The Centre Democrat.

Thursday Morning, February 5, 1880. CORRESPONDENCE, containing important news, solicit-ed from any part of the county. No communications inserted unless accompanied by the real name of the

writer. .

## Local Department.

--- Do not forget to send us our valentine. -"Tramps" are again becoming quite numeroua.

-Wednesday next is Ash Wednesday, the first day of Lent.

-Mr. Henry Heaton, of Milesburg, called on us last week.

-Mr. Fred Sands now bakes for Baney' bakery, on Bishop street. -The County Statement is published in

the DEMOCRAT this week. -Henry E. Duck, Esq., of Penn town

ship, called on Monday last.

-Sunday next is Quinquagesima Sunday, or the first Sunday before Lent.

-Communion was celebrated in the Episcopal church, this place, last Sunday.

-The Pleasant Gap band passed through this place on its way to Howard last Satday.

-The choir of the Episcopal church has already commenced to practice music for Easter.

-The moon again becomes "new" on Tuesday morning next at the 6th hour and 23d minute.

-Judge Barrett and D. L. Krebs, Esq. both eminent lawyers of Clearfield, were in town on Monday last.

-Mr. Will Laurie, of Philipsburg, spent Sunday last at his home in this place. He is as tall and handsome as ever.

-D. L. Krebs, Esq., of Clearfield, spent a short time in agreeable conversation in our sanctum on Monday last.

-Mr. Tom Twitmire has embarked in the saddler business, occupying the room recently vacated by Baney & Bartley. -Rev. John Hewitt, of the Episcopal

church, will preach at 3 o'clock next Sunday afternoon at Valentines' Forge. -Many of our singers are very busy

practicing the oratorio of "Creation," under the superintendance of Miss Onmacht. -Harry Green is a very busy young

man. There is such a rush after his cigars that it consumes all his time in selling them.

-The new remedy, Day's Kidney Pad, is a positively guaranteed cure for all diseases of the kidneys, bladder and urinary organs.

-Frank Fielding, Esq., one of the handsome as well as talented lawyers of Clearfield county, visited Centre county court this week.

-The DEMOCRAT circulates largely among a class who will patronize your public sale this spring if you advertise in its columns.

-St. Valentine's day, February 14th, occurs on the second Saturday of the month, and Washington's birthday on the fourth Sunday.

-Dr. J. F. Larimer, one of the prominent physicians of Lock Haven, was in town yesterday. He has numerous friends in this county

-Mr. Fred. Zettle, of Spring Mills, was recently so unfortunate as to lose his pocket-book containing \$45 in greenbacks and other papers of value.

-The fine musical instruments at Bunnell & Aikens' are sent all over the county to aid in the musical conventions being held at various places.

-Newman has moved his tailoring es tablishment to the "Bee Hive" store. Go there and get a good fitting suit made at 6-tf. the lowest cash prices. -Our friend Mr. Simon Harper, has

purchased the new brick house in Centre Hall recently erected by Mr. J. O. Deininger for which he paid \$1800.

-The Murphy temperance organization, of Philipsburg, has been resuscitated from a prolonged sleep and met in Potter's Hall last Saturday evening.

-Joshua W. Comly, Esq., of Danville, and Hon. S. R. Peale, of Lock Haven, were guests at the Brockerhoff House, this place, during this week.

-Our Republican cotemporay says that Mr. Z. S. Welch, of Marsh Creek, sowed rye on the 12th day of January, set out onions on the 20th and planted potatoes on the 26th. This is turning winter into spring in earnest.

-Capt. John A. Hunter, of Half Moon, disposed for several weeks from rheumatism of the nerves. But as he is under the skillful care of Dr. Bates, we hope and expect soon to hear of his recovery.

-Among the pleasant and welcome callers who tarried a whort time in our office during the past week are Hon. Samuel Franck, of Miles township, Samuel Gilliland, Esq., of College township, and Mr. Austin Hinton, of Snow Shoe township.

-The residence of Mr. S. A. Brew, on seeming to be just a shade lighter than it was before.

-Some of the country roads have been n a deplorable condition during the last east, the large sales made by S. A. Brew & Son. People do not allow anything to keep them from making their regular errands to this popular store.

