

STATE NEWS.

Work on the foundation for the Middle Penitentiary will begin this week. The Pennsylvania school teachers arrived at Montreal on Friday last on a pleasure tour. General Peter Lyle died at his residence in Philadelphia, Friday morning, aged 59 years.

Col. Alexander Cummings, formerly a well-known journalist of Philadelphia and New York, died in Ottawa, Canada, on Wednesday last. Mr. W. W. Thurston, vice president of the Bethlehem Iron Company, sailed for Europe on the 16th, where he goes for the benefit of his health.

Messrs. Innes & Plympton, of Oil City, have shipped three large engines to Russia with improvements to suit the work in the Russian oil fields. Mrs. Jane Wilson, seventy-four years old, has been missing from her home in Pittsburgh since Tuesday week, and fears are entertained for her safety.

In East Findley township, Millin county, a cow was struck dead last week by lightning while being milked. The woman doing the milking was injured. The corner stone of the new Court House of Elk county, now being built at Ridgway, in county seat, was laid on the 16th in the presence of a large number of persons.

A fire in the third story of Gabriel Kent, formerly Matthewson & Co., Williamsport, Friday evening, caused a damage to the stock of about \$3,000; fully insured. A party of five gentlemen will start for Philadelphia from Pittsburgh in a few days in an open wagon. The distance is three hundred and fifty miles, and the party expect to make the trip in six days.

The employees of the Pennsylvania iron works at Danville, Pa., were notified on Saturday that their wages would be advanced, dating from July 1. The price now paid for puddling is \$3 per ton. The camp meeting at Sewickly, which is the fortieth session of the National Society "for the Protection of Holiness," began on Friday, and is under the direction of Rev. Dr. Inskip, of Philadelphia.

The quantity of coal and coke carried over the Pennsylvania railroad for the first of July was 90,760 tons, of which 68,501 tons were coal and 22,259 tons coke. The total tonnage for the year thus far has been 2,899,524 tons, of which 2,219,524 tons were coal and 679,980 tons coke. These figures embrace all the coal and coke carried over the road, east and west.

Sunday morning about 7 o'clock a fire broke out in the stables attached to the jail in Doylestown, Pa. The stable and the east wing of the jail were badly damaged, the town being very poorly supplied with fire apparatus. Considerable time elapsed before water was turned on the burning buildings. The horses and carriages of Sheriff Ely were got out safely. The prisoners, some twelve to fifteen in number, were removed from their cells and placed in the jail yard, where they are guarded by a detachment of soldiers of the Sixth regiment. The fire is supposed to have been caused by an incendiary on the outside or by a prisoner throwing a lighted match from a cell window.

Friday Mr. John Thomas, Superintendent of the coal works near Moore's station, Westmoreland county, Pa., owned by Hon. John Scott, of Erie, went into a mine in which there was a room full of foul air, in company with Frank Fitzpatrick and son, to make an examination. While investigating he held a lighted lamp close to the floor, whereupon an explosion at once took place. All three were badly burned—the boy so seriously that his death occurred the same night. The elder Fitzpatrick is badly burned about the body and face, and Mr. Thomas suffered from burns on his face and arms. Both men inhaled the foul gas also, and when removed from the pit were very much affected by it. The shock of the explosion was so great as to be felt in every part of the extensive mine.

There never was such a really good, substantial, satisfactory, and rapid-selling first-class Lock Stitch Sewing Machine offered so low as the "NEW FAMILY SHUTTLE," reduced to only \$25; more complete with equipments, and lower in price than any other machine. It is elegant in workmanship and finish, surpasses all others in its work and fulfills all the requirements of every family as a helper. Thoroughly warranted by written guarantee for five years, and kept in order from its charge. It will do every description of work—fine or coarse—that any machine, at any price, ever did, or can do; equally as rapid, correct, smooth, neat, and strong. Has all the late improvements, is easy to learn and manage, is serviceable, don't wear out, always ready, and never out of order. Sent C. O. D. anywhere with privilege of examination before payment of bill. Agents make money rapidly, supplying the great demand for this Cheap Machine in the World. Territory free. Address, for descriptive books, &c., "Family" Shuttle Machine Co., 755 Broadway, New York.

THE DEATH-RATE OF—Our country is getting to be fearfully alarming, the average of life being lessened every year, without any reasonable cause, death resulting generally from the most insignificant origin. At this season of the year especially, a cold is such a common thing that in the hurry of every day life we are apt to overlook the dangers attending it and often find too late, that a Fever or Lung trouble has already set in. Thousands lose their lives in this way every winter, while had *Boschee's German Syrup* been taken, a cure would have resulted, and a large bill from a Doctor been avoided. For all diseases of the Throat and Lungs, *Boschee's German Syrup* has proven itself to be the greatest discovery of its kind in medicine. Every Druggist in this country will tell you of its wonderful effect. Over 950,000 bottles sold last year without a single failure known. Sold by F. POTTS GREEN, wholesale and retail. 20-cow-1y

As this is the season when colds are most likely to be taken, a word of advice to our readers would be in season: First, then, keep your feet dry; wear flannel next your skin; do not sit or stand in draughts of air, and upon the first symptom of a cold or a cough call at Green's Drug Store, in Bush House Block, and procure a bottle of his "Compound Syrup of Tar, Honey and Bloodroot," which will give you almost instant relief. It is a pleasant and effectual preparation, containing the virtues of Tar combined with some of the best expectorants and anodynes, allaying all those distressing symptoms which if not promptly arrested will too frequently result in that fatal disease, Consumption. Price, 50 cents a bottle, or six for \$2.50. 21-cow

INQUEST NOTICE. IN THE matter of the estate of HENRY FLETCHER, deceased, late of Howard township, Centre county, Pa. To Jacob Heller, Catharine Heller, Michael Fletcher, Henry S. Fletcher, Henry Heller, Magdalena Heller, Jacob Fletcher, Balzer Weber, Annie Weber, Landish Schenck, Mary E. Schenck, William Fay, Catharine J. Fay, the heirs and legal representatives of Henry Fletcher, deceased.

