

The Centre Democrat.

Thursday Morning, September 22, 1891.

Correspondence, containing important news, solicited from any part of the county. No communication inserted unless accompanied by the real name of the writer.

Notice.—Our customers and friends are hereby notified that our store will be closed on Saturday, September 24, it being the Jewish New Year, and on Monday, October 3, Day of Atonement, until 6 o'clock p. m. of each day. S. & A. LOEB.

To Our Patrons.—Our store will be closed from Friday evening, September 23 to Saturday evening September 24, it being Rosh Hashmona, or Jewish New Year. Respectfully, BAULAND & NEWMAN.

Local Department.

To Correspondents.

W. A. K.—A mortgage recorded is a lien until satisfied. After twenty years a presumption of payment arises in law, but that presumption can be overcome by evidence that the mortgage has never been paid in fact.

—For the best cigars go to Harry Green.

—For an elegant hat or cap go to the Philadelphia Branch.

—Smokers prefer the cigars sold by Harry Green. Those who have not tried them should do so.

—Get an accident policy in the "Accident Insurance Company of North America," with A. Morrison.

—Call on Lewin of the Philadelphia Branch clothing store. He will be happy to receive you and show you his goods.

—For fine furniture of any description call upon A. J. Brown & Co., Bishop street, Bellefonte. Prices low and satisfaction guaranteed.

—Unhealthy or inactive kidneys cause gravel. Bright's disease, rheumatism, and a horde of other serious and fatal diseases, which can be prevented with Hop Bitters, if taken in time.

—Call and see our "Lyon's Pride" unlaundried shirt. Wamsutta muslin, 3 ply linen bosom, perfect fitting, full yoke. It is the best made shirt we ever had. We have the exclusive agency for it. Lyon & Co.'s one price store.

—A. J. Brown & Co., at their new furniture store on Bishop street, have just received a lot of elegant parlor suits which they offer at remarkably low prices. Any one wishing to purchase a nice parlor suit should not fail to give them a call.

—The solemn rite of confirmation was administered to several persons in the Episcopal church last evening. Rt. Rev. M. A. DeWolfe Howe, bishop of the diocese, was present, assisted by Rev. Dr. Clare, of Philipsburg.

—We have no hesitation in saying that Green's Nos. 1 and 2 Liver Pills, when used in connection with each other in accordance with the directions, will cure the worst form of liver complaint, dyspepsia, sick headache, and all bilious derangements.

—We return thanks to the managers of the Locomotive and Clinton Agricultural Society for a complimentary to their fair to be held at Jersey Shore September 28th, 29th, 30th and October 1st. We hope the fair will be a success, and should like to be present.

—Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Furst are on a visit to the North West, their objective point being St. Paul, Minn. Their many friends in Bellefonte will wish them a pleasant trip and a safe return to their home. We understand that important legal business required Mr. Furst's presence at St. Paul.

—Mr. Joseph Brockerhoff went to Philadelphia yesterday to complete his medical course at the University of Pennsylvania. Centre county will be represented by quite a number of students at that institution this winter, and we do not doubt they will all do honor to themselves and our community.

—Rev. John Hewitt, rector of the Protestant Episcopal church, departed for Kansas last week, where he was summoned by the serious illness of his father, who has been visiting another son in that State. We hope the aged gentleman may be spared to comfort his affectionate sons for many years.

—"There's no other such pleasant store to trade in town, William," said a fond wife the other day, speaking of Sechler & Co.'s grocery. "They always have just what a lady wants and for polite attention, promptness and reasonable charges they are unequalled. I do declare that it's a real pleasure to trade there, so it is," and the good lady took a long sip of choice coffee that she had just purchased at Sechler & Co.'s.

—With sorrow we announce the death of Mr. James Crust, Sr., of Patton township, which occurred on last Friday. The deceased was a native of England, but had lived for many years in Centre county. He was sixty-four years of age. He was an excellent citizen and neighbor and was highly esteemed in the community in which he passed his life. The cause of his death was inflammation of the bowels. He was buried on Sunday in the cemetery at Houserville.