-The people of Millheim do not die off very fast, but as it is an ancient burg every lot in their cemetery was long ago disposed of. To make room for future growth, but we hope not for increased mortality, the advisability of extending the present limits of the cemetery is under discussion.

-A protracted meeting of great and growing interest is now in progress at Waddle's school house, on Buffalo Run, onducted by Rev. Bowse. Many have been converted and large numbers are seeking salvation. May the crowds continue to attend and the interest increase until all shall find rest for their souls.

-The meat market in connection with the store of Sechler & Co. is of comparatively recent establishment, but has already gained county-wide popularity. It is conducted on the same general principles of neatness and excellence which characterizes all the operation of this popular firm. For meat fit to set before a King purchase of Sechler & Co.

-At their literary society last Thursday evening the colored folks debated upon the question as to whether or not a whale is a fish. Mr. Charley Garner and Mr. Skinner participated in the debate, and all derived much enjoyment from it. Mr. Skinner, we believe, supported the negative of the proposition, and won the debate.

-Never has that old, reliable grocery firm of Sechler & Co. offered such inducements to customers as at present. All who visit the store are favorably impressed with its neatness, and the obliging manners of Messrs, H. Sechler, Harry Teats and all connected with the establishment. It costs nothing to call and inspect the store, even if you do not buy.

-The attention of the public is directed to the fact that the new patented gate which is being introduced by Prof. Robert 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.

-Mr. Gottleib Hang, of Pleasant Gap, is still at work making improvements in amount. The most sangnine had estimat--Three more Grange meetings still re- and about his establishment. He is add- ed that about \$75 would be realized, but main to be held, viz.: At Zion, to-day; ing much to the real estate value of they countinued counting dollar after dol-Benner (at Mr. Conley's), to-morrow; Pleasant Gap. His most recent enterprise lar until it reached the astound is the erection of a new residence adjoining \$112-the work of a single day. The co--"This is the cigar I long have sought his fine new Hall, for the occupation of Mr. Crownover, of Huntingdon county. monetary success of the occasion, for it Mr. C., we understand, intends engaging | kept many people away who had purchasin the mercantile business at Pleasant Gap ed tickets, and made the large amount of about the first of April. --- An immense audience attended the service in the rooms of the Young Men's mained to enable the congregation to give Christian Association, last Sunday afternoon. The quartette from the African M. E. church, contrary to expectation, found it impossible to be present, but the large unusually good result for the work of but assembly did not manifest much disappointment, and evidently enjoyed the service. The leader, Mr. J. H. Myers, gave

A POEM AND OTHER EXERCISES .- A half dozen or more orations, recitations, essays and other exercises were given at the Addisonian Club last Saturday night, but the gem of them all was a long dramatic poem by Prof. Heebner, of the Bellefonte Academy. It introduced His Satanic Majesty and Belial as the principal dramatis persona. Satan was in great trouble because of the spread of knowledge in the world, the cessation of wars, and other causes which hindered his work, and especially because of the organization in Bellefonte of the Addisonian Club, which had gathered in several of his most faithful adherents. we regret to learn, has been seriously in- He dispatched his chief Prime Minister Belial on a special mission to break up the of evil was so overawed by the dignified manners of the President, that he retreated in despair. He met with a similar failure on a visit afterwards to the President's boarding house, and hearing his loud, regular and musical snore. The poem was received with much applause. If the Professor is as successful in all his courtships as on this occasion of courting the Muse Spring street, was always neat and we he is to be greatly envied. The resodid not notice that it required repainting. lution for debate, "That the State should Nevertheless, we notice that it has received foster, encourage and support a system of there should be no lack of it in the church, a fresh coat of paint during the past week, higher education as well as a system of and all should aid in rendering it instead primary education," was negatived strong- of criticizing the half-dozen or more who ly by Mr. Schroeder and others, but the are impelled from a sense of duty to volunponderous logic of Mr. Ellis Orvis prevailed, and it was decided by a vote of 7 to 6 in month, but it has not decreased, in the favor of the affirmative. This decision should encourage Prof. Wickersham and other educators who are of the same opin-

ion. The proposition for discussion next week, offered by Mr. Ellis Orvis, is, "Resolved, That citizens on leaving this country to reside in another should be allowed the privilege of expatriation, except in time of war or other menacing danger." Mr. Spencer Ogden offered the following

pertinent proposition to be discussed two weeks hence

"Resolved, That our present system of diplomatic representation should be abolished.

