## The Centre Democrat.

## Thursday Morning, January 8, 1880.

CORRESPONDENCE, containing important news, solicit ed from any part of the county. No communications nserted unless accompanied by the real name of the writer.

TAKE NOTICE .- All those knowing themselves indebted to me will please call and settle, and all parties having claims against me will please present them for payment, as my books must be closed. Jan. 1, 1880. J. NEWMAN, JR.

## Local Department.

-Madisonburg has been enjoying a musical convention.

-The first moon of 1880 appears upon the scene next Sunday. -Mr. Jos. Brockerhoff is now located a

3706 Spruce street, Philadelphia. -Miss Clara Milliken has been spending

the holidays at her home in this place. -Now that the year 1880 is here it is in

order to buy your cigars of Harry Green.

-A seven o'clock meeting was held in the Presbyterian church on New Year's morning.

-Some of the greatest men in the country love a good cigar. - Harry Green sells

the best in the market. -The ten o'clock prayer-meeting in the Y. M. C. A. rooms last New Year's morn-

ing was very pleasant. -"Have you bought any of Blair's

jewelry ?". is the appropriate greeting between friends now-a-days.

-The friends of Miss Sallie McGinley living in Lock Haven and Dunnstown enjoyed a visit from her last week.

-Mr. Ben. Schroyer paid his home and friends in this place a short visit, remaining in town over last Sunday.

-Mrs. John P. Harris, of this place has been enjoying a visit from her father, Mr. Alexander Scott, of Pittsburg, during the present week.

Mr. Edward McGinley, son of Daniel McGinley, Esq., who has been absent from home for seven years, has returned and well remain here until spring.

-An auction sale of toys took place one night last week at Burnside's commission house. The market for such articles did not seem to be very lively at that time.

-Mr. C. A. Lindsey is now engaged in business in Pittsburg. His stay there, we learn, will be but temporary, as he expects soon to embark in business in Philipsburg.

-On Tuesday last the Feast of the Epiphany, or the manifestation of Christ to the Gentiles, was observed in the Episcopal church, of this place, by a ten o'clock morning service.

-Another beautiful and accomplished young lady is now visiting at the residence of Mr. Lawrence Brown in this place. This time the fair lady is Miss Maggie Armitage, of Huntingdon.

-Mr. Edward Garman has been clerking during the past week in the store of Isaac Guggenheimer & Co. We imagine that his presence and aid will be a desirable addition to the store.

-Most of the congregations in this place are now observing the week of prayer appointed by the Evangelical Alliance by holding meetings in their churches every evening during the week.

-Seventeen new members were mustered in by Gregg Post, Grand Army of the Republic, at its meeting last Saturday night. The Post now numbers about one hundred and twenty members in good standing.

-We regret to record that Mr. and Mrs Lawrence Brown lost a sweet little sevenmonths-old babe by death on the 20th of last month. The sad occurrence took place while Mrs. Brown was visiting her maiden home in Huntingdon.

-Mr. J. Tonner Leathers, of Unionville, who has been prospecting in several western States, returned home on Saturday, the 27th of last month. He likes the

-More fresh paint and other improvements have recently been added to the interior of the Bush House.

-Mr. Monte Ward, the famous base ball pitcher, arrived at his home in this place on Tuesday evening, He will probably remain for several days.

-Hon. L. A. Mackey, of Lock Haven, has been in town for a day or two, on business of the Bald Eagle Valley railroad company of which he is President. Bellefonte is always glad to greet Mr. Mackey. -There will be a special meeting of

Gregg Post, G. A. R., in their hall on Saturday evening, January 10, for the instalation of officers and other business of importance. A full attendance is requested.

-Master Leonard Rhone informs us that Centre County Pomona Grange of the Patrons of Husbandry will meet at Centre Hall on Friday, the 20th of January. Three sessions will be held, at 10 A. M., 1:30 and 7 P. M.