—Mr. John Anderson is making a number of changes to his saloon and restaurant that are worthy of notice. He has secured the room adjoining the premises he occupies at present, and is fitting it up in splendid style for a first-class restaurant and dining-room. He will keep every thing in the eating line that is in season, and persons desiring meals will be accommodated at all hours of the day and evening. John is an obliging man and deserves a liberal patronage. Every one should call and see his improvements.

—Policies in the Accident Insurance Company of North America are not forfeited by the insured engaging in a more hazardous occupation than for which he has paid his premium.

—Call and examine the stock of ranges and cook stoves at Wilson, McFarlane & Co.'s; also their line of single and double heaters. They have for sale the Welcome Home double heater, which has been thoroughly and satisfactorily tested in this community.

—Miss Gertie A. Browne, who for the past two months has been visiting her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Austin Curtin, at Eagle Rolling Mill, left on Friday morning for her home in New York city. She made many friends while here and has left quite a number of disconsolate young men in her "wake."

—A note from Miss Maggie Snowden requests us to announce that she will not return to Bellefonte. She has accepted a position as teacher in the Pittsburgh Conservatory of Music and hence will not resume her labors among her patrons of this place. She is an accomplished musician and her many friends and acquaintances here will be sorry to part with her. They will, however, wish her success in her new position.

—That perfect baking and cooking stove, the "Pioneer," is for sale only by Wilson, McFarlane & Co. All superfluous ornamentation has been dispensed with to secure a first-class kitchen stove. For weight, strength and durability it cannot be surpassed. In purchasing this stove you are not paying for nickel trimmings and beautiful finish, but you are getting what is far better and what you need in a cook stove—a good, reliable baker and cook.

—Pleasant Gap was the scene of an exceedingly interesting and delightful occurrence on Thursday morning of last week, when Mr. James Dolan, of Lemont, was united in marriage to Miss Mary Flory, the attractive daughter of Mr. Joseph Flory, of that place. Rev. Yutz performed the ceremony. In the evening a reception was given at the residence of the bride's father, where the happy pair received the congratulations of their friends and partook of a sumptuous repast. We wish them a future of much happiness.

—In the selection of a heating stove there are several qualifications that are essential, among which are economy in the use of fuel, proper radiation of heat and quality and strength of material and construction. All these essentials, together with a beautiful and elaborate finish, are combined in the "Crowning Glory." This beautiful stove has a front heater, the diving flue being in front of the stove and not in the rear as in other base burners. By calling at Wilson, McFarlane & Co.'s you can thoroughly examine this new departure in stoves.

—A lady has discovered a plan to keep watermelons in their natural form and flavor for an indefinite length of time. She has successfully tried it in past seasons, and as a consequence has been able to treat her family to a watermelon supper at Christmas time. The plan is an inexpensive and simple one, and consists in giving the melon three or four coats of varnish to exclude the air. She says they not only keep from decaying, but that the flavor and sweetness are retained, and when eaten at Christmas or New Year the fruit seems to be wonderfully improved in these particulars.

—Mr. Frank Bailey, of Galesburg, Ill., has been in Bellefonte for a number of days on a visit to his father, Mr. W. D. Bailey, foreman of the DEMOCRAT office. Mr. Bailey was the editor of the Centre Herald during its existence and in that connection made many friends in our county. He is at present engaged in the mercantile business, in which we have no doubt he finds more ready cash than in publishing a newspaper. He came east on business and is accompanied by his wife. They have received cordial greetings from their friends. Together they made a pleasant call upon the DEMOCRAT. They return to their home with the good wishes of every one for their future prosperity.

—At an early hour on last Thursday Mr. Augustus Krom died at Lock Haven after a severe illness of some months. Mr. Krom was for a number of years one of the proprietors of the Brockerhoff House in this place and in that connection became well known to the people of Centre county. He removed to Lock Haven from Bellefonte, where he was also engaged in the hotel business, first at the Montour House and lately at the Simpson House. He was a native of the State of New York and was forty-three years of age. During the late war he served as a soldier in one of the regiments of his native State, through which service he became connected with the post of the G. A. R. at Lock Haven. His remains were brought to Bellefonte on last Saturday afternoon for interment, after religious services at his home. His sorrowing family and a delegation of members of the G. A. R. accompanied the remains, which were met at the depot by Gregg Post, of Bellefonte. The funeral cortege then proceeded to the Union cemetery where the body of the deceased was consigned to the tomb, with the solemn and impressive rites of the G. A. R. Revs. Hellman, of Lock Haven, and Furst, of Bellefonte, conducting the services.

