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Local Department.

For the best cigars go to Harry Green. The next change in the moon occurs on Monday. And now we have entered upon the first fall month. Miss Jennie Dare returned from Snow Shoe last Thursday. Additional locals of interest may be found on the 5th page. His Honor Judge C. A. Mayer occupies the Bench this week. Rev. Campbell again preached to the Presbyterian congregation last Sunday. Captain Dunlap, of Pine Grove, made a very brief call on us last Thursday morning. Stephen S. Romak, Esq., of Philadelphia, was at the Brockerhoff House last week. Rev. Joseph Cook will lecture in Altoona some evening during the last week of this month. Senator R. S. Peale, of Lock Haven, was in attendance on our Court the beginning of this week. The Eclectic Medical Association will meet at the Bush House, this place, on Tuesday, October 7. Smokers prefer the cigars sold by Harry Green. Those who have not tried them should do so. Attend the regular monthly meeting of the Young Men's Christian Association next Sunday afternoon. A Methodist camp-meeting will be held near Pine Grove Mills, commencing next Thursday, the 11th instant. The concert to be given in aid of the Centennial Temperance Club has been postponed until the evening of the 25th inst. Miss Ida Landis, who has been enjoying the pleasures of Chiclelamouch House, Snow Shoe, for a season, has returned. Mr. Daniel Butler, of Philipsburg, was in attendance at Court last week, and favored us with a call on Thursday morning. Joe Oppenheimer has severed his connection with Mr. Isaac Guggenheimer's store, where he has for so long been an efficient clerk. Mr. E. A. Smith and wife have returned from their extended trip to Lewistown and other places. They have been absent over a month. Mrs. Dr. Hale returned from that delightful resort, Ocean Grove, last Friday. Like all the visitors there, she was thoroughly charmed with it. Mrs. Shannon McCormick, of Ferguson township, was slightly injured on Sunday of last week by being thrown from a buggy while driving to church. Mr. George Hoppes, proprietor of the Bush House, has been ill for the past week. We were pleased to learn, however, yesterday, that he was recovering. Memorial services to the honor of the late Dr. George L. Potter, will be performed under the auspices of the G. A. R. Gregg Post No. 95, on the evening of the 18th instant. That genial host and sterling Democrat, C. H. Faulkner, of the Potter House, Philipsburg, is stopping with Houseal & Teller at the Brockerhoff House. He also paid his respects at this office. Mrs. Krise, living near Centre Hall, recently received \$1,500 pension money. Her son was killed in the late war, and the money was procured for her through the efforts of Esquire Shannon. A few improvements are taking place in Aaronsburg. Col. Coburn is enclosing his premises with a stylish iron fence and Thomas Hull, Esq., is about to erect a new residence on Second street. Mr. E. C. Humes, on Allegheny street, had carpenters employed during last week in erecting a porch in the alcove formed by the main portion of his residence and the wing projecting towards the west. The monthly gathering of the Ladies' Missionary Society connected with the Episcopal church will meet next Friday afternoon at 3.30 o'clock, at the residence of Mr. Thomas Reynolds on High street. Henry Miller, Esq., who resides not far from town on the road to Pleasant Gap, is one of our most valued subscribers and a very pleasant gentleman. He was among the many who called on us last Thursday. Rev. Fryinger delivered two exceedingly interesting and effective discourses for our friends of the Methodist congregation on Sunday last. In the evening his remarks were devoted especially to Sunday-school workers. No more pleasant citizens exist than Cyrus Brumgard and Samuel K. Faust, Esq's, of Miles township; therefore we are pleased at the fact that they do not neglect to call on us during their frequent visits to town. The young gentlemen who recently started a green grocery store in the vacant room in McClain's building, opposite the Bush House, have already closed up their business and gone to Huntingdon, where they think better business opportunities await them. The office of Dr. P. T. Musser, at Aaronsburg, was entered by burglars a few nights ago. But their visit was ill-timed, as the Doctor returned about one o'clock and frightened the burglars off. They did not succeed in securing anything.