The session was, as usual, quite interesting, though the absence of the President was regretted.

WISDOM FOR FEBRUARY .- This month really has a right to twenty-nine days every year, but just because August was named in honor of the Emperor Augustus, our Pagan Roman ancestors stole the last day from February and added it on to August, that it might not be one whit inferior to July, which was named after Julius Casar. February, with the ancients, was the month of purification, from feb ruum, during which the Lupercalia, or Februalia, were celebrated, the festival beginning on the 15th and was celebrated annually. Luperculus, or Februus, was the god of fertility, whose appropriate sacrifices were dogs and goats. After the offering, two youths, patricians, were conducted to the altar, when one of the priests touched their foreheads with a sword dipped in the blood of the victims, and another priest washed off the stain with wool soaked in milk. Then the priests sat down to a feast, at which wine was plentifully furnished. After rising from the festal board they cut the skins of the sacrificed goats in pieces, and covered, with some of these, parts of their bodies, in imitation of the deity, represented as half clad in goatskins. With the other pieces, converted into into thongs, they ran through the streets striking everybody with them, particularly women, who courted the blow, from the belief that it averted future miswere supposed to symbolize the purification of the people.

A SUCCESSFUL DAY .- When our friends of the Lutheran church counted up the proceeds of their festival, on Tuesday of last week, they were much amazed at its

MUSIC IN CHURCHES .- The serion of Rev. John Hewitt, last Sunday evening, was a pleasing and pertinent discourse on "Music in Churches," which is quite an important subject in all places of worship. He showed what a prominent and delightful part music had occupied in religious worship during all time, and especially in

the ancient Hebrew service and that of the early Christian church. Many of the Gospel hymn tunes now so popular have been adopted from questionable sources, but are now used in Christian worship with good effect. Higher styles of music are rendered by a trained choir to incite while congregational music is rendered to express religious emotion, and each should form a Club, but on entering the room the spirit part in every service. To congregational singing the objection is often made that it is likely to be out of time, but musicians aver that no harmony is so perfect as that made by a vast congregation of voices, and where there is the correct leadership and the spirit among all to engage in the service, it will be impossible even for a person with no ear for music to utter false notes, and there will be no one listening to criticize another. In Bellefonte, where so much money is expended for music,

teer their aid in giving it.

# COMMERCIAL TRAVELERS .-- Since Thurs-

day last, the following commercial travelers have registered at the Brockerhoff House: I. Langsdorf, R. R. Dutton, Jr., W. E. Fenton, D. B. Newcomer, George W. Campbell, A. L. Smith, J. Levy, W. M. Perrine, Thomas Foster, A. M. Henlein, A. Aarons, R. H. Brookfold, S. S. McCormick, Lewis Griffith, James Mitchell, I. S. Frank, A. B. Mayer, I. E. Mulford, I. K. Fleisher, J. Walker, Aug. Eberling, Louis R. Anderson, A. C. Barrett, Jeo. Wilmer, E. Roberts, E. D. Brooks, Dr. J. W. Runch, H. D. Pretyman, H. Fellheimer, W. F. Loflin, all of Philadelphia; G. L. Hill, D. A. Engel, L. E. Wolff, Theo. Chadeayne, W. C. Butterfield, C. P. Jones, I. Rosenblatt, A. Newall, all of New York ; I. H. Hudson, of Altoona ; C. F. Jenks, of Williamsport ; M. W. Herr, Salona; James Maginis, Pittsburgh ; E. D. Traverse, Cleveland, R. A. Ammerman, of Shamokin , M. A. Gherst, of Lebanon.