THE PRESIDENT'S DEATH.—The news of the death of President Garfield was not announced in Bellefonte until Tuesday morning, although the end had come at 10:35 of the previous night. "The President is dead" were the sad words first uttered as friend greeted friend on our streets in the early hours of morning. To many the earliest intimation of the great calamity that was upon the land was borne to their ears by the tolling of the church bells, and to say that a deep sorrow pervaded the town is to give but a feeble expression to the feeling of sadness that filled every heart.

Early in the forenoon the emblems of mourning were to be seen in many of the more prominent places of the town. The Post was draped in mourning, and at this hour the court house, the hotels, the banks and all the business houses bear their sable badges that speak louder than words of the great sorrow which rests upon our beloved country.

During the day the Chief Burgess issued a call for a meeting of the citizens of Bellefonte for the purpose of making proper arrangements to pay due honor to the memory of the late President. The evening brought a large crowd to the court house. After the assemblage was called to order, Gen. Beaver was requested by Chief Burgess Powers to state the object of the meeting. Gen. Beaver was then called to the chair to preside and Mr. D. M. Loeb was appointed secretary. A call was then made for an expression of opinion, after which D. S. Keller, Esq., moved that upon the day of the President's funeral all the business places in the town should be closed. This motion was amended, upon the suggestion of Mr. Sommerville, to include all places of manufacture. After considerable discussion, and the voting down of several amendments that proposed a suspension of business only during the hours set apart for the funeral, the motion to suspend business during the entire day was made to include a request to the hotels and saloons to close their bars on that day, and was then unanimously adopted. On motion of Mr. Sommerville a committee of ten was appointed to arrange an order of exercises for the day. This committee was afterwards increased to fifteen and is composed of the following gentlemen: Rev. G. W. Pennypacker, President; Rev. Samuel Furst, Rev. J. F. DeLong, Chief Burgess John Powers, Hon. John H. Orvis, Hon. C. T. Alexander, Messrs. William Shortridge, E. C. Humes, G. W. Jackson, D. H. Hastings, H. Y. Stitzer, Simon Loeb, D. F. Fortney, H. Sechler and D. S. Keller. This committee met for organization immediately after the adjournment of the meeting, and without further action adjourned to meet yesterday afternoon at the office of D. H. Hastings. The committee met at the time and place appointed. We are indebted to D. S. Keller, Esq., for the following account of the proceedings:

A meeting of the general committee of arrangements was held in the office of D. H. Hastings on Wednesday, September 21, at 3 p. m., all the members being present. The following resolutions were adopted:

1. That we recommend that the different religious denominations hold services in their respective places of worship on Monday forenoon at their usual hours.
2. That a union service be held in the court house on Monday at 2 p. m.

Hon. John H. Orvis was selected as presiding officer of said meeting and Major R. H. Forster, H. C. Schroyer, J. W. Furey, W. F. Reber and J. I. Hagerman were chosen secretaries.

The following committees were appointed:

Messrs. Humes, Linn and Fortney, a sub-committee on speakers.

Messrs. Hastings, Shortridge and Stitzer, a sub-committee on order of exercises.

Messrs. Sechler, Powers and Loeb, a sub-committee on draping the court room.

A committee on music was also appointed, consisting of E. M. Blanchard, chairman, Dr. Geo. F. Harris, H. Y. Stitzer, Abram Lukenbach, F. Potts Green, S. D. Gray and Geo. S. Skinner.

The committee adjourned to meet at the same place at 9 o'clock on Friday morning.

