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Local Department.

Go to the fair.
October, the second fall month.
The moon was "full" last Tuesday.
Who will win in the glass ball match?
Felt skirts at 45 cents at Lyon & Co's.
A splendid boy's suit at \$3.25 at Lyon & Co's.
A ball will take place at Bush's Hall this evening.
If this isn't "Indian Summer," it is second cousin to it.
Penn Bigony, of the Bush House, is at home again.
The Centennial Temperance Club will entertain the people to-night.
Harry Green still continues to sell the most delicious cigars in town.
Services at the Episcopal church, last Sunday night, began at 7 o'clock.
One of the largest and best markets of the season was that of last Tuesday morning.
These are lovely days in which to enjoy the concluding games of croquet for the season.
Four thousand people attended the picnic of the Patrons of Husbandry last Thursday.
Smoker, go to Harry Green, and see if he cannot sell you the best cigar you ever bought.
A special examination for teachers will be held in the Superintendent's office this morning.
The biggest line of ladies' and children's hats, trimmed and untrimmed, at Lyon & Co's.
The books which were missing from St. John's Episcopal Sabbath-school library are being returned.
Mr. J. B. McElroy, of Potter's Mills, died suddenly on the afternoon of Wednesday, September 17.
Those who attend the fair must not fail to notice the curious clock exhibited by Mr. C. F. Richard.
The Ladies' Missionary Society, of the Episcopal church, meets this afternoon at the residence of Mrs. Wilkinson.
Rev. Dr. Calder, of State College, preached for the Baptist congregation of this place last Sunday evening.
The Zion band not only furnishes excellent music, but has lately purchased new and stylish grey uniforms.
The amusement department of the fair, under the superintendence of Frank Chamberlin, Esq., is progressing finely.
The Millheim Lodge, No. 955, of Odd Fellows, will give a basket picnic at Penn Cave next Saturday, to which everyone is invited.
Robert Seibert had one of his hands badly cut by bringing it in contact with a circular saw while at work in Crider's mill last Monday night.
Miss Jennie Morrison, of this place, who is regarded by the people of Snow Shoe as indispensable as a school teacher, spent Sunday last in town.
Messrs. Hal. Orbison and John Mason Duncan started last evening for Erie to attend the State convention of the Young Men's Christian Association.
A large number of persons from this place will attend the ceremonies incident upon the unveiling of the Brady monument, at Muncy, during next week.
It is said that our artistic hair-cutter, Mr. William Mills, varied his customary occupation the other day, by dispatching a black snake which measured over four feet in length.
Buy your clothing where they have no shelf-worn goods. Go to Loeb's, where you can find immense piles of new goods. Best made, best fitting, latest style and lowest prices.
"Blind Charley" is giving piano and organ concerts in several places throughout the county. He will be at Pine Grove on the 6th, at Boalsburg on the 10th and at Howard on the 13th.
Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Harper, returned from their wedding tour last Saturday. The Bellefonte band greeted them with one of its sweet serenades. The happy couple take up their residence at the Bush House.
Rev. J. A. Aldred, of Clearfield, preached a fine sermon last Sunday morning in the Baptist church, this place, from the text, "I am the rose of Sharon." Rev. Aldred has a fine command of language and speaks with remarkable distinctness.
The green of summer is turning into the crimson and yellow of fall. Every thing seems to change. S. A. Brew & Son, however, are an exception to this universal rule. They continue, just as they have all the time, to sell better and cheaper groceries than any other firm.
Mr. H. D. Van Pelt offers at public sale, on Friday, the 17th of October, at the residence of Ady Houseman, of Potter township, a large amount of farm stock and farm implements. The sale will commence at 1 o'clock on that day. It is a rare chance for those who wish to buy.
Mr. Herman Veideffer, while employed about a threshing machine, on the farm of George Boak, Esq., of Burnside township, on Tuesday of last week, was terribly kicked in the head by a horse hitched to the machine. He was a young man of nineteen years of age. We hope his injuries may not result seriously.

The finest overcoats at Lyon & Co's, cheap.