CORNET BAND CONCERT .- The Millheim Cornet Band are making extensive preparations for the concert they purpose to give in the Town Hall at that borough next Saturday evening. A large number of vocal and instrumental solos, duos, trios and quartettes have been selected for the occasion and have received that careful and elaborate preparation which the Band gives to whatever it undertakes. Tableaux and comic speeches will intersperse and give rare spice to the exercises. A farce, entitled "A Race for a Dinner," will be a very laughable affair. This entertainment has been in preparation for a long time and it will surely be worth attending. The admission price has been placed at the exceedingly low sum of 25 cents ; children 15 cents

THE FARMERS' HOME .- Last week we inserted a new advertisement for the Bush House in the DEMOCRAT, and desire to call local attention to the great success it has attained under the proprietorship of Mr. J. H. Myers. Mr. M. is a courteous, obliging gentleman who knows well how fortune. The ceremonies of the festival to make all persons who stop there feet thoroughly at home. He is assisted in the conduct of the hotel by his wife, a lady of refinement and intelligence, and evidences of her skill in the preparation of coffee, cakes, creams, pastry, and other delicacies are perceived and much appreciated by the guests. This hotel has now fairly gained the appellation of the "Farmers' Home." During this week many jurors from the county and counsel from a distance have

# Boalsburg's Musical Convention.

MESSES. EDITORS : A musical conven-tion commenced here on Monday evening, January 26, under the direction of Profs. A. J. Swartz and Frank Dale. Prof. Rerick presiding at the plano and Prof. Dale at the organ. The Professors used their utmost endeavors to advance the class in music, and to make the convention the "boss" convention of the sensor; and nobly did they accomplish their purpose. It was encouraging to the Professors and singers to see that their efforts were appre-cisted by having such good attendance dur-ing every session. Not only young peo-ple, but many ared persons attended Ing every session. Not only young peo-ple, but many aged persons attended through rain and sunshine, and seemed de-termined by their presence and support to have Boalsburg s convention appear at the head of the list in point of excel-lence. On concert night there was an un-usually large, attentive and intelligentaudi-ence-many of whom came early in order to obtain comfortable seate. Precisely at to obtain comfortable seats. Precisely at 7 o'clock Prof. Swartz called the house to order and announced that the hour of opening had arrived, when the concert began by the class singing for the opening a piece entitled "Be merciful unto me, O God," followed by a variety of anthems, glees, songs and choruses. Cornet solos, and comic songs, were given by Professor Dale, who is recognized as being one of the best song singers in the county. In order to give variety to the entertainment, and rest to the class, Rev. Jacob Yutzy, during the concert, delivered a very interesting address on the subject of music, which was very appropriate, for music being a very important branch of the fine arts, naturally refines our tastes, and encourages a love for the beautiful, therefore it should receive the obtained and the encouragement from all. The singing still continued and the music sung was all new and rendered in very good style. From the manner in which the class was conducted, and the proper

expression brought out, we naturally con-clude that Prof. Swartz, is not only a good musician, but an excellent and accom-plished drill master. Prof. F. Keller, of Bellefonte, sang a "bass solo," entitled the "Tempest," which was highly appreciated and heartily amplanded. eartily applauded.

"Tempest," which was highly appreciated and heartily applauded. But we must not forget the musical dia-logue, entitled the "Prof. at home," which was one of the grandest parts of the con-cert. The Prof. appeared on the stage in a very comfortable position, apparently enjoying all the pleasures that a pleasant home could afford. The tax collector ap-peared and demanded his tax, but was dismissed. A lady called to see him to whom he was showing proper respect and courtey, when to his dismay, the collector re-appeared singing, your State, County, Poor tax, &c., followed by the servant girl, who brought him a cup of tea, shouting, "Your tea sir, your tea sir, why don't you take your tea?" In the midst of this medley the performers, Miss Emma Swartz, and Mr. S. A. Stover, retired from the store heads. and Mr. S. A. Stover, retired from the stage loudly applauded by the audience. The evening being pretty well spent Rev. Yutzy returned the thanks of the Professors and singers, as follows: "In the name of the professors and singers and in the name of the congregation, I now re-turn most sincere thanks to all who so cheerfully opened their doors to the friends who favored us with their presence. For who favored us with their presence. For the good cheer of your homes, and for the sumptuous manner of your entertainment in every particular, receive our most heart-felt thanks, thanks to all. Thanks ever

for such favors. G. W. Williams tendered the thanks of the people to the professors and singers as follows: "In behaif of the people of this town and vicinity I tender to you, profes-sors and singers, our sincere and heartfelt thanks for your kindness in coming here to conduct and assist in the convention which is now at a close. We hope that for such favors." G. W. Williams tendered the thanks of which is now at a close. We hope that your sojourn with us during this week has been as pleasant and agreeable to you as it has been to us. We will always re has been to us. We will always remem-ber you in your distant homes as friends and neighbors, and as you have so well accomplished the purpose for which you were convened, may you all safely reach your respective homes, and find in the en-joyment of halth and happiness the loved unes who make those homes the year ones who make those nomes the most cherished spots on earth. In conclusion, permit me to return to all our cordial thanks." Closed by singing a piece enti-tled "Coronation," in which the congreganes who make those homes the most tion united. SPECTATOR.