CANCER CURED, WITHOUT KNIFE, and in most cases without pain. Apply to C. W. P. FISHER, M. D., Bushburg, Centre County, Pa. 25-2m

CENTRE COUNTY, SS: I, the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, do hereby certify, that the following are the names of the persons who were appointed to the office of Auditor of the county of Centre, Pa., for the term ending on the 31st day of December, 1879.

THE Semi-Weekly World (A LARGE EIGHT-PAGE PAPER) Will be sent to any address in the United States or Canada, post-paid, until January 1, 1880, for ONE DOLLAR. The Leading Democratic Journal of the Country.

WOODWARD SEMINARY. Boarding and Day School for Young Ladies and Little Children. SECOND AND LOCUST STREETS, HARRISBURG, PA. Regular term will begin SEPTEMBER 10, 1879. Course of study—Classical and Scientific, with Music and Art. Board and tuition from \$20 to \$30 a year and no extra.

VALUABLE REAL ESTATE—ORPHANS' COURT SALE. WILL be sold at public sale at the late residence of J. HENRY DUCK, dec'd, in Gregg township. On Thursday, August 7, 1879, the following real estate, viz:

No. 1. One tract of land bounded and described as follows: No. 1, situated in Gregg township, bounded by lands of James Duck and others, containing 154 Acres and 88 Perches, thereon erected a two-story LIND DWELLING HOUSE, two-story Wash House, Bank Barn with horse-power Shed, two Wagon Sheds attached, Cider Press, and outbuildings. About 150 Acres clear, the balance well supplied with Chestnut and Oak timber.

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CENTRE COUNTY BANKING COMPANY. Receive Deposits and Allow Interest. Discount Notes, Buy and Sell Gov. Securities, Gold and Coupons, JAMES A. BEAVER, President, J. B. HOPKINS, Cashier, R. C. HUNES, Prop't. F. F. HARRIS, Cash'r. FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF BELLEFONTE, Allegheny Street, Bellefonte, Pa. 4-4f

S. & A. LOEB, General Merchants, Allegheny Street, Bellefonte, Pa. SOUND REASONS Why we can undersell any exclusive Clothing Store in Centre county. Reasons which if carefully weighed will convince any one with average common sense: First---We deal in all classes of general merchandise, including DRY GOODS, Clothing, Boots and Shoes, Groceries, Queensware, Notions, Carpets, Hats and Caps, and everything generally kept in a well regulated Country Store.

Professional Cards. HARRY K. HICKS, Hardware. Groceries and Provisions. NEW GOODS -FOR THE- SPRING TRADE. We have given very close and careful attention to the selection of goods for the Spring Trade, and feel justified in saying that our present Stock cannot be excelled either in regard to Variety, Quality or Price, and we doubt if it is equalled in either of these respects by any house in Centre county.

C. T. ALEXANDER, C. M. BOWEN, ALEXANDER & BOWEN, ATTORNEYS AT LAW, Bellefonte, Pa., may be consulted in English or German. Office in German's Building. 1-1y

J. L. SPANGLER, ATTORNEY-AT-LAW, BELLEFONTE, CENTRE COUNTY, PA. Special attention given to the collection of claims. All business attended to promptly. 1-1y

DR. J. W. RHONE, Dentist, can be found at his office and residence on North side of High street, three doors East of Allegheny, Bellefonte, Pa. 16-1y

MILLHEIM HOTEL, MILLHEIM, CENTRE COUNTY, PENN'A. W. S. MUSSER, Proprietor. The town of Millheim is located in Penn's Valley, about two miles from Colburn Station, on the Lewisburg, Centre and Spruce Creek Railroad, with surroundings that make it a PLEASANT SUMMER RESORT.

GARMAN'S HOTEL, Opposite Court House, BELLEFONTE, PA. TERMS \$1.25 PER DAY. A good lobby attached. 1-1y

EVERYTHING AT BOTTOM PRICES! PAINTS AND STOVES, HARDWARE, SADDLERY, OILS, PAINTS AND STOVES, EVERYTHING AT BOTTOM PRICES!

HARNESS MANUFACTORY, in German's New Block, BELLEFONTE, PA. 1-1y

FINE CLOTHING. SUITS to order \$12.50. Hats, Caps & Shirts. MONTGOMERY & CO., Tailors, BELLEFONTE, PA. 1-1y

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HARPER BROTHERS, SPRING STREET, BELLEFONTE, PA. COUNTRY PRODUCE taken in exchange at the highest market prices. 1-1y

FISH. Mackerel are of good quality this season and are selling rather faster than usual at this season of the year. We have been selling nothing but full weights—50 lbs. of fish in each quarter barrel and 100 lbs. in each half barrel. They have better value for the money than short weights.

MEAT MARKET. Our Sugar-Cured Hams, Dried Beef, Breakfast Bacon and Cheese are all worthy of special mention. FRUIT. Oranges and Lemons are very fine and the price low enough to bring them into every day use.

GROCERIES AND PROVISIONS. No house in the Grocery and Provision business in Bellefonte is prepared to supply all the wants of the family so well as we can do at present.

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