The Commissioners have appointed the following collectors for 1879: Bellefonte borough, J. M. Keichline; Howard borough, Robert Cook, Jr.; Milesburg borough, W. B. Miles; Unionville borough, A. N. Russel; Benner township, W. A. Taylor; Burnside township, D. M. Stewart; College township, William Foster; Curtin township, Henry Theil; Ferguson township, George W. Keichline; Gregg township, Cyrus Lase; Haines township, Jacob Bower, Jr.; Half Moon township, J. H. Griffin; Harris township, B. Stem; Howard township, J. M. Kline; Huston township, D. W. Kline; Marion township, J. J. Hoy; Miles township, George B. Haines; Patton township, Daniel Heckman; Penn township, C. Alexander; Potter township, J. W. Mersinger; Rush township, John B. Long; Spring township, John Garbrick; Taylor township, Mr. Beckwith; Union township, William Spotts; Walker township, David Youm; Worth township, George R. Williams. Among the distinguished departures from town last Monday was Mr. J. H. Bauland. He is justly distinguished for the success with which he has conducted his exclusive Bee-Hive Dry Goods store. He will be absent for ten days which he will devote to a thorough search of the large wholesale dry goods establishments of Philadelphia and New York, buying and sending on to his store here whatever is most desirable. His six months' residence has thoroughly familiarized him with the tastes of his numerous customers throughout Centre county, and as the result of his discernment and good judgment the stock which he will lay in may be expected to give more satisfaction than any ever before presented to this community. The last issue of the Lutheran Observer contains a full report, from its Secretary, J. A. Koser, of the late meeting of the Northern Conference of the Synod of Pennsylvania, which assembled in Penn's Creek church on Tuesday evening, August 5. The session, which lasted through the following Wednesday, was replete with interest, much of which was due to the entertaining remarks made by Prof. P. M. Bickle, Professor of Physics and Astronomy in Pennsylvania College, Gettysburg, and by Rev. S. E. Furst, of this place. The latter spoke of the necessity of an educated ministry, and the duty of the church as pertaining thereto. The next meeting will be held in Salona, Clinton county, on the 18th of November. Every thing promises favorable for a very successful re-union of the Centre county veterans next Saturday. The veterans and their families, of this place, will proceed to the picnic grounds in a body. We are told that there will also be a delegation present from Mifflin county. The Zion band will furnish the music, and there will probably be other musical organizations present. At all events, there will be entertainment and pleasure for all who will attend. We are also informed that Mr. Gottlieb Haag has consented to close his bar. In view of the encouraging prospects for a brisk fall trade, Mr. J. H. Bauland of the Bee-Hive Dry Goods store has secured the services of Mr. Harry Kephart, one of the bright and intelligent young gentlemen of Unionville. The reputation which the store has already attained for employing accommodating and polite clerks will be well maintained, and under Harry's dexterous fingers the many lovely fabrics which are used in female attire will look doubly beautiful and sell with corresponding rapidity. Messrs. A. Walter and F. P. Musser, of Millheim, met with an accident on Sunday week while on their way to Clinton-dale camp-meeting. The horse they were driving frightened at the many vehicles gathered near Loveland's store, and jumped with the conveyance in which they were sitting down the embankment near the bridge. The buggy was badly wrecked, but the two gentlemen escaped with but few scratches. The result of the accident is considered very fortunate under the circumstances. It is said that velvets are going up twenty-five or fifty per cent. in price. This will only affect the gentlemen, as they have to pay their wives' and daughters' bills. As far as they are concerned it is not supposed that they will care to invest heavily in velvet suits, but will be content with a good all-wool cassimer, which can still be purchased reasonably of J. Newman, Jr., and made up in a stylish manner. The borough of Howard contains many excellent men among its citizens. Particularly we desire to mention at this time Mr. Samuel Reber, who was in town and called at our office early on Saturday morning last. His call was an exceedingly pleasant one, and we hope it will often be repeated. A decided improvement has recently taken place on East Allegheny street in the additions to the elegant store building of Simon S. Lyon. The recent application of a coat of tasteful drab paint renders the structure particularly noticeable among the adjoining red brick buildings. Of all times in the year for gentlemen to purchase clothing this is supposed to be the best, as merchant tailors are anxious to sell out old stock and replace it with new. Newman, Jr's, Eagle Clothing Store is the best place in this county to buy men's and boys' clothing. Mr. Thomas Burnside has opened a general commission store in the rooms lately vacated by the law firm of E. & E. M. Blanchard.