-Mr. Daniel A. Musser, of Millheim, gave us the light of his good natured countenance last week. While in Bellefonte he made the Brockerhoff House his home, and met many friends who are always pleased to see him.

-Philipsburg celebrated the holiday eason to a greater extent than ever before. Christmas trees were trimmed by nearly all the Sabbath-schools for the benefit of the children, and many of the private houses vied with one another in the elethe display made in this direction.

-That prominent and excellent citizen of Gregg township, Maj. J. B. Fisher, was een in Frank Blair's auction room on Monday night. Among the spoils of the silver pitcher. We shall expect a drink of ice water from it when we call at the Major's hospitable home next summer.

-The attention of the public is directed to the fact that the new patented gate which is being introduced by Prof. Robt. Moore has merits which make it superior to any we have heretofore seen or used. John Rockey, Robert Valentine, Constance Curtin, J. A. Hunter, Dr. Hale, J. Dunlop Shugert, Major Wm. F. Reynolds, A. J. Shivery, R. & J. Henderson. Needs only to be seen to be appreciated.

-Some specimens of the "goldun pippin" apple, raised in the orchard of the late Dr. Ruhl, of Rebersburg, have found their way to the office of the Banner, at Williamsport. The editor of that paper says the apple is about the size of the Northern Spy, is yellow with a reddish cheek, quite tart, and keeps till the latter part of June. He also recommends it to the attention of fruit growers as a profitable variety to cultivate.

-A telegram from Leadville, Colorado. to the friends of Mrs. Harriet Wilson, whose death is announced in our obituary notices of this week, states that the body of Mrs. W. would leave that place on Monday morning and reach Lewistown, Mifflin county, this, Thursday evening. The time fixed for the funeral is to-morrow morning, at the Lewistown Presbyterian church, between the hours of eleven and twelve o'clock.

-The overseers of Spring township, we are informed, propose to procure a home, suitably located, where their poor may be more comfortably maintained and at less cost and trouble than the present mode of boarding around. The change would necessarily have to be made with the consent of the tax-payers, but if the plan meets general approbation an excellent location might be found on the farm of William Bell or at the residence of Mrs. Gettle, of Pleasant Gap.

-The fifth semi-annual convention of the Pennsylvania Millers' State Association will he held at the Lochiel Hotel. Harrisburg, Pa., on next Tuesday, January 13. An invitation is extended to all interested in this industry to be present, as it is expected to make the meeting interesting and profitable. This meeting will make arrangements to have the State creditably represented at the Millers' Inter-

A MODEL HOME FOR A MODEL COUPLE. -To-day Dr. and Mrs. R. L. Dartt, will occupy the beautiful frame residence on Allegheny street, which has just been completed for their occupation. From this time until some other equally fortunate ouple, gifted with the same fine tastes shall conclude to follow the Doctor's example, the house in question must be deminated the model residence of its kind in Bellefonte. From the porch, which runs along the entire front of the house. entrance is made into a spacious vestibule. The first door to the left of the hall leads into that most cozy of all rooms in any home, the sitting, or living room. To the rear of this is the dining room. In each of these apartments the wood-work which

is dark is veneered in a most skillful and elegant manner. A beautiful and capacious china closet also occupies a convenient recess in the dining room, while ornamental fire-places in each apartment sug. gest the cozy warmth which will be afforded during the mellow days of spring and fall. The kitchen, yet further to the rear, is large and convenient. In it is a large range, and a commodious pantry adjoins Another little apartment to the it. right will be constantly supplied with warm and cold water. Again emerging into the rear of the hall, a door on the same side leads into the Doctor's office, from whence exit may be made on to the stoop at the side of the house. At this door ersons who have any ailments are expected to call and be healed. The space in front of the office is designed for the parlor and is quite elegant. On exploring the basement floor will be found a large wash room to the rear and a fine cellar in sale secured by the Major was a beautiful front of the house. In the cellar is an immence furnace from whence heat proceeds to all parts of the dwelling. Ascending to the second-story either by the front or rear staircase, four large, commodious and well finished sleeping apartments are found. There is also a hall and a bath room. But a little room in front of the hall which every female who views it will envy, is called the sewing room. Here can the mistress, surrounded by her companions, sit, apparently buried deep in the mysteries of sewing and needle work. But on every side of this apartment is a