The Rebersburg Cornet Band is improving under the leadership of Professor Joseph H. Fechner.
The Rebersburg Select School, taught by that able instructor, C. L. Gramley, closed its term last Tuesday night with an exhibition consisting of a well-selected programme of literary exercises.
A fine cow belonging to Dr. E. I. Kirk, was knocked from the railroad track by the Bellefonte and Snow Shoe train, last Friday evening. Two of the animal's legs being broken, it was found necessary to kill her.
The clothing house of J. Newman, Jr., is recognized by all as the place in Centre county where clothes can be bought which give genuine satisfaction. For ready-made and custom-made garments his establishment is equally celebrated.
A splendid winter suit at \$3.00 at Lyon & Co's.
If you have leisure Thursday evening, step into the African M. E. Church and hear the colored literary society debate some of the heavy questions which even the brightest intellects of the day fail to understand. They are improving rapidly.
Mr. M. Lamb, of Baltimore, who painted the Bush and Garman Houses, and several other buildings in this place during the past summer, returned to his home last Saturday. He has made several other contracts in town, and expects to return soon to resume work.
That excellent citizen and farmer of Burnside township, Barnhart Veideffer, says he raised this year the best crop of wheat he ever had in the township. His yield was twenty-eight bushels to the acre. Few of our valley farmers did so well at the last harvest.
Black silks, 50 cents per yard, at Lyon & Co's.
Miss Emma Barrett, who has spent most of the past summer with her sister Mrs. Dr. Kirk, of this place, departed last Friday afternoon for Clearfield, where she will visit for some time with the family of Judge Barrett, and other relatives. She will not return to her home in Millerstown, Pa., until some time in December.
"Grant" seems to be, just now, the "lion" to which the social world of California and Oregon is making obeisance. But in Bellefonte and throughout Centre county, J. Newman, Jr., is the one to whom all the inhabitants join in giving their patronage. He sells the best of gentlemen's garments.
Lawrence Brown, Esq., now occupies the residence on Linn street vacated by the removal of Mr. Hughes from this place. The band serenaded him last week for the purpose of making him feel comfortable in his new home, and we hear that he has also contributed to their comfort by sending to them a load of winter coal.
Canton flannels, 6 cents per yard, at Lyon & Co's.
The recent numbers of the Jersey Shore Herald have come to us with all the column rules inverted—a newspaper's badge of deep mourning. It speaks in affecting terms how deeply the death of its late excellent editor-in-chief, Col. S. S. Seeley, is mourned by those remaining in charge of its publication.
A walking curiosity at the Lycoming and Clinton county fair, was Isaac Swartz, of COLUMBIAVILLE, clad in a coat made forty-nine years ago; a drab-caster hat and a pair of calf skin shoes made forty-four years since; his neck tie was a dark silk purchased fifty-two years since, and he had on exhibit a linen handkerchief made eighty years ago.
Fancy alpacas, at 7 cents per yard, at Lyon & Co's.
Mr. James Montgomery, of Mann's Axe Works, expects soon to start on his usual fall tour to solicit orders. But his going depends largely on whether in the near future sufficient rain will fall to raise the creek so that the works can be run regularly. For the present it is only possible to run them four days in the week, owing to scarcity of water, and these popular works receive orders sufficient to keep them in operation during that time without outside aid.
No firm in this place has so gained the confidence of the community as Harper Bros. The brothers who belong to the firm are exceedingly social and gentlemanly, and are well known by nearly every one in the county. Their store is known to be among the best. During the past week they have opened their new stock of dry-goods, and everybody is invited to inspect it. Those who have seen it, consider it more beautiful than usual, and it is thought that everyone can find something in it to suit them.
On Saturday, September 20, a new Meneely bell, costing \$178, was hung in the belfry of Cross church, George's Valley, with appropriate ceremonies. The bell which formerly occupied the place was purchased, a number of years since, from the Lutheran congregation of this place. It is now owned by Samuel Harter, Esq., who purchased it for \$4.00. The new bell weighs six hundred and thirteen pounds and gives great satisfaction. A delightful picnic of the congregation followed the services at the church.