SECOND WEEK OF COURT PROCEEDINGS. -In the Court of Common Please for the second week of January term, 1880, before their Honors C. A. Mayer, President Judge, and John Divens and Samuel Franck, Associates, the following cases were tried and disposed of :

Henry Brockerhoff's adm's vs. Martin Murphy's adm's. Verdict by jury for plaintiffs, \$146.84. Same vs. same, verdict for plaintiffs, \$730.56. Same vs. verdict for plaintiffs, \$578.42. J. F. Williams vs. S. H. Williams and H. H. Blair. Jury called, and after proceeding a short time with the trial, Court ordered a non suit to be entered against plaintiff.

DENTISTRY .- Dr. H. H. Rothrock, who we believe is well known to the people of this town, has recently established himself at No. 4, Bush Arcade, to carry on his profession of dentistry. He invites his old friends and all other persons who may be in need of dental work to call upon him. No profession, perhaps, requires more skilled practitioners than that which devotes itself to the care and attention of that delicate and sensitive member, the mouth, and its pearly inhabitants, the teeth. Mr. Rothrock is an accomplished artist in his profession.

-We are informed upon reliable author-

ity that oil has actually been discovered in our neighboring county of Clearfield, al. though in what quantitles is as yet un. known. The well in question is located on the farm of a Mr. Weaver, in Brady township, close to the Jefferson county line. This farm lies upon the banks of Stump Creek, a small stream traversing that part of Clearfield county and emptying into Mahoning creek in Jefferson county. This discovery will no doubt revive the drooping spirits of Clearfield county capitalists and give a new impetus to all kinds of industry. Oil, coal and mighty forests of pine trees are enough to make any one feel proud and our friends in the "State" of Clearfield will be excused if they put on a few airs.

-By request, the Rev. John Hewitt, of the Episcopal church, Bellefonte, wil preach in the Ironworkers' Building at Valentine & Co.'s Forges, on Sunday next, the 8th of February, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon. All the iron workers at the Forges, and their families are carnestly entreated to attend divine worship on that occasion.

-Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gilmore, of this place, are just now plunged in grief over the death, last Saturday evening, at Tyrone, of Lulu, their eldest child. She was a del. icate little girl aged about four years. She was buried at Milton.

-Mr. C. Smith, of Martinsburg, Blair county, has recently re-established the bakery in Bush Arcade, this place, and promises to conduct it in first-class style Thus far he has given excellent satisfac. tion. We believe he employs the services of Mr. John Dawson, who is well known as an excellent baker. Mr. S. will soon remove his family to this place.

MONDAY, January 5, 1880 .- Our stock of woolens for the spring and summer eason of 1880 just received. Leave your Respectfully order now.

MONTGOMERY & Co., Tailors.

# Philadelphia Markets.

PHILADELPHIA, February 3, 188

The informable wonther has restrict spartments. FLOWE AND MALL PL and holders are firm in their views, els, including Minnesota extra family lyania do. do. \$0.55637; western and patent and high grades at \$7.55 and \$5.55 and st 75 mb

ort, but Otables, inc. elevator, at \$1.41; . Ru elevator, at \$1.41; . Ru oushels, including mixed and white at 60jc. Sales of 2,500 \* at \$46jc.47 onger, but the Sales of 2.800 bushels, include, at \$466@47c., and white at 461

## Bellefonte Markets.

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QUOTATIONS Red wheat, per bushel Rye, per bushel ... Corn, shelled Oats. Flour, retail, per barre Flour, wholesale HAY AND STRAW HAY AND STRA Hay, choice timothy, per ton...... Hay, mixed, per ton..... Long rye straw, bundled, per ton. Short straw, per ton.....