window through which the average curiosity of the female heart can have transported to her vision everything that occurs either within or without the mansion. The front window throws into view the elegant Lane mansion just opposite, the side windows command a perspective for an indefinite distance up and down Allegheny street, while the windows in the folding doors separating the apartment from the hall look back into the heart of the dwelling. We feel sure if we had as much curiosity as is credited to the weaker sex such a room would make us groan with envy. This completes all of the house that any person may be supposed to be interested in, as the several apartments in the attic are devoted at present for the receptacle of old trumphery.

All the work about the residence much admired and satisfies the Doctor perfectly. The veneering and painting was executed by those excellent artists, Mr. Fasic and son, and also by those skillful manipulators of the brush, Doak & Loneberger. The plastering all through the house is pearly white, pure and even and shows the skill of Mr. Samuel Gottschal. All the appurtenances of the dwelling do honor to those having the work in charge.

THE DARK MESSENGER .- Again has the dark messenger glided into the happy home of one of our esteemed friends taking away his beloved companion and casting over all the friends a sable cloud of sorrow The most afflicting and sorrowing one is Mr. Michael Runkle, of Spring township, whose wife, Mrs. Anna Runkle, died last Sabbath morning at about eleven o'clock. Consumption was the instrument which the unwelcome visitor employed to steal

"RING OUT THE OLD, RING IN' THE NEW."-The matrimonial wave, which set in during the fall, continues with unabated intensity, agitating the large number of marriageable young men and maid ens of our county to an unusual degree. From every quarter of the county we hear of its effects. It is not dreaded so much as an Arctic wave, however, and instead of making people look blue and cold, renders them happy. It was New Year's Eve. when the cows are said to talk and all nature is awake to bid the passing year a sad farewell, that an unusually happy occurrence took place in Milesburg as a direct result of this same matrimonial wave. That memorable evening Mr. George M. Null, one of the very best and most capable teachers of Pleasant Gap, led to the altar Miss Ida L. Hall, step-daughter of Mr. Isnac Buffington, of Milesburg. The Baptist church, in which the happy affair took place, was filled to its utmost capacity, the ceremony being performed in an impressive manner by Rev. Henry Colclesser. After receiving the hearty congratulations of their numerous friends in Milesburg the happy couple left the following day for the home of the groom, where a fine reception was given at the residence of the groom's father, Mr. Edward Null. There they received many more presents and congratulations. We are glad to learn that George, notwithstanding he teaches others, has himself learned the lesson that it is not good for man to live alone, and as the years pass on and their married life grows older may their love become stronger, and the succeeding days reveal to each of them something new to love and admire

in the character of the other. GRAND ARMY "CAMP-FIRE."-On Tuesday morning next the "camp-fires" will be kindled and the war-scarred veterans of many battles who compose the Grand Army of the Republic will entertain their lecturer, Col. J. B. Bachelder, with consider able eclat. Posts of the Grand Army from Williamsport, Lock Haven, Renovo and several other neighboring places will be present, and one of the important exercises of the day will be a grand dinner in the room of Gregg Post. Brave warriors as these members of the Grand Army claim to be, they are nevertheless too delicate and fastidious to cook their dinner by a genuine out-door "camp-fire" in true soldier fashion. The inclement weather might soil their uniforms or freeze the fingers of the gallant troops. We said "grand" dinner, but perhaps did not use the word advisedly, for most people will not consider a dinner particularly grand where the principal article of diet is boiled and baked beans. Arrangements are making by which seventy-five persons may be fed at once. Charley Garner, who, it is said, knows how to cook beans better than any one else, will perform the culinary duties. Of course, with all these "boys in blue" in town, who are intensely interested in the battle of Gettysburg, there will be an overflowing audience in Reynolds' Hall at night to hear Col. Bachelder lecture He is provided with twelve hundred feet of canvass on which to illustrate the posi-