A GRAND PICNIC.—The Logan Fire Company, like the grand old Indian Chief whose name they bear, are always ahead in every enterprise. They now propose to give a grand finale to the picnic season on Friday the 12th instant, in Valentines' Grove near the toll gate. The services of that excellent musical organization, the Mountain City Band, have been secured, and the festivities of the day will begin with a dress parade. At the grove a variety of amusements have been provided, and a tub race will take place in the creek near the grove. Of course a day in the woods is not very pleasant without abundance to eat and therefore all the provisions which the people of Bellefonte desire to contribute for the occasion will be most thankfully accepted, and may be left either at the hose house or with Mr. John Sourbeck, chairman of the committee of arrangements. Hacks will run to and from the ground constantly during the day, and everybody can secure transportation for the small sum of five cents. Hurrah, then, for the firemen's picnic! One of the pleasant incidents which will be for a long time remembered by many of the gentlemen from Williamsport whom the Herdic trial brought for a few days in our midst, was a delightful call which a large delegation of gentlemen made on ex-Governor Curtin. The party were under the leadership of the venerable and learned Dr. Pollock, of Williamsport, who, when he had introduced those who were strangers to the ex-Governor, made some pleasant and complimentary remarks in their behalf. This was responded to by Mr. Curtin in his usual felicitous manner. The gentlemen then spent a short time in conversation with Mr. Curtin, and in admiring the numerous and rare paintings and statuary with which his residence is filled, especially the magnificent portrait which the Emperor Alexander presented to Governor Curtin as a testimonial of his high esteem for the latter, while he was resident minister at the court of Russia. It was a pleasant occurrence to all concerned. We learn that a Dr. English and wife, of Allegheny city, who have been visiting in this county, met with a serious accident last Friday in driving down Nittany mountain. The horse frightened, jumping over the side of the mountain, buggy, horse and riders falling a distance of twenty feet. Dr. English was injured, to what extent we did not learn, and Mrs. E., being caught in some bushes on the descent, escaped with but slight bruises. Dr. Letzel attended to their wounds. It was enough to cause us to smile to learn how robbers were "sold" in attempting to rob the store of Jonathan Hess, at Pine Grove, on Friday night of last week. They entered the store and pryed open the safe in which were two tin boxes, one containing twenty-five dollars in money and the other being empty. They took a small amount of change and the empty box, and departed, leaving the box with the twenty-five dollars safely in the safe. Dr. George Harris, M. D., Surgeon of the Fifth regiment, and Lieutenant Williams, of Company B, were in Altoona last Friday night. They were on military business, the occasion being a medical examination of the members of Captain Guthrie's Company D, of that place. The result of the examination was most satisfactory, Company D promising to be one of the best in the regiment. The regular meeting of the Centre County Medical Society, which convened at the Bush House on last Wednesday, the 27th of August, was well attended. Prominent physicians of Bellefonte and of the county were present and discussed matters of interest to the medical profession. Dr. Hibler presided and Dr. Hayes acted as secretary. People came to town last week to attend Court, but while here they did not neglect to buy a large stock of groceries at the store of S. A. Brew & Son. They well knew that they might travel many miles and not find another store which would offer such excellent bargains in groceries as this store is constantly doing. Rev. William Laurie and his daughter, Miss Mary, have returned from their trip to Saratoga Springs. We have no doubt they thoroughly enjoyed their visit, and have received that physical refreshment which usually follows such delightful changes. The supplements containing the premium list of the county fair, mentioned in our agricultural columns, have not been received, so they cannot be sent out with this week's issue of the DEMOCRAT. We presume, however, they will be ready for next week. Mr. Isaac Guggenheimer has removed his dry-goods from the Allegheny street store to his old place of business on High street, and will replace them with a stock of clothing. Miss Beckie McGinley will continue clerking in his dry goods store. Mr. Thomas Homan, of Walker township, while digging in the Linn & McCoy ore bank, near Hubersburg, last Monday, very seriously injured his eye by striking it with the pick which he was using. Mr. Cal. Lase conceived the idea that he and his carriage would look well in a photograph, and accordingly had Charley Glenn "take" him seated in his coach on Tuesday afternoon.

