoder, Pittsburg
Laura Siegal, Spring Mills
S. C. Brungart, Tusseyville
Mrs. S. M. Goodhart, Johnstown
Mrs. J. H. Runkle, Centre Hall
L. F. Roan, Lemont
Moses Breeze, Cambridge, Wisconsin
Myrtle Barry, Hartleton
F. May Barry, Hartleton
Mrs. Benjamin W. Sebring, Columbus, Ohio
J. W. McCormick, Columbia, South Carolina
John Trafford, Bellefonte

LOCALS.

Paul, son of Mrs. Sadie Neff, of near Colyer, is ill with typhoid fever.

Vote for D. Paul Fortney, the people's choice for district attorney of Centre county.

The Bernard statury, at the State Capitol, will be formally unveiled next Wednesday.

His first visit to Centre county since leaving here more than a dozen years ago was made by A. Reed Alexander, who now lives in Charlotte, Michigan. Before locating in that state, Mr. Alexander lived in Kansas.

Rev. J. Raymond Jones, of Saegertown, Crawford county, will fill the appointments on the Centre Hall Reformed church on Saturday and Sunday, October 14, and 15. Services at Centre Hall will be held Saturday evening.

Having purchased a home on Mann avenue, in Yeagertown, Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Burris, of Centre Hall, will move there as soon as they can gain possession, which they hope to do very soon. The property adjoins that of Harry Stover, and was purchased at a bargain.

The interests of the party, qualifications and temperament of the aspirants, and the chances of your nominee being successful at the election should be well considered when you vote on September 30th. If you believe that J. Kennedy Johnston, for district attorney, best meets these requirements, he will appreciate your vote.

John D. Miller is the only farmer who is a candidate for office of treasurer of Centre county; he has been loyal to the party under all conditions, and now asks your support for the nomination. You will agree that he is capable, and if there is any such thing in politics as having a claim on the office, Mr. Miller has it. Vote for him.

Hon. Wm. M. Allison, of Spring Mills, is the owner of a large Hudson car, which he purchased in New York, while in that city recently. He made the trip home in the car accompanied by a mechanic. Now a mechanic is a man who knows all about machinery, and is teaching Miss Mable Allison not only how to handle the steering wheel but how to care for the machine. She is an apt student and is already capable of making her companions in the car feel at ease when running on high gear.

Fish at Billingsgate. Fish is sold in London shops at a stated price per pound, but the retailer in getting his supplies from Billingsgate has to purchase each kind by a separate weight or measurement. He buys soles by the pound, plaice by the stone, mackerel by the sixty, cod by the box, eels by the draught, haddock by the steamer trunk, crabs by the barrel, lobsters by the score, whitebait by the quart and periwinkles by the hundredweight.—London Globe.

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LOCALS.

Germany may prohibit the exportation of potatoes.

Secure your winter's supply of coal—R. D. Foreman.

Trespass notices, suitable for all purposes, may be had at this office.

A. M. Holt, a well-known and highly esteemed resident of Snow Shoe, died Wednesday of last week.

J. F. Treaster advertises wood for sale, which he is ready to deliver with a new gray team purchased from Edward H. Zimmerman, of Millheim.

E. H. Zimmerman, the Millheim lumberman is selling his lumbering stock and fixtures. He has some intentions of going south with a view of looking up lumbering jobs for himself.

D. Paul Fortney has devoted his entire time and attention to the study and practice of the law since his admission to the bar, and is therefore a safe person to fill the office; vote for D. Paul Fortney.

Messrs. E. M. Muyett and P. H. Luse purchased four suckling colts—two from J. C. Goodhart and as many from Richard Brooks. The price is said to have been seventy-five dollars each.

Vote for J. M. Keichline for district attorney, who was admitted to the Supreme Court, at Philadelphia, on the 8th day of May, 1911. This makes him eligible to try commonwealth cases before the Supreme Court in case of his nomination and election to this office.

On Tuesday evening Rev. Moses Breeze, of Cambridge, Wisconsin, gave a talk in the Presbyterian church. He is Scotch Irish, and one of a family of twelve, six of whom are in the Presbyterian ministry. He is now employed by the Huntingdon Presbytery to visit the churches and encourage them in their finances. He is a man of oratorical powers, and great intellect, having appeared repeatedly before audiences in the larger cities. In one of the popular magazines he was termed as the "Doctor of sick churches," and spoken of as Moses "Cyclone," that name better representing his manner and earnestness. Those who heard Dr. Breeze were given a rare treat.

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They Were Sold One by One, Yet the Set Remained Intact.

An old curiosity dealer of Paris recently found a new snare for the eternally gullible amateur. He put in his window five dolls dressed in vaguely medieval clothes. Collector No. 1 came in and asked to buy one of them. The dealer could not divide the lots, as they were a valuable set, representing the five senses. After long persuasion the amateur at last carried one off at a very long price.

Collector No. 2 followed. Could he have one of the dolls? "Out of the question, sir; a most valuable set, representing the four seasons." After more long persuasion and at a still longer price one of the dolls was sold. When amateur No. 3 called the three dolls were the three graces, a most valuable set, which could not be divided. By offering an enormous sum he carried off one of them.

Amateur No. 4 called and wanted to buy one of the two dolls. What was monsieur actually proposing? The two dolls were Adam and Eve, sculptured and dressed by some forgotten medieval artist. The pair could not possibly be parted. The collector eventually carried off Adam for a gigantic sum. Amateur No. 5 called and asked: "How much for that curio? Evidently an odd one of a set."