pleasant time for the Grand Army RECITALS AND MUSIC .--- The lovers o artistic skill in the schools of oratory and music caunot but have been pleased. nay enchanted, by the entertainment afforded them on New Year's night. The audience was large and sufficiently appreciative. Mrs. Love's orchestra was pres ent, discoursing delightful music. Homer D. Cope, aside from being himself a handsome man, is a consummate artist and has perfect command of voice and features He improves wonderfully by practice, and is much more effective in his rendition of impassioned drama than in more humerous selections. We imagine that the drams of "Damon and Pythias" is his chief forte,

tions of each army on that field of carnage.

We hope that Tuesday next will prove a

COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE.-The following are the appointments made by the County Commissioners at the meeting of the Board on Monday of this week : Commissioners' Clerk, Henry Beck; Janitor of the Court House, Bartrim Galbraith; Physician to the Jail, Dr. James H. Dobbins ; Attorney to the Commissioners, C. M. Bower, Esq. It will be observed that no changes have been made. These gentlemen at present fill the positions to which they have been appointed for the year 1880 and in re-appointing them the Commissioners pay a deserved tribute to the faithfulness and integrity which each one of them has heretofore displayed in the performance of official duty.

At the meeting of the Board, week before last, Mr. Nelson A. Lucas was appointed Mercantile Appraiser for the year. This also is a good appointment. Our friend "Nelse" will make an efficient appraiser, and in all respects perform the duties required of him with care and fidelity.

The County Auditors are in session this week. They are carefully going through the accounts of our officials, and we will soon have the result of their labor in the shape of a statement of the receipts and expenditures of this county during the past year.

DEATH OF THOMAS AND HANNAH WIL-N.-We have this week to record the death of a venerable couple in Half Moon township, who, having lived together happily for more than half a century, respected and beloved by the entire community, as well as by many friends elsewhere, have together been called to the reward of virtuous and well spent lives. Thomas Wilson. and Hannah Wilson, his wife, aged respectlveiv 84 and 86 years, departed this life on the 15th and 18th of December, 1879, at

their beautiful residence within sight of the places of their birth. This venerable couple who were in their last moments surrounded by and ministered to by seven out of eight children-six matronly daughters and one son bordering upon old age, is a circumstance that but seldom occurs, and must have been of exceeding comfort to the dying. Mr. Wilson was the son of George Wilson who settled in Half Moon valley at a very early day, and with Thomas Downing, the father of Mrs. Wilson, and Thomas Moore were the founders of the society of Friends in this county, of which the subjects of this notice were faithful and consistent members for over sixty years. Having walked together through a long life in peaceful confidence and faithful performance of duty, in death they were not separated, but laid side by side in the peaceful grave-yard of their beloved sty, to which so many of their friends had preceded them, to await the summons of the Great Day.

A SUCCESSFUL FESTIVAL .- The festival inaugurated in the M. E. church of Pleasant Gap on New Year's Day, was continued until Saturday night, and from its beginning until Its close was a perfect success. Oysters, prepared in an appetizing manner by the ladies of Pleasant Gap, was the chief article for sale, and that the people in that vicinity love the delicious bivalves is fully attested by the amount consumed. So many oysters were taken from this place to the festival that a panic in oysters was created on Saturday. A doll was contested for by several of the quite young ladies in the Sabbath-school, Miss Lide Larimer being the successful competitor. Saturday night found the church one hundred and fifty-five dollars better off then when the festival began. Our best then when the festival began. Our best wish for the congregation is that their spiritual condition may increase in propor-tion to their financial wealth.