A TEN THOUSAND DOLLAR FIRE.—The most extensive fire that has occurred in this county for many years took place last Saturday night in the total destruction of the large saw mill of E. M. Sturdevant & Co., at Beaver Mills, in Rush township. It is not known how this extremely unfortunate conflagration occurred but it must have been by accident, as the owners of the mill have no enemies, and an incendiary origin is extremely improbable. The mill had many orders to fill, and men were employed in it on Saturday night until nine o'clock. At about eleven o'clock the fire was discovered, and every man, woman and child in the neighborhood turned out and exerted almost superhuman efforts to stop the flames. They even worked in their night-clothes, not taking time to throw on out-door garments so earnest were they in their efforts to save the mill. But all efforts proved futile, and the fire kept steadily on until it had consumed the valuable mill property, over one hundred thousand feet of lumber, and a large amount of shingles. There was an insurance of \$3,000 on the lumber, which will perhaps cover that loss. The mill property was insured for \$4,500 and the loss on it was fully \$6,000. The firm suffers a great injury also in the failure to fill orders which were on hand, and which within the next month would have realized them fully two thousand dollars. It was an unusually unfortunate and inopportune circumstance, and the total loss will reach ten or twelve thousand dollars. But with the energy with which Mr. Sturdevant, and the financial manager of the firm, Mr. John Ardell, Jr., of this place, are so richly endowed, they promise that within one month the mill will again be crected and in operation, which we hope will prove to be the case. THE BOROUGH LAW-MAKERS.—This body held its annual meeting last Monday night with six members present, viz: Messrs. Ardell, Harper, Hoffer, McClure, Reynolds and Shortidge. The President, E. C. Humes, Esq., being absent, William Shortidge, Esq., was made President pro tem. The Street Committee reported that the Solicitor had prepared the proper papers, which council signed, making application to the grand jury to inspect the Lamb street bridge. Market Committee reported that the fees for the last two weeks amounted to ten dollars. The detailed statement of expenses of the borough to date was read, the totals in each department of which we give as follows: Streets and Lamps.....\$1228 02 Water Account..... 120 86 Fire and Police Account..... 765 33 Market Account..... 10 50 Nuisance Account..... 4 41 Miscellaneous—Rent of Council chamber, &c..... 190 39 Total.....\$2329 51 On motion, Council empowered Water Committee to put new roof on boiler. On motion, the proposition of D. G. Bush, Esq., for sale of water power to borough for \$6,000, payable in six annual payments, without interest, was accepted, provided said D. G. Bush will give satisfactory guarantee that he can furnish the amount of water power stated in proposition, and comply with other conditions reported by Water Committee, and including such as may be required by Council. DWELLING HOUSE BURNED.—Wednesday afternoon, August 27, a destructive conflagration occurred at the residence of Mr. Daniel McBride, about five miles from State College and near Shiloh church. Mr. McBride and wife had left their house, before doing so extinguishing as much as possible a fire which was burning in the kitchen stove, by raking the live coals through the grate. They then closed the house securely and started away. A burning coal must by accident have fallen on the floor, for soon after their departure the fire commenced spreading through the house, but burned slowly in consequence of having no draft. The neighbors discovered the fire, entered the house, and succeeded in subduing the flames, not however, before they had done much damage. The smoke had filled every apartment of the house, doing great injury, and in several rooms the furniture was burned, among other things a valuable organ. The house was fully insured in the Armenia, of Pittsburgh, and the furniture in the Phoenix, of Hartford. ITEMS IN AND AROUND REBERSBURG.