"An odd one of a set!" screamed the dealer. "It is a unique piece. Does not monsieur perceive that it represents Agnes Sorel, the favorite of Charles VII.?" And the amateur secured the unique piece for a fabulous amount.—Paris Cor. London Telegraph.

He Was Observant.

The supervisor of a school was trying to prove that children are lacking in observation. To the children he said, "Now, children, tell me a number to put on the board."

Some child said "Thirty-six." The supervisor wrote sixty-three.

He asked for another number, and seventy-six was given. He wrote sixty-seven.

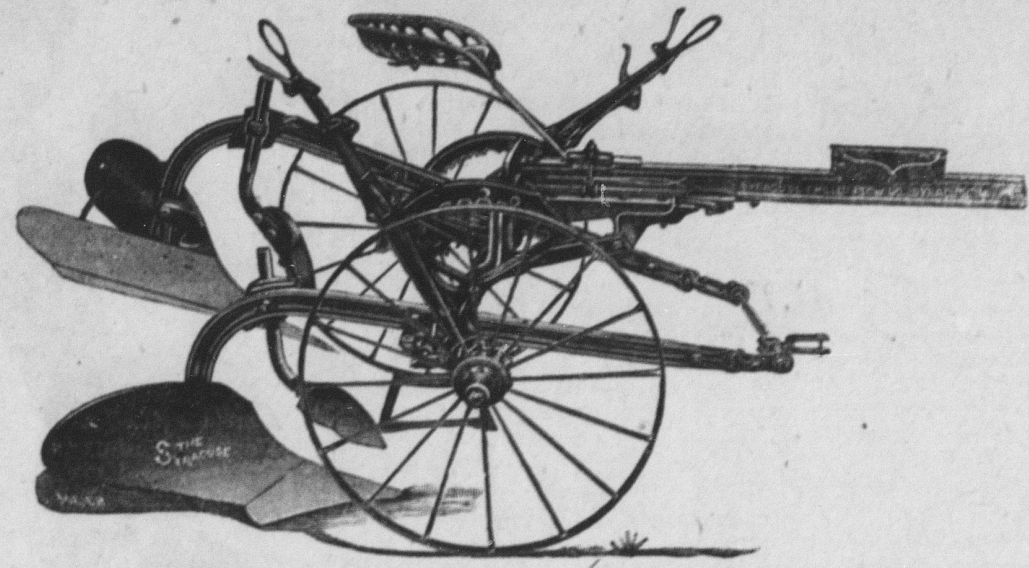
When a third number was asked a child who apparently had paid no attention called out:

"Seventy-seven. Change that, you darned faker!"—Everybody's.

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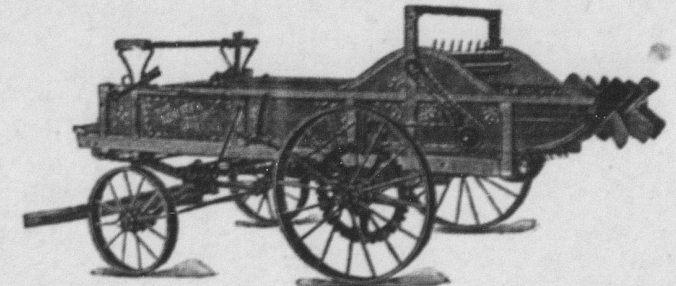
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For further information and particulars apply to CLAYTON HOMAN, Centre Hall, or A. B. HOMAN, No. 1904, 15 Ave., Altoona.

FARM FOR SALE—The undersigned offers at private sale their farm, three-fourths mile north of Tusseyville, containing fifty-six acres, forty-nine of which are clear and under cultivation, the remainder is timbered. A good dwelling house, and out building are on the premises; also good cisterns, and plenty of fruit of all kinds. The property is for sale until September 1st, after which offer to sell is withdrawn. The reason for selling is on account of the advanced age of the owners. For further particulars apply to the undersigned.

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Incapacitated.
"The fussy individual who always has a run in with the waiter never fares any better than the rest of us who are satisfied to take things as they come," said the homeless bachelor. "I took breakfast with one of these fussers the other morning in a little cafe uptown that was new to both of us."

"All he wanted was a cup of coffee and a couple of boiled eggs. But you might have thought the universe depended upon those eggs. After having given the waiter minute instructions as to their preparation, he sat with his watch in his hands."

"Finally the eggs came, and there was a lot more powwow. As he cracked the shell of one he turned to the waiter and said, 'Are you sure these eggs are positively fresh?'"

"And the waiter, who had watery eyes and a very red nose, replied with all seriousness: 'I really can't say, sir. I have a frightful cold in my head.'"
—New York Times.

The Poster.

The poster may be said to date from 1836, when a design by Lelance was used in France to advertise a book, "Comment Meurent les Femmes." His example was very quickly followed, most of the early designs being printed in black on white or tinted paper. The color poster began about 1860 and attained to the dignity of a high art with Jules Cheret, "the father of the pictured placard." The first English theatrical placard to attract widespread attention was one of Fred Walker's advertising a dramatic version of "The Woman in White."—London Chronicle.

A Hurry Call.

The political boss of a small city drove his buckboard at top speed down the main street on the morning of an election.

"Hey, Johnnie," he yelled to his son, "git down in the Fourth ward quick! There's people down there votin' as they blame please!"—Success Magazine.

Those Dear Girls.

Young Bride—I didn't accept Harry the first time he proposed. Miss Ryval—No, dear; you weren't there.—Boston Transcript.