Talk about your big potatoes! We have seen in the columns of our cotemporary remarks about exceptionally large potatoes weighing 2 1/2 pounds. Mr. H. E. Duck, of Penn township, raises potatoes which tip the scales at 2 1/2 and 2 1/4 pounds. He has them by the quantity which average that weight. Indeed, he would not have thought of mentioning the fact had he not seen notices of 2 1/2 pound potatoes going the rounds of the papers. So, unless some one can trot forth a good 3-pound Irish potato, Mr. H. E. Duck takes the premium for raising the best specimens of this starchy vegetable.
Mr. Abram Houser and his estimable wife, of Centre Furnace, who have been married forty-nine years, celebrated the anniversary of that event on the 22d of last month. Four children and ten grandchildren met at their residence and united in their congratulations to the venerable couple. The occasion was a happy one to all concerned. The Lemont band was present and rendered some of its most delightful selections. The refreshments, also, were superb, and all went as happily as if it was indeed a repetition of the important event in their lives which happened forty-nine years before.
The late B. B. Hough, Esq., of this place, whose death we record among our regular death notices this week, is said to have been in the U. S. Secret Service during the late war and to have taken an active part in the capture of John Wilkes Booth. He was an eye witness of the shooting of Booth by Corbin, and afterwards was on guard over his remains before they were buried. He is also said to have been a soldier in the Mexican war.
At the fair you will find that John Powers & Son have a great display of Boots and Shoes—not only of their own beautiful and substantial make but of choice goods purchased in the eastern markets. In town they have a store filled with first class goods in their line which they sell at the very bottom cash prices. Everybody and their friends are cordially invited to examine their stock and satisfy themselves. They will not go away disappointed.
Those who go to the fair need not be frightened at the creature exhibited by E. A. Smith, the tinner, although it is a curious looking object—one-third man, one-third bird, one-third beast. It includes almost every conceivable article of tinware, put together with considerable ingenuity and art in the form of a "What-is-it."
Major J. B. Fisher and wife, of Gregg township, recently returned from a visiting tour in the eastern counties of the State. The tourists had a pleasant time, and seem to have profited physically by their visit, as they both look exceedingly well.
Best calicoes, 5 cents per yard, at Lyon & Co's.
J. W. Gephart, Esq., has quite recently returned from Philadelphia, where he has been enjoying the attractions of the city. From present appearances we should judge that he is now ready to embark upon that important journey for which he has been so long preparing.
A pleasant wedding came off on Tuesday afternoon about five o'clock at the Bush House. The contracting parties were Mr. Bubb Miller, of Hublersburg, and Miss Frank Lucas, formerly of Snow Shoe. Rev. M. L. Jackson, of Snow Shoe, was the officiating clergyman.
For several days this week the town clock has been striking in a manner calculated to terrify the citizen of steady habits. It almost frightened a fellow to death the other morning when it struck nine, just as he was awaking at his usual time—6 o'clock. We believe now, however, that it is again in proper condition.
Harry K. Hicks has a splendid assortment of Stoves, Double Heaters, &c., at the fair. Do not fail to see his fine exhibit, and when you want to buy call at his store on Allegheny street and you will be certain to find satisfactory prices.
An immense stock of new goods at Lyon & Co's.
A young lady, while attending the picnic on Nittany mountain, last Thursday, fell a short distance down the steps from the observatory, but we are pleased to say that she alighted with such grace and ease that she did not injure herself at all.
When you go to the fair take along a few of Harry Green's cigars. They are provided with gingerbread at each end, which will save the expense generally incurred for the latter article.
The youngest son of J. F. Heckman, of Gregg township, was, on Monday last, badly kicked by a vicious horse. His face was badly cut and bruised, but it is thought that no bones are broken.
Ladies, the next cool Sunday put on your spectacles and carefully scrutinize the fine array of fall bonnets on exhibition at church.
The Association of the Y. M. C. A., of this place, are preparing to open their reading room to the public for the winter season.
The Snow Shoe coal yard has a new coke breaker in operation.
The \$150 trot comes off to-morrow afternoon.