# **Provision Market.**

Corrected weekly by Harper Brothers Corrected weekty by have, pples, dried, per pound. serries, dried, per pound, seeded, eaus per quart. neek butter per pound. hickens per pound. heek per pound. anntry hams per pound. fams, sugar cured.

and at Pleasant Gap, on Saturday.

and mourned because I found it not," murmured a man recently who for the first time bought one of Harry Green's cigars.

-Mr. R. L. Erhard finished his little building on High street last Saturday, took possession on Monday and by this time has made any amount of boots and shoes.

-The next six weeks will be cold. The ground hog was out on Monday last, saw his shadow and went back again to his winter home to remain for another month and a half.

-At the election on the 17th of this month, the people of Boggs township will decide by vote whether or not a new township shall be formed from the present dimensions of Boggs.

-John S. Fink, Esq, a respected citizen of Taylor township, died at his home on the cause of his death.

-On Monday night and Tuesday morning about nine inches of the airy, fairy, feathery, floating, pure, white, beautiful snow fell. Its value just at this time cannot be overestimated.

-The Watchman, in its last issue, says that the young ladies employed in that office are 150 years of age. That is several years older than we imagined, judging by and Frank Fielding, Esq's., from Cleartheir youthful appearance.

-Mr. L. E. Weber, the present teacher of the Philipsburg Grammar School, has been tendered and has accepted the principalship of the Normal Academy, at New Washington, Clearfield county.

ness," which was much appreciated.

-The Mountain City Band discoursed some of its prettiest music for the John Sourbeck benefit mask ball last Friday night. The participators in the ball must have had pleasure "long drawn out" judg-Wednesday, the 21st of January. He was ing by the late hour the following morning sixty-nine years of age. Consumption was at which they disbanded. A dozen or more persons were present from Snow Shoe and also Messrs. Montgomery and Maxwell, representatives of the Vigilant Fire Company, of Altoons. We hope John was financially benefitted.

-There were quite a number of distin guished foreign attorneys present in attendance upon court this week. Among others we noticed Hon, G. R. Barrett, D. L. Krebs field ; Joshua D. Comley, Esq., of Danville, Pa., and Hon. S. R. Peale, of Lock Haven. and William Gerard, of New York. They were severally concerned in important cases upon the trial list, all of which were continued for cause.

pious fall of rain really conduced to the good things provided go so much further.

Sufficient ice-cream, oysters and cake rea free treat the following day to the members of the Sunday-school and every other person who came for it. This is an one day, and the congregation are to be congratulated. They also desire to express their thanks to the many persons who aidan excellent talk on "Christian Manli- ed them with their patronage.

> COUNCIL NEWS .- Council met, as usual, on Monday night, with Messrs. Ardell, Crider, Harper, McClure, Reynolds and Shortlidge present and President Humes in the chair.

Reports were received from the Street Water, Fire and Police, Nuisance and Market committees.

The Finance Committee exhibits the following receipts from January 5 to February 2: On duplicate of 1875, \$10.75; 1876. \$77.50: 1878, \$729.15; 1879, \$1,283.47. The total receipts to date are as follows : On duplicate of 1875, \$11,552.42; 1876, \$12,875.45; 1878, \$12,547.90; 1879, \$1,-288.47.

A communication was received from H. Y. Stitzer in regard to the pavement from house owned by him to Spring and Lamb streets.

On motion, the clerk was directed to those who desire to board themselves. notify the constable that vacancies exist in council from the South and West wards. Able it to make this offer. in council from the South and West wards.

been enjoying the hospitality of the Bush House.

THE EIGHTH WONDER OF THE WORLD. -The fact that the clock invented by Stephen D. Engle, of Hazleton, is the result of the inventive genius of a Pennsylvanian, should influence everyone to visit it while on exhibition in the vacant store room under Reynolds' Hall, commencing next Thursday and continuing for three days. The clock is altogether too complicated to permit of a description. Forty-eight moving figures appear upon it, which are twenty-six more than are produced by any other clock in the world. They combine a complete and instructive study in religious history, astronomy and music. Students, especially, will find it exceedingly interesting

-It is related by the Philipsburg Journal that a peddler recently visited Morris-

dale Mines to dispose of his wares. A practical joker, to frighten him, demanded to see his license and when the peddler answered that he was not possessed of such a document, the joker started with him be fore a "Justice," but on the way compromised with his innocent victim for sixteen dollars. But the peddler discovering that his captor was not a constable, in turn had him arrested, and the affair ended in the "joker" being fined \$40.85 cents, or go to jail. He chose the former.