THE GRANGE .- The programme for the meetings of the sub-granges of Pomona Grange has been arranged as follows: Progress, Saturday, January 10; Victor, Tuesday, January 13; Excelsior, Wednesday, January 14 ; Half Moon, Thursday, January 15; Centre, Friday, January 16; Washington, Saturday, January 17: Prov. idence, Thursday, January 22; Spring Mills, January 23 ; Fair View, Saturday; January 24; Union, Friday, January 30 Bald Eagle, Saturday, January 31; Howard, Tuesday, February 3; Marion, Wednesday, February 5; Marion, Wed-nesday, February 4; Walker, Thursday, February 5; Benner, Friday, February 6, and Logan, Saturday, February 7. We understand that Master Leonard Rhone, Mr. Weaver, Mr. Boal and other promi-nent Grangers, will be present and address these meetings. these meetings.

THE PRESBYTERIANS ON NEW YEARS. No congregational meeting held by the Presbyterians in this place for many years has been so full of pleasant occurrences as was the one held in the church on last New Year's Day. John B. Linn, Esq., was made chairman, and Mr. Charles F. Cook Secretary of the meeting. Rev. R. Crit. tenden opened the service with an earnest prayer. The report of the Treasurer, Mr. E. C. Humes, which followed, gave the gratifying information that the entire in. debtedness of the church, amounting to over \$3,400, had been paid, the pastor salary promptly met, and the year 1880 entered upon with a surplus in the church treasury. The election of trustees, which

then occupied the attention of the congregation, resulted in the election of Hon John B. Linn to take the place made vacant by the expired term of Mr. W. M. Holmes, and the re-election of Mr. John P. Harris. Our distinguished friend, Mr. James Milliken, always plans some pleas ant surprise to give additional interest to such gatherings, and in this instance, true to his generous instincts and appreciation of the church's wants, presented the con gregation an elegant pulpit Bible. This brought out Rev. Wm. Laurie, Adam Hoy and John B. Linn, Esq's, in appropriate words of thanks. A unanimous vote of thanks was also given the donor by the congregation.

TRIBUTE OF RESPECT -- Logan Branch Council No. 141, Junior Order United American Mechanics, at their last meet. ing passed the following preamble and resolutions :

WHEREAS, It has pleased Almighty God in the wisdom of His providence, to call from our midst our late brother, Wm. C. P. Wilson.

WHEREAS, He having been a consistent and worthy member of our Order. Resolved, That in his death we have lost an upright and faithful member, and the

an upright and faithful member, and the community a good citizen. *Resolved*, That we condole with the members of his family in their bereave-ment, who, by his death have lost a kind and loving husband and father.

Resolved, That a copy of these resolu-tions be handed to the family of the deceased and entered at large upon the min ates of this Council, and that they also be published in the county papers. WM. Long

MITCHELL LIEB, WM. SAYLOR.

A HAPPY WEDDING .- The nupitals be tween Dr. R. L. Dartt and Miss Lide Lieb, of this place, occurred last evening at five o'clock at the home of the bride's mother on Spring street. The wedding was exceedingly quiet and undemonstrative but a very happy affair withal, and was witnessed only by the few nearest friends and relatives of the bride and groom, Rev A. D. Yocum officiating. After partaking of a bountiful supper the happy bride and groom repaired to their tasteful new residence on Allegheny street. Into their new home and through all their married life the best wishes of the many friends and

relatives of the happy pair will follow them. None knew them but to admire, and all wish them much happiness. -Rial and Draper's Uncle Tom's Cabin

company will present that intensely exciting and interesting drama to the people of Bellefonte on Saturday evening, at Reynolds' Hall. The bill of entertainment they present has many attractive special features, such as the jubilee singers the the Flat Boat Minstrels, and a grand transformation scene called, Beautiful Gates Ajar. They will no doubt have a full house. Everybody will desire to sympathize with Uncle Tom, shed tears over Eva, and laugh at the mad antics of Tonsy

-We copy the following names from the many who have this week registered at the Brockerhoff House: Col. J. M. Rutherford and J. H. Parker, of Philadelphia; Chris. Hanlen and John Waller, of Marietta, George Hall, of Boston ; J. B. Fisher, of Penn Hall ; H. B. Horton, of Chicago; Geo. C. Seigler, of Nebraska C. R. Wentz and I. P. Ande Philadelphia ; Jos. Candor, of Lock Haven; S. H. Spitzer, of Sunbury; E. P. Walker, of Jefferson, Ohio; C. G. Hirlinger, of Philipsburg ; Austin Thomas Nittany, and Miss Norton, of Colorado

West, but has concluded not to settle there at present.