ITEMS IN AND ABOUT REBERSBURG.—The amount of goods stolen from Frank's store amounts to \$90.
Last Thursday night rascals stole some of George Weaver's chop.
The heavy frost last Thursday night froze a lot of potatoes for Esquire Haines.
The DEMOCRAT reaches us on Friday instead of Saturday since we have a daily mail.
The closing exercises of the Rebersburg Select School were held in the basement of the Lutheran church, Friday evening, September 26. The exercises opened with a piece of instrumental music, "Clayton's Grand March," performed by the well known organist, Miss Mary A. Hillbish, of Rebersburg, and was succeeded by the following programme: Music, by the school, "Greeting Glee;" prayer, by Rev. William M. Landis; music, song and chorus, "The Old, Old Home," by school; "Salutatory," by Miss Bella Cronamiller, Aaronsburg, Pa.; "Beauties of Nature," by Miss Hattie T. Lanich, Centre Mills; music, quartette, "We Shall Meet all our Little Ones There;" "Change," by Miss Lizzie A. Shafer, Aaronsburg; "Fashionable Women," by W. S. Glenn, Bellefonte, Pa.; music, quartette, "Come Where the Lillies Bloom;" "A Model Man," by Miss Emma Ettinger, Woodward, Pa.; "Our Busy Life," by L. S. Grimm, Madisonburg, Pa.; music, quartette, "Tommy, Don't Go;" "Barbara Frolic," by Miss Jessie Reush, Rebersburg, Pa.; "The Past and the Present," by Miss Ella Fleck, Milesburg; music, by school, "Beautiful Rain;" "The Teacher's Reward," by George S. Franck, Rebersburg; "Valedictory," by W. H. B. Eisenhuth, Millheim; music and benediction. The above programme was well conducted and performed, before an attendance of at least four hundred persons. Prof. Gramly always has success as a teacher, and is a clever fellow.
ONCE IN A WHILE.
IMPORTANT TO ODD FELLOWS.—The Lock Haven Journal gives the following interesting news to Oddfellows: The Grand Lodge of Oddfellows of the United States, was in session in Baltimore recently, and made some very important changes to the laws of the Order. The name of the Grand Lodge has been changed to the Sovereign Grand Lodge. The most important changes were made in the laws relating to the non-payment of dues. A vast number of members have heretofore been suspended from all connection with the order for non-payment of dues, and could be reinstated after applying in writing and by paying one year's dues if he applied within less than one year after suspension, and by paying the initiation fee if he be suspended more than one year, provided the majority of the lodge approve of his reinstatement.
Under the new law a member will not be cut off from all connection with the order for non-payment of dues, but will be suspended from "active" to "dormant" membership. A member will become a "dormant Oddfellow" if at the last meeting of the term his dues aggregate the dues of one year, and as such will be debarred from benefits, both pecuniary and attentive, but his name will be retained on a list for such a class, and he may visit his lodge or encampment. A dormant Oddfellow may be restored to active membership upon application made in open lodge or encampment by a member thereof, which shall be held over until the second meeting thereafter, the Secretary or scribe reading the same at each meeting, and be determined affirmatively on a ballot vote by a majority of the members present for such amount as the by-laws of the lodge or encampment prescribe. All members heretofore dropped or suspended for the non-payment of dues are reinstated to a dormant membership in the order, subject to the conditions given above. A dormant Oddfellow shall be subject to trial, suspension or expulsion from the order for cause under the law the same as an active Oddfellow. These new rules take effect immediately.
A WEDDING.—And now Mr. Thomas C. Houtz, of College township, has gone the way of all handsome young men, and Miss Maggie C. Duffy, one of the pretty young ladies of the same township, has united with him in taking the important step. Ever since Thomas electrified the audience who heard his graduating address at State College we have thought that next we would hear of him doing something of this kind. We are glad to hear that the wedding, which occurred on Thursday last at the residence of the bride's parents, was an unusually happy one. Rev. J. Yutzy, of Pleasant Gap, performed the ceremony. A large number of guests were present, and the refreshments prepared for the occasion were fully up to the standard. May they live long and be happy.