—East Rebersburg will soon be supplied with new water pipes. Mr. A. Litzell, one of our leading hucksters, is giving his house a new coat of paint. Rev. E. J. Wolfe delivered one of those able sermons for which he is noted last Sabbath morning in the Lutheran church. His text was from Luke 19: 9: "The audience was large and attentive, and all were pleased with the discourse. Last Tuesday evening as Miss Annie Wolfe was on her way home from town on horseback, her horse took fright. An ordinary rider might have been dismounted by the plunging and running of the animal, but Miss Wolfe is such an excellent horsewoman that she maintained her seat with great skill. Dr. John Ruhl, formerly a farmer near this place, but who removed last spring to Lock Haven for the practice of his profession, died at his residence in that place on the 19th of August, at the advanced age of 72 years. ONCE IN A WHILE.

PETER HERDIC—HIS TRIAL AND ACQUITTAL.—Never was there a case, either civil or criminal, tried in the courts of Centre county that attracted more attention or challenged more universal interest than the one which closed at five o'clock on last Friday evening before Judge Orvis. It was known to fame as "The Commonwealth vs. Peter Herdic," but it was equally well understood that the mighty power of the State had been invoked by private individuals, and that the people, as represented by the public prosecutor, had not arraigned one of the most noted men in the country to answer to a penal charge. The defendant was fortunate in being well known to our people. The public spirit, the indefatigable energy, the wonderful business achievements of Peter Herdic are known to every school-boy in the Susquehanna valley. They have read how his pluck, his perseverance and his matchless enterprise and untiring industry had raised him from a poor boy to one of the most wealthy, influential business men in the State. And they knew likewise that he, with hundreds of others, had been stricken down by the lightning of financial disaster—hence it was not strange that there should have been in this community a strong feeling of genuine sympathy for an unfortunate man whose only apparent crime was that he was unable to render unto Caesar that which the Caesar in this prosecution claimed was his due. The dispatches sent to certain Eastern papers representing that a different sentiment existed here during the progress of the trial, must certainly have emanated from interested sources, with a view to influencing the final verdict, and must have been sent by parties who carefully avoided feeling the public pulse. The Court House was densely crowded from the time the case was called until the last echo of the Judge's charge had died away. One of the causes that operated to keep the large crowd in constant attendance was the eminence of the counsel who were retained in the case. The members of our own bar who appeared on either side were District Attorney Fortney, General James A. Beaver and A. O. Furst for the prosecution, and Senator C. T. Alexander, Edmund Blanchard and J. L. Spangler for Mr. Herdic. There also appeared upon the scene a no less well-known gentleman than the Hon. William B. Mann, who has been proudly called the "greatest criminal lawyer of the Philadelphia bar." He came from important duties in connection with the Bribery Cases at Harrisburg to appear in our courts for the first time as the friend and leading advocate of Mr. Herdic. The history of this case is so well known to our readers that we do not deem it necessary to enter into any details. William F. Reynolds & Co. charged the defendant with obtaining \$8,000 by false representations, and it was to defend himself from this charge that brought Peter Herdic into the court of Quarter Sessions of Centre county. The case was admirably conducted throughout. The attorneys on both sides exhausted their legal ingenuity in its preparation, and it will be long before we will see another case managed with such consummate skill. District Attorney Fortney opened the case for the prosecution in one of those powerful and telling speeches for which he is becoming famous. Both his opening speech and his deportment during the trial are spoken of in the highest terms by Mr. Herdic's counsel. They are unanimous in saying that he acted, from first to last, with great fairness, and endeavored to do his duty as the prosecutor of the pleas of the commonwealth, and not as the representative of the individual part of the prosecution. At the close of the evidence on the part