-It is said that Pennsylvania State College offers free tuition to all who desire to enter its classes. It also furnishes the fuel and accommodation free of charge for

Samuel Hall vs. Jacob Mann. Verdict for plaintiff for land described in writ.

Thomas Merryman vs. John T. Fowler. ejectment. Verdict.

The following cases were settled by the parties to the suit :

Israel Baney vs. John H. Reifsnyder, administrator of John Baney, deceased. Non suit.

D. M. Wagner & Son vs. John Liggett, et al. Settled by the the parties. G. W. Hoover & Co. vs. Hoover &

Parsons. Cause discontinued by the parties to the suit.

J. R. Lowrie, trustee, vs. James Cross and Abram Hicks. Case settled. Defendant to make plaintiff a deed for the land described in the writ, and plaintiff to pay defendant two hundred dollars. Each party to pay half the cost on docket and fill no bill.

Wm. Witmer vs. W. H. Blair and John W. Cooke. Verdict for plaintiff, \$416.46. Joshua W. Comley, Esq., of Montour ounty, on motion of Hon. S. R. Peale, was sworn as an attorney to practice in the different courts of Centre county.

The following sheriff's deeds were ad knowledged in open court, Monday, Feb-2: To Balser Weber, to C. M. Bower, to Rebecca Allen, to James A. Beaver, to John Hoffer, to John Hoffer, to Alfred Hull, to S. M. Swartz, te John Bottorf, to C. M. Bower and D. H. Hastings, to Wm. C. Heinle.

tied beef.

#### MARRIAGES.

DURST-STOVER.-On Thursday, the 22d of January at Centre Hall, by Rev. W. E. Fischer, Mr. Sar Durst and Miss Alice J. Stover, all of Centre Ha

CAIN-RISHEL.-On Sunday, the 23th of Janus?, In Georges Valley, by Rev. W. E. Pischer, Mr. Hims M. Gain and Miss Carrie L. Rishel.
HERMAN-STOYER.-On the evening of Sanday, the 25th of Jaguary, in Rebersburg, by Rev. Landis, W. Clarke Herman, of this place, to Miss Nancy Store, of Asronsburg.

HARPSTER-GATES.-At the home of the bride, Rock Spring, Centre contry, Jan. 20th. by Re Alfred Koser, Henry L. Harpster, of Blair con to Mary E. Gates.

STOVER-MILLER.-On Tuesday, January 20, 1881 at the residence of Mrs. Stover, hy Henry E. Duck Eeq., Mr. John Stover, of Penn Iownship, Centr county, to Miss Eliza Millér, of Laurelton, Union

HOY--CRAMER.--Thursday, January 22, 1880, at the Lutheran parsonage, in Bellefonte, by Rev. S. & Furst, Mr. Joseph H. Roy, of Pine Grove Mills, and Miss Mary E. Cramer, of usar Bellefonte, Pa.

### DEATHS.

TONNER.--On Wednesday, January 21, at Spruc-town, Mrs. Mary Tonner, relict of John Tonner, aged 67 years, 4 months and 5 days.

67 years, 4 months and 5 days. LEITZELL.—On Thursday, January 22, in Millhe Frank, son of Philip and Rebecca Leitzell, age year and 20 days. CAMPBELL.—Thursday, January 22, in Millbé John N. Campbell, aged 21 years, 3 months at

days.

days. FINK.—On January 22, 1880, at his township, Centre county, Pa., of cor 8. Fink, Esq., aged 69 years, 10 mor s home in Taylor onsumption, John onths and 1 day.

KIRK .- On Monday morning, January 26, residence of her husband in this place, Mrs etta Elizabeth Kirk, wife of Dr. E. I. Kirk,

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GILMORE.- At Tyr Lulu, daughter of 1 u, daughter of Robert ce, aged 3 years and 6

HINTON.-In Snow Shoe, on Th 1880, Mrs. Margaret Hinton, in ago. She was the widow of Is mether of Austin Hinton, late