GRAND MUSICAL TREAT.—The concert to come off this evening at Reynolds' Hall for the benefit of the Centennial Temperance Club, will be one of the best ever given to a Bellefonte audience. Rich vocal duets, enchanting instrumental selections, and full choruses will make up the musical programme. The orchestra which is engaged for the occasion is very complete and has the benefit of long practice and skillful leadership. It will certainly be a delightful affair.
Mr. J. Kelley M'Combs, of State College, started on Tuesday evening for Erie, as a delegate from the College Association to the State Convention.

LECTURE FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE M. E. CHURCH.—A rich treat is in store for those who love to listen to the eloquent tongue of a great orator as he speaks on a grand theme. On the 29th of the present month the Rev. C. H. Fowler, D. D., L. L. D., of the Methodist church, will deliver his brilliant lecture in this place on "The Great Deeds of Great Men." Mr. Fowler is a wonderfully talented man, and his fame as an editor, pulpit orator and minister extends far and wide throughout this country. At present he is editor of the Christian Advocate, a journal numerously taken in this place. Bishop Simpson, in the Cyclopaedia of Methodism, speaks of Rev. Fowler as follows:
"C. H. Fowler, D. D., L. L. D., editor of the Christian Advocate, was born in Burford, Canada, August 11, 1837. In 1841 his friends removed to Illinois, where he spent his early days on a farm. In 1851 he became a student at Poet's River Seminary, and in the spring of 1855 entered Genesee Wesleyan Seminary, at Lima, N. Y., and in the fall of the same year entered Genesee College, graduating in 1859 with the highest honors of his class. He immediately returned to Chicago and commenced the study of law." The Bishop continues his history, relating how, when converted, he became a minister, and after a brief, brilliant and useful career, he was, three years ago, elected by the General Conference to his present position. But, as we have not space for all the Bishop's remarks, we recommend our readers to talk with their friends about the lecture and decide to attend.
BELLEFONTE'S BASE BALL CHAMPION.—Monte Ward, of this place, who has been winning laurels for himself as a base ball pitcher for several years past, continues to increase in skill until now he is called the "champion base ball pitcher of America." Harry Chadwick, in a recent issue of the New York Clipper, gives Monte's base-ball career in the following words:
"He is one of the youngest and most promising players in the country, and, although but twenty years of age, he ranks second to none in his position. A Pennsylvanian by birth, he had attained considerable reputation as the pitcher of an amateur organization of Williamsport, in that State, when he was induced to join the Athletics of Philadelphia, making his first appearance in the professional arena as the pitcher of that club in a game with the Hartfords on June 30, 1877, at Brooklyn. He did not remain long with the Athletics, however, but seceded to the Philadelphians, with whom he distinguished himself by his remarkable curve-pitching, puzzling completely his quondam associates in the first game they played, so that they failed to score. He next emigrated to Janesville, Wis., where his pitching helped the semi-professional nine of that city to defeat the Chicago, Allegheny and Milwaukee by the respective scores of 5 to 3, 3 to 1, and 5 to 0. He concluded the season of 1877 by playing right-field and change-pitcher for the then newly-organized Buffalo Club. He pitched for the Crickets of Binghamton part of the season of 1878, and on their disbandment was at once engaged by the Providence Club, with whom he has remained ever since, and his effective pitching has greatly aided that nine in reaching its present premier position. His curve-pitching is very puzzling to most batmen, although but medium-paced, he displaying such headwork, having a thorough command of the ball, and having no superiors in fielding in his position. He is also a very good general player, having filled the position of third base remarkably well in some matches this season, and being a hard-hitting batsman."
CONVENTION AT GRAY'S CHURCH.—An exceedingly interesting Sabbath-school convention was held in Gray's M. E. Church on Thursday and Friday of last week. Our useful and energetic missionary, Rev. R. Crittenden, was present, and enlivened the exercises with several of his sprightly speeches, participating with his usual earnestness in all the discussions. Then S. D. Gray and D. H. Hastings, Esqs., were also in attendance and by advancing their sensible views on the various topics contributed greatly to the general interest. Gray's and Ross's M. E. Churches united their choirs for the occasion, and with the efficient aid of Miss Emma Love on the organ, furnished excellent music. The topics were thoroughly and intelligently discussed, and much good doubtless resulted from the convention.