-The usual Friday evening service will be held in the Episcopal church to-morrow evening at 7 o'clock. This, however, will terminate the Friday evening service, and hereafter the weekly service will take place on Wednesday evening.

-The State of New York numbers many fair daughters among its inhabitants. One of them, Miss Frances Ardell, neice of our townsman, John Ardell, Esq., is at present visiting him and his family at their pleasant home in this place.

-The annual Christmas festival for the enjoyment of the members of the Episcopal Sunday-school, was held in the lecture room of the church on Wednesday night of last week. Those who were present considered it a very pleasant occasion.

-The liveliest place in town is the store of S. A. Brew & Son. All along the sides of the room and in every nook, corner and recess are fresh groceries. Throngs of buyers pass in and out, and enough groceries are sold each day to feed a regiment. -The Union Sunday-school, of Millheim, had a beautifully trimmed Christ mas tree for the enjoyment of its younger

members on Christmas night. The Elk Creek Union Sunday-school, near Coburn also celebrated with a Christmas tree on the same evening.

-The Logan Ball on New Year's Eve was considered a grand success by those who had the pleasure of attending. Smith, in a satisfactory manner.

national Exposition to be held in June next at Cincinnati. Other important business will also be transacted by the con-vention.

-The Centre County Mutual Fire Insurance Company, P. of H., met at the Bush House, on Tuesday of this week, and eleced officers of the company for the ensuing

year. Isaac S. Frain, of Marion township, was elected President ; Lafavette Neff, of Potter, Vice-President ; George Taylor, of Boggs, Secretary, and J. H. Barnhart, of Spring, Treasurer. This company seems to be gaining a very substantial footing in our community. In the last thirty days it has insured property to the amount of \$41,000, and at the present time it carries insurance in the county to the amount of over \$1,000,000. This may be considered a very good showing for a company that has been in existence not quite two years. We trust its prosperity will continue, believing as we do that local institutions of the kind when properly con-ducted, as we have no doubt this company

MONDAY, January 5, 1880 .- Our stock of woolens for the spring and summer sea son of 1880 just received. Leave your or-Respectfully, der now.

is, deserve encouragement.

MONTGOMERY & Co., Tailors. -Frank Blair's auction sales are well patronized. Each afternoon and evening crowds visit his store and under the in spiring efforts of Col. Rutherford the goods go off like hot cakes at an early breakfasttable surrounded by hungry men. We Sr., and Smith, Jr., and Frank Galbraith have heard of some good bargains in gold furnished good orchestral music, and John and silver watches, silver ware and jewel-Sourbeck performed his part as doorkeeper ry. The sales will continue until the entire stock is disposed of.

away the mortal life of this esteemed lady. Mrs. Anna Runkle was the daughter of the late George Livingstone, Esq., who, it evening. Immediately he plunged into

large stationery store in this place. From her girlhood she has been well and favorably known by many of the older residents of this place, and to all her death will be for a long time to come an occasion of profound sorrow. Among the mourners to whom her death was the severing of a long and affectionate tie is her daughter, Mrs. Rush G. Larimer, of Pleasant Gap. The funeral services over her remains took place on Tuesday morning at ten o'clock.