D. S. KELLER, Secretary.

—A man, supposed to be named Frank Mulson, while sitting on the railroad track, near Hale's mill, about half past twelve o'clock yesterday, was struck by a passing engine and very seriously injured. He was caught by the cow catcher on the left shoulder, and when picked up it was found that his collar bone and two ribs were broken and that he had also received other injuries of a dangerous character. Dr. Harris was called and gave him every attention in his power. He is apparently about thirty-five years of age and is thought to be a miner from Houtzdale.

—His Honor Judge Orvis, is holding court this week in Blair county for Judge Dean. The special business which has called Judge Orvis to that county is an important ejectment suit involving the title to valuable timber and mineral lands. Able lawyers are engaged on both sides of the case—among them the celebrated Benjamin H. Brewster, of Philadelphia, for the plaintiffs—but no one of them has a clearer knowledge of the land law of Pennsylvania than Judge Orvis.

—We have just opened a new line of ladies' hats and millinery for fall wear. Lyon & Co.'s one price store.

—For clothing of any description, gentlemen will do well to visit the Philadelphia Branch clothing store.

THE LATE CAPTAIN BREESE.—The Providence, R. I., Daily Journal of Wednesday morning, the 14th instant, contained the following tribute to the memory of Capt. K. Randolph Brees, who died at Newport the day previous and whose death was noticed in the DEMOCRAT of last week:

"Close upon the news of the sudden death of General Burnside followed the tidings that Captain K. R. Brees, of the United States Navy, died at an early hour Tuesday morning, at Newport, where he has been ill for several weeks.

Captain Brees entered the navy as midshipman, appointed from Rhode Island, November 6, 1846, and was attached to the sloop-of-war Stratoga. He was promoted to Passed Midshipman, June 8, 1852; to Master in 1855; commissioned Lieutenant, September 16, 1855; Lieutenant Commander, July 16, 1862; Commander, July 25, 1866; Captain, August 9, 1874. Such in a few words, is the sketch of a record just closed which embraced all of the various difficult and dangerous duties of a navy officer in war and peace.

During the rebellion his career was one of which any officer might well feel proud. Commencing with the bombardment of Forts Jackson and St. Philip, below New Orleans, at the time of Farragut's immortal achievement (when Capt. Brees commanded the third division of Porter's mortar flotilla); commanding the second division in the operations before Vicksburg in the summer of 1862; in command of the historic flagship Black Hawk at Arkansas Post, 1862, and at the siege of Vicksburg, 1863, during which for a time he had charge of the mortars; commanding all the naval forces in the demonstration on Haines Bluff in co-operation with General Sherman; in the Red River expedition, 1864; present as Fleet Captain of the North Atlantic squadron at both attacks on Fort Fisher, and commanding the naval forces at the final assault thereon and in the subsequent operations in Cape Fear River—surely his State, as his country, may well feel the deepest gratitude for the part he took in the great struggle. It was his lot to be associated throughout the war with Admiral Porter, whose dispatches teem with thanks and commendations upon the admirable manner in which he discharged his responsible duties, and General Sherman added his meed of praise for the hearty and efficient assistance rendered the army by Captain Brees in the combined attack upon Haines Bluff.

Since the war, Captain Brees has held various commands, among them the Torpedo Station at Newport, and here as elsewhere, his whole course was marked by conscientious, manly zeal for the service. At the time of his death he was preparing a home for his family in Newport, which he had claimed as his residence all his life, and where his widow (a daughter of Ex-Governor Curtin, of Pennsylvania) and four children, receive the sympathy of very many real, sincere friends.

Captain Brees's character and attainments, in short, his place in this world, may be summed up in the assertion that he was a model American naval officer. This, in the opinion of the writer, is sufficient to describe the highest type; perfectly courageous and perfectly gentle, equal to the roughest emergency, while as tender and refined as a woman, thoroughly trained in all the duties of his profession, and bearing about with him that indescribable attraction of the perfect gentleman, which won the love of all who knew him.