A LOSS OF WHEAT.—Mr. William D. Smith, the well-known and popular miller of Unionville, suffered a severe loss last Saturday morning in the destruction of a large quantity of wheat. Two granaries, one just over the other, had recently been constructed in connection with his mill, and were filled with wheat at the time. A young man, standing on the third floor, had just emptied nine more bushels into the upper granary, and then stepped back, when down went the entire affair, with about five hundred bushels of wheat, into the tail-race below. Most of this large amount of wheat was lost.
Every one was busy out at the fair yesterday in getting their entries in proper shape for exhibition. Our friend, C. F. Richard, has an elegant display of beautiful articles pertaining to his business. Among them is a wonderful clock, which is a fine specimen of mechanism, and will be found sufficiently interesting to repay a close observation.

DEATH OF MISS ROSE SHOEMAKER.—Miss Rose Shoemaker, who died last Sunday morning at 2 o'clock, was the victim of quick consumption, which disease also carried off her father just one week and one day previous to her death. The deceased was one of the most lovely characters whom it has ever been our pleasure to meet. Endowed by nature with ambition and a cheerful, lively temperament, she did not wish to give up this life, and would not yield to the increasing weakness of her body until she was compelled to do so. Up to the final hour of her life she would not believe that she was going to die. "Can this be dying? I feel no pain," was one of her latest exclamations. Kind friends, who had paid most devoted attention to her during her illness, lingered around her bedside until her death. Although they realized that one they loved was passing from them for a season, it seemed no time for mourning, there was no cause for tears, for was she not embarking on a journey with the Everlasting Arms clasped around her, and did not her way lie along paths far more beautiful than any she had ever before trod? It was a triumphant entry of a fresh soul into Paradise, to which the terrors—and the pains of death in this instance—were robbed of their sting. The Episcopal church, of which she was a most devoted member, loses by her death one who was always a most earnest attendant of all its services, and ever prominent in every good word and work.
Miss Shoemaker was buried Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock. The solemn burial service of the Episcopal church was said over her remains, and an address delivered by her pastor, Rev. John Hewitt. Revs. Youm and Laurie assisted in the service. Then, the body was carried to the cemetery, where to the solemn requiems of the wind as it breathed through the crimson leaves of the overhanging trees, the tented body was consigned to the earth, which the sun was just then kissing with his tenderest beams, as if to join in paying his tribute to one who while in this life had lived nobly and done her part so well.
Splendid yard-wide cashmere for \$2 cents at Lyon & Co's.
A number of persons arrived in this place yesterday from Williamsport and Tyrone to participate in the archery contest.
ADJOURNED COURT.—For the adjourned term of court, commencing next Monday morning, at which the case of E. J. Pruner et al vs. H. M. Erlisin et al, has been set down for trial, the following list of jurors has been drawn:
J. F. Hunter, Benner. J. F. Emerick, Walker.
A. Ammerman, Bellefonte. Samuel, Elm, Ferguson.
James Lingle, Boggs. H. S. Miller, Howard.
G. N. Bupp, Harris. Simon Long, Howard twp.
Harmon Barr, Snow Shoe. J. F. Montgomery, "
G. Motherhouse, Harris. James Gardner, "
J. M. Kephart, Benner. J. L. Shope, Boggs.
James M. Ross, Harris. W. W. Houston, Boggs.
A. Bartholomew, Spring. J. W. Kline, Houston.
Samuel Crozier, Potter. Walter Weber, Howard.
Joseph Dayton, Rush. Samuel Fleck, Philadelphia.
Frank Shank, Liberty. J. G. Hastings, Benner.
Frank Miller, Walker. L. T. Eddy, Milesburg.
H. M. Walker, Boggs. D. R. Poorman, Boggs.
T. W. Fisher, Union. Chas. McArthur, Union.
A. G. Carter, Jr., Boggs. W. M. Adams, Milesburg.
John Griffith, Spring. James I. DeLong, Liberty.