of the State, J. L. Spangler opened on behalf of the defendant in a brilliant speech that has enhanced his previous enviable reputation as an eloquent speaker and most effective advocate. At the close of his remarks he was loudly applauded. Mr. Herdic then deluged the witness stand with gentlemen from Williamsport who gave important testimony in his behalf, and at last the irrepressible Peter himself kissed the Book, and closed the case so far as the evidence was concerned. A. O. Furst, Esq., then went to the jury for the prosecution, and made a close legal argument without any attempt at rhetorical fireworks. Edmund Blanchard opened for the defense, and people are not yet done talking about his remarkable speech. It is no compliment to say that it was a really fine effort, full of telling points, and delivered with great feeling and earnestness. Now came the crowning event of the trial. Immediately after court convened on Friday afternoon, Colonel Mann, the hero of countless legal battles and forensic conflicts, made his obeisance to the court and faced the jury. The great crowd scarcely breathed, so anxious were they that no word the great criminal lawyer spoke should fail to reach their ears. No one who knows this celebrated barrister need be told that he made a wonderful speech. He addressed himself directly to the understanding and common sense of the men on whose decision depended the fate of his client, and drove home to them in the simplest language the facts upon which he based his argument. Every few moments he would suddenly drop his quiet, argumentative manner and break into a strain of eloquence that fairly electrified his vast audience. Several dramatic incidents occurred during his speech. One of the most striking was when he referred to a remark made by Major Reynolds while lying through the county, has become expensive and burdensome. As said township upon the witness stand that "he had closed Peter Herdic's career." Mr. Mann

paused and then read with indescribable effect the following lines of the poet Campbell upon the crushing of Poland by the brutal power of Russia: "Oh, bloodstained picture in the book of Time, Poland! fall, unwept, without a crime! Found not a conqueror, friend of King Leo, strength in her arms, nor mercy in her way: Dropped from her nervous grasp the shattered spear, Closed her bright eyes and curled her high career!" And then turning to Mr. Herdic he made the application of the quotation to his case in a highly dramatic manner. Colonel Mann closed his speech in a beautiful appeal to the Court and took his seat amidst suppressed excitement. It was a great effort, just such an effort as Colonel Mann always makes when thoroughly aroused. General Beaver closed for the prosecution in an able, earnest and at times eloquent plea for the conviction of the defendant. When General Beaver had concluded, Judge Orvis immediately commenced an admirable charge to the jury. Clearly and tersely he laid down the law and reviewed the facts with that perspicuity that distinguishes all this able judge's charges. It is not necessary to say anything to our readers in relation to Judge Orvis' ability or legal learning—they know both well; but Colonel Mann remarked several times that he was one of the best judges he ever tried a case before. This is a high compliment, coming from a man who has practiced his profession before some of the ablest judges who ever sat upon the bench. At the conclusion of the Judge's charge the jury retired. On Saturday morning they came into court and rendered a verdict of "Not guilty." Thus Peter Herdic was vindicated, and the end of a memorable trial reached. The grand jury last week was regarded by every one as an exceedingly good body of men. In intelligence and character it was of more than usual strength, and was presided over in an able and dignified manner by that excellent citizen, Capt. John A. Hunter, of Half Moon. The following is the report made to court: To the Hon. J. H. Orvis, A. J. Judge of the Court of Centre county and his associates: The undersigned, foreman of the Grand Inquest, would on their behalf respectfully report that having acted on all the bills of indictment and other matters submitted to them by the attorney prosecuting for the county, and having at the suggestion of your Honor visited the grounds and public