The funeral of Capt. Brees took place at Trinity Church, Newport, on last Thursday and was attended by a large number of army and navy officers and many friends of the deceased. Captain Stephen B. Luce, United States Navy; Captain Ralph Chandler, United States Navy; Captain P. C. Johnson, United States Navy; Captain Thomas O. Selfridge, United States Navy; Pay Director Looker, United States Navy, and First Lieutenant J. M. K. Davis, United States Army, regimental adjutant at Fort Adams, acted as pallbearers. The body bearers were "bluejackets" from the training squadron; Lieutenant Barber, in command of the "blue jackets" from the training squadron; Lieutenant Bleeker, in command of officers from Fort Adams; officers and instructors from the torpedo station; officers from the revenue cutter Samuel Dexter; officers from the training squadron; visiting and resident army and navy officers, including Rear Admiral Case; Captain Churchill, United States Army; Major Randolph, United States Army; Commodore Crosby and other members of the court of inquiry investigating the recent torpedo explosion, and many of the leading citizens and cottage residents, including Mr. George Peabody Wetmore, Mr. C. N. Beach and others. The usual naval honors were paid to the memory of the deceased at the cemetery. The services at the Episcopal church were conducted by Rev. George J. Magill. The remains were interred in the family lot in the Island Cemetery. Ex-Governor and Mrs. Curtin, of Pennsylvania, were among the mourners.

—Mr. J. A. McOmber, a brother of Mr. McOmber, of the Ward House at Tyrone, has taken the position of clerk at the Brockerhoff House, of this place. Mr. McOmber entered upon the discharge of his duties last week. He is a young gentleman of pleasing address and affable manners and will not fail in the faithful performance of every duty connected with his position. We predict that he will be very popular with the guests of the Brockerhoff.

—The Jewish new year occurs on Saturday, and the day will be observed by all the people of that persuasion living in our town. Their business places will be closed from six o'clock on Friday evening until six o'clock on Saturday. We have been requested to make this announcement by a number of the merchants. The cards of the Messrs. Loeb and of Bauland & Newman will be observed at the head of our local columns.

—On Tuesday evening the residence of Mr. S. A. McQuiston was the scene of a pleasant social gathering. The occasion that called the party together was the fifty-second birthday of Mrs. McQuiston. The party was a surprise to the lady, and was greatly enjoyed by all who had the good fortune to be present.

P. OF H. PICNIC.—On last Thursday morning as the weary husbandmen awoke from their peaceful slumbers they were greeted by welcome breezes from Old Ocean, presaging a long looked for and much needed rain. It was the day of the Granger picnic, but many farmers turned their thoughts from refreshment and pleasure to labor, and getting out their drills rushed for their plowed fields, determined to get their grain in the ground before the rain would come. However, enough of them were loyal to their order and turned out in numbers sufficient to make the picnic a success. Your correspondent reached the grounds about ten o'clock and found them teeming with merry pleasure seekers, while three cornet bands, the Zion, the Lemont, and the Washington, were enlivening the exercises with strains of sweetest music. The peanut man was there, and far above the din of the bands, the rumbling of wheels, and the noises of the merry makers, was heard his hoarse voice, telling the crowd that "here's where you get your double-jointed, silver-pointed California peanuts." The ice cream man was there and strained his lungs to their utmost to rival the peanut man, but it was "no go;" the weather was too cool, and the lovers of frozen milk preferred something to warm them instead of a cooler. Poor Mr. Lo was not there, as he had not sufficiently recovered from the blows he received at the Soldier's picnic, to allow him to take part in the exercises, but his place was supplied by a spruce looking gentleman with a head, fastened to the body by a hinge, at which the small boys threw balls for the cigars. It reminded one of Banquo's ghost, for although it was knocked down a great many times, it wouldn't stay down, but always turned up again. The ground hog man was there, and entertained a great many people with his little side show, and at the same time satisfied the inner man by selling them nuts, candies, and "sich like."