FOOT CRUSHED .- It is not often that accidents occur at Mann's Axe Works, but they will happen sometimes in the best regulated families. It is with regret, therefore, we record a painful accident that happened to Mr. Philip Gross, the foreman of the finishing department at the works, last Friday afternoon. In rolling the huge grindstones, which weigh from 3,000 to 3,500 pounds, into the works, it is customary for one man to push the stone from behind, while two others go before guiding it by means of bars. The stone swerved to one side, breaking the bar in the hands of Mr. Gross, and fell over on it, the other end of the bar lying across Mr. Gross' foot. Although the pressure occasioned by this tremendous weight was great, we are pleased to state that no bones were broken, although Mr. G. will find it necessary to nurse a sore foot for some time to come. Mr. Gross is a much valued employe at the works, and it is hoped that he will soon be able to resume his duties once

for the fourth act of that affecting story which he rendered by request on this occasion, was by far the happiest effort of the will be remembered, at one time kept a the deep emotion of that play, depicting perfectly the agonizing parting scene be tween Damon and his wife, and the overtowering passion displayed by Damon towards his servant. Many eyes in the assembly were dewed with tears during its recital. We would not object to spend another such a delightful evening in the company of Homer D. Cope.

OFFICERS ELECTED .- A meeting of the Logan Fire Company was held on New Year's night at which the following officers were elected to serve for the ensuing year President-H. D. Yerger. Vice President-William Long. Treasurer-Chas. M. Heisler. Secretary – William T. Hillibish. Chief – John D. Sourbeck. 1st Assistant–John Dawson. 2d Assistant–Daniel Witzoskey. 3d Assistant-William McQuillin. 4th Assistant-George B. Dolan. Plugmen-J. C. Brachbill and Richard Houp.

BOROUGH LEGISLATION .- At the meet ing of the borough council on Monday evening, Mr. McClure, chairman of the Finance Committee, reported that \$717.84 had been paid on the duplicates of 1875, 1876 and 1878, since the meeting three weeks previous. Applications were received ed and read for a coal oil street lamp on the corner of Penn and Lamb streets and also one on the corner of Spring and Logan streets. The report of the board of appea for water tax was read and approved. The solicitor was instructed to prepare the necessary papers for the lease of the Major Wm. F. Reynolds' water power.

STEP IN .- You may enjoy the sight of a pleasing and rare spectacle by stepping into the reading room of the Young Men's Christian Association any week-day evening between 7 and 8 o'clock. There may be found an assembly of lads and young men of all conditions and colors busily perusing the illustrated and other papers, or playing checkers. The order maintained this year, has thus far been excellent and the enterprize is doing much good. He who would have not only his head but his heart made grateful and warm these cold evenings n d only into the reading room-just back of the borough council chamber-to secure it.

-Do not forget Col. Bachelder's illustrated lecture on Gettysburg, next Tuesday evening, at Reynoids' Hall. It will be one of the most interesting and instructive entertainments ever given in Bellefonte, and the Hull should be crowded to its utmost capacity. Admission, 50 cents. Re-served seats, 75 cents. For reserved seats call at Miller's book store.

-Owing to the throng at Frank Blair's auction sale, he will have three sales on Saturday-morning, afternoon and even-

-From Pleasant Gap we have the following note from the happy little Miss who was the successful contestant for a fine doll at the M. E. festival held there last week

PLEASANT GAP, JANUARY 6, 1880. MESSES. SHUGERT & FORSTER : - You asked me to tell you how I got along at our Festival held at the Methodist church, in Pleasant Gap, which closed on last Sat-urday night. I had two hundred votes and got the doll. Thanking you and my many kind friends for their liberal support, I remain.

Your friend, LIDIE LARIMER.

-It is pretty well understood that the railroad company is about ready to erect a new passenger depot at Bellefonte. This is an improvement that is much needed and will conduce to the comfort, convenience and safety of persons taking the cars or visiting the station. We believe it i also in contemplation to put in a "Y" at this place, and also another arm to the connection at Milesburg by which the back-ing in or out of trains for our town will be avoided.

Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the following named persons have filed un-for license in the Office of the Clerk of the Seneral Quarter Sessions of the Peace in a General Quarter Session of the Peace in a second same: waship. Philipsburg Boro. I. C. HARPER, Cle.k.