A. E. Clemons, Ferguson.
MARRIAGES.
WEAVER—CAMPBELL.—On the 28th of August, by Rev. W. H. Grob, Mr. Samuel H. Weaver, of Oak Hill, and Miss Lizzie Campbell, of Linden Hall.
KUMBLING—GARDNER.—On the 18th of August, by Rev. W. H. Grob, Mr. Frederick W. Kumbler, and Miss Annie M. Gardner, both from the vicinity of State College.
PETERS—McEWEN.—At the house of the bride's mother, on the 10th of September, by Rev. J. E. Shaver, Mr. J. F. Peters, of Philadelphia, Pa., to Miss Nettie McEwen, of Fleming, Pa.
MCCOLLUM—MCKINLEY.—On the evening of the 26th of September, 1879, at the residence of George Rider, in Central City, by Rev. J. Zeiler, Mr. Abraham McCollum, of Scranton, Pa., and Miss Mary C. McKinley, of Central City, Pa.
FLACK—TODD.—At the Evangelical parsonage, Millburg, by Rev. John M. King, George B. Flack and Miss Hannah Todd, both of Bellefonte.
BAUMGARDNER—WILLOW.—At same place, by same, Sept. 22, 1879, Mr. John S. Baumgardner, of Centre Hill, and Miss Francis H. Willow, of Centre Hill.
BATHURST—SHULTZ.—At the residence of the bride's parents, at Roland, Sept. 26, 1879, by Rev. J. M. King, Mr. Wm. A. Bathurst and Miss Margie B. Shultz, both of Belvidere.
FLICK—NEWMAN.—On Sept. 27, 1879, by John I. Rankin, J. P., at Bellefonte, Pa., Mr. Geo. Flick and Miss Catherine Newman, both of Union township.
DEATHS.
BROWN.—At Martha, Centre county, Pa., September 11, 1879, of apoplexy, Mrs. Nancy Brown, aged 58 years, 3 months and 10 days.
Mrs. Brown's maiden name was Nancy Campbell. She was born in County Antrim, Ireland, on the first of June, 1821. She came with her parents from Ireland to Washington City when an infant. From there the family removed to Juniata county, Pa. In 1842 she was married to Joseph Brown, by the Rev. McKnight Williamson. In 1845 she removed with her husband to Centre county, where they lived until 1863. They then removed to Blair county, and again in 1870 came from Altoona to Martha, Centre county.
She was the mother of eight children, five daughters and three sons. Four of the daughters live at Martha, and Mrs. J. A. McClain, the other daughter, at Milesburg. The two oldest sons are dead.
Mrs. Brown was a consistent member of the Methodist church for thirty-eight years. She was a most devoted and faithful mother, an amiable companion and true friend, but her crowning excellence was her deep and ardent piety. She loved her Saviour with a supreme affection and strove to honor him by a life consecrated to his service. A week before her death she was at church and partook of Communion.
We shall greatly miss her in the home, in the sanctuary and at the Communion board; but Heaven now holds her emancipated spirit, and the Lamb which is in the midst of the throne shall feed her, and lead her into living fountains of water, and God shall wipe away all tears from her eyes. We feel that we do not mourn as those without hope, for, if we believe that Jesus died and rose again, even so them also that sleep with Jesus will God bring with him to share in the triumph of the great resurrection day.
SHOPE.—In Boggs township, September 10, 1879, Mrs. Elizabeth Shope, wife of John Shope, Esq., aged about 69 years. She was born in 1790.
HOUGH.—In this place, on Thursday, September 25, 1879, Mr. Benjamin Hough, aged 54 years, 2 months and 9 days.
HEED.—At Philadelphia, on Saturday morning, September 23d, 1879, after a lingering illness of consumption, Mrs. Margaret, wife of John R. Heed, Esq., in the 59th year of her age.
CAMPBELL.—At Lock Haven, Monday, September 23, at 11 o'clock, in the evening, Mrs. Catherine A. Campbell, aged 90 years, 4 months and 28 days.