About half past ten o'clock Col. James F. Weaver, the Master of the county grange, tried to call the meeting to order and make a speech, but the people had come for pleasure, and didn't care much about speech making, and besides the noise of the peanut and ice cream men, which could have been heard above the roar of artillery, put speech making out of the question, so the Colonel, after a few remarks told us all to get ready for dinner. In an incredibly short space of time the ground was dotted with white table cloths when "presto" there seemed to rise, as by magic, from the ground, huge jelly cakes, heaps of chicken, and many other good things too numerous to mention. But *tempus omnia mutantur*, an hour passed on, and the good things had all disappeared; gone to that bourne whence no jelly cake ever returns, except when the doctor summons it by an emetic. "The hour of labor having arrived" the Master called us to order again, and made a short address, after which everybody sought to amuse himself or herself in the best manner possible. A few drops of rain from Captain Nimbus started a few of the old and the rheumatic ones to their homes, but soon B-reas arrested the gentleman and put him under guard for a while, so that the pleasures of the day might not be disturbed. The Grand Master of the State Grange of Pennsylvania, was present, and seemed to enjoy himself hugely. Past Grand Master Piolette and Brother McCormick, who were advertised to address us did not put in their appearance. We hope they will have a good excuse for their not coming. Before closing I must tell you about the pretty girls who graced the picnic with their presence. There was quite a sprinkling of fair maidens, comely to look upon, and beautiful as Hours. The old Roman gods would have been ravished with their beauty, could they but have beheld them. Some of the young men were terribly smitten with their charms, as may be judged by the manner in which they toted them around on their arms, and fed them on candies and other dainties. On the whole the picnic was a grand success.

GRANGER.

THAT CAME TO MR. MACMANUS.—We clip the following notice of the recent presentation to Hon. James MacManus from the Clearfield Republican:

"We notice by our Bellefonte exchanges that the members of the Bar in that borough CANED the oldest member—Hon. James MacManus, one day last week—on the fifty-fifth anniversary of his admission as an attorney to the Bellefonte Bar. All the lawyers at that Bar, except four, have been born since Mr. MacManus was sworn in as an attorney. * * * * *

Those citizens of Clearfield county who attended Court from 1844 to 1856, and are alive, will recollect 'Jim' MacManus. We heard him make a speech in our Court House in 1848, during the Cass and Taylor campaign, and his closing remark was, 'Boys, if you want American Liberty to last forever, vote the Democratic ticket. The old men I have nothing to say to. It's the boys that must save the country from despotism.' We have treasured that remark ever since."

FOR THE CENTRE DEMOCRAT.

THREE CHEERS FOR WALKER TOWNSHIP.—Proclaim to the world that Walker is the banner county school district of Centre county. The board of directors have not only raised the teacher's salary, but have added another month to the school term, making it *six months* instead of five. What township will follow the lead of Walker. Again, I say, three cheers for Walker.

CITIZEN.

—The material for suitings at the Philadelphia Branch clothing store will please all. Try them.

—Just opening out, a big stock of fall suits for children, boys and men. It will pay you to see our stock before buying elsewhere. Lyon & Co.'s one price stores.

THE Y. M. C. A. CONVENTION.—The sessions of this convention will begin in the Y. M. C. A. rooms this afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. The first general meeting will be held in the M. E. church this (Thursday) evening at 7:30, when an address of welcome will be delivered on behalf of the Association by its President, Col. D. S. Keller, and on behalf of the churches by Rev. Mr. Pennypacker, of the M. E. church, and responses made by the President of the State Executive committee, James McCormick, Esq., of Harrisburg, and other delegates to the convention. It is also probable that a paper on some special feature of Association work will be read at this meeting and the order of business for succeeding sessions announced. We hope our citizens will turn out largely at this opening meeting, and give the delegates a hearty welcome. During the rest of the week meetings will be held in the forenoon at 9:30 and in the afternoon at 2:30 o'clock in Humes' Hall; and each evening there will be a large general meeting in the Presbyterian or M. E. churches—probably in the Presbyterian on Friday and in the M. E. church on Saturday evening. These State conventions are said to be exceedingly interesting and profitable not only for all persons who are interested in Y. M. C. A. work, but also to those who are in any way interested in the Christian and social development of young men generally. We hope, therefore, that the people of our community will avail themselves of the privilege now afforded them for the first time. From reports received, it is probable that the convention will be attended by about one hundred Association men from different parts of the State. Rev. S. A. Taggart and probably one or two other persons who have just returned from the World's Conference in London will be present and give an account of the proceedings at that conference.