buildings for the purpose of inspecting and reporting upon their present condition, desire to report the following: We find the jail undergoing repairs which we consider very necessary and proper. We would suggest that a portion of the jail rooms be partitioned off and set apart for female occupants. We observe by the present arrangement of the rooms that while they are prevented from communicating, there is not sufficient means to prevent intercourse and conversation, and all rooms are thrown open alike to the gaze of the public and prisoners. We also observe that the public ground between the jail and court house, to which the attention of your Honor's court has been called by former grand juries, might be greatly improved and embellished at but trifling cost—especially under the existing law for the suppression of tramps—and we would respectfully call the attention of the county commissioners to the same. We also observe that the floors of the several offices of commissioners and treasurer need repairs, and that the vault of the Prothonotary's office should, in our judgment, be remodelled and additional shelving supplied, for the convenience of the public and the safety of records. It has been represented to us that the bridge between the brewery and mill near Rebersburg, in Benner township, which has been built and kept up by said township, being one of the main thoroughfares leading four other bridges to keep in repair across the same stream, we respectfully call the attention of the county commissioners to the propriety of taking charge of the same. The Grand Inquest, in conclusion, would further state that they are under obligations to the court and the prosecuting attorneys for the facilities afforded in disposing of the large number of indictments and other business submitted to them for consideration. JOHN A. HUNTER, Foreman. MARRIAGES. BARTON—WILSON.—At the M. E. parsonage at Milesburg by Rev. J. B. Shaver, on the 21st of August, Mr. Edward P. Barton to Miss Almida C. Wilson, both of Unionville. WEAVER—MCKLOSKY.—August 18, 1879, by Rev. J. P. Craig, Mr. M. Weaver to Miss Mary A. McKlosky, all of Snow Shoe, Centre county, Pa. LUCAS—MCKLOSKY.—At Snow Shoe, August 29th, by Rev. H. S. Lundy, Mr. Tomer Lucas to Miss Eleanor McKlosky. DEATHS. REASONER.—At the residence of her son-in-law, Mr. Samuel Homan, in Patton township, on the 26th of August, Mrs. Mary Reasoner, aged 80 years, 3 months and 18 days. SHOOP.—In Philipsburg, on Sunday morning August 24, after a lingering and painful illness, James F. Shoop, aged 60 years, 3 months and 10 days. PEARSON.—At Chester, Pa., near Philipsburg, on Thursday afternoon, August 29, 1879, Eugene Pearson, aged 3 years, 5 months and 16 days. KRUMHINE.—On the 19th of August, at Spring Mills, infant son of J. W. and Nellie Krumhine, aged 5 months. AYMAN.—On the 23d of August, in Gregg township, Alice Fisher, daughter of Philip and Alice J. Annan, aged 5 months and 12 days. ANDREWS.—On the 21st ult., at the residence of David Tanyer, in Howard township, Matthew Andrews, aged 88 years, 4 months and 24 days. Mr. Andrews was born in Ireland, coming to this country with his parents, while yet an infant. The most of his life, which has been an uneventful one, has been spent in Centre county. For some years past he has been quite feeble, and has been kindly cared for by John Tanyer, the nephew with whom he held his home. The old gentleman was a Democrat of the most decided type, and retained his interest in political matters until the last. New Advertisements. Auditor's Notice. IN the matter of the estate of GEO. CARLIN, deceased, the undersigned, an Auditor appointed by the Court, to ascertain liens against said decedent's real estate and make report thereof, will meet the parties interested at the office of Alexander & Bower, in Bellefonte, on the 20th day of September, A. D. 1879, at 10 o'clock, A. M. H. A. MCKEE, Auditor. Subpena in Divorce. LEVIER M. HUBBARD,) In the Court of Common Pleas of) vs.) Centre County, No. 134, Aug.) SARINA C. HUBBARD,) T. 1879. THE undersigned, a Commissioner appointed by the Court, to take testimony in the above case, will meet the parties at the office of Alexander & Bower, in Bellefonte, on the 20th day of SEPTEMBER, A. D. 1879, at 10 o'clock, A. M., when all parties interested may attend. H. A. MCKEE, Commissioner. 30-14