—The publishers of Rev. Dr. Robinson's "Spiritual Songs for the Sunday-School" have just issued a little book containing only the hymns of that work and selling for one-half the money. It will be a most desirable supplement to the large book, greatly increasing its usefulness, and placing it within the reach of the largest mission-schools. The new edition is prettily bound in flexible red cloth, and costs but 20 cents. The complete tune edition, bound in stiff boards, covered with red cloth, with red edges, costs 40 cents to schools in quantities. It is said that the sales of the latter work have mounted up into the scores of thousands since its issue a year ago.—The Century Company, N. Y.

"Progress," North and South.

"Progress" is now in its third year, and may, therefore, point to its broad pages for evidence of its tone and doctrine.

With the nomination of General Hancock for Presidency, its editor renewed his relations with the Democratic party. No disappointment with the ideas of the Republican party prompted his decision; but he saw that the managers of that party had made hostility to the South a condition of continued membership, and that even the illustrious services of General Hancock to the country had made no impression upon men who, without those services, would have had neither country nor party. Together, with hundreds of thousands of others, the editor of "PROGRESS" therefore took ground for the cause of peace, patriotism, and reconciliation; and every subsequent hour has confirmed in him the wisdom of his action.

The closeness of the popular vote in 1880, when the Republicans carried the day only by panic and capital, and the small majority in Congress, with hundreds of thousands of office-holders, forced to vote to keep their places, proved the power of the great party founded by Jefferson and Franklin, and immortalized by Jackson, Douglas, Cass, Silas Wright, and Thomas H. Benton; and, since that election, the South has exhibited a vitality, energy, and prosperity that increase its value to the Union and its future force in all that relates to national development.

"PROGRESS" will retain all its contributors that have been writing in its pages for the last two years, especially those who minister to the tastes of thoughtful men and women, and more will be added on new topics, political and social. I will be particularly obliged if my old friends, North and South, East and West, will give me the benefit of their personal co-operation in this effort to strengthen a journal which is intended to spread the truth in favor of generous Democratic principles, and to foster and cement comradeship between all peoples and States. I have no other, as I can have no higher ambition than to succeed in this great object. Independent of all cliques and factions, voluntarily out of office, and pleading for real relief from sectionalism and the schemes of Imperialists and Federalists, I ask the masses to give me the encouragement I have always been ready to extend to labor, whether of body or brains, and to cultivated and emulous men of every condition and country.

Advertisers will find "PROGRESS" in its new field, an attractive and invaluable medium. I propose to make this department a marked specialty of unique and attractive typography.

My scientific, literary, dramatic, and financial departments will be thorough and fearless. I have reduced the price of "PROGRESS" to \$2.50 per annum, including postage to all parts of the country, and will be gratified for your subscription.

JOHN W. FORNEY,
Editor and Proprietor,
702 Chestnut-st., PHILADELPHIA, PA.

—We have just received the largest stock of men's and boys' hats for the fall trade. Lyon & Co.'s one price store.

LOGAN CEMENT.—The retail price for LOGAN CEMENT on and after this date (May 9, 1881), will be two dollars per barrel and no charge for bags or barrels. H. K. HICKS.

—Special inducements for orders for clothing during the summer months. 23-4f MONTGOMERY & CO., Tailors.

MARRIAGES.

BOOVER-MORLEY.—On the 5th instant, at the U. S. Church, by Rev. J. E. Tallman, Mr. E. Hoover, of Unionville, and Miss M. C. Morley, of Julian.

RUNYON-BEAR.—At the residence of the parents of the bride, on the 24th instant, by Rev. J. E. Tallman, Mr. W. H. Runyon, of Allison, and Miss E. B. Bear, of this place.

—The material for suitings at the Philadelphia Branch clothing store will please all. Try them.

—Just opening out, a big stock of fall suits for children, boys and men. It will pay you to see our stock before buying elsewhere. Lyon & Co.'s one price stores.