

Rev. John Hewitt.

At a meeting of Constans Comman- dry Knights Templers on the 17th, inst, which was called especially to pay their tribute to their brother Sir Knight Rev. John Hewitt, who departed on Tuesday last for his new home in Nebraska. No better token of respect could have been shown him than that of the order on this occasion. When through with the regular order of the business Col. D. H. Hastings spoke as follows:

The members of the Commandery well know that this meeting was called ostensibly for one purpose, but really for another, which it becomes my duty to disclose. Within a few years past, Templarism in Bellefonte has grown wonderfully. Constans Commandery now numbers in its membership the flower of the young men of this county, and from neighboring counties, of whom we may justly feel proud. The gray haired Knights, whose swords have become rusty, still move in and out amongst us, but the active duties of modern Knighthood fall upon the shoulders of the strong and vigorous young men.

To one man, more than to any other single cause under the Great Com- mander, do we owe the skill, enthusi- asm, and true knightly culture among the young men of this commandery. His fidelity, his zeal, his constancy and his industrious sympathy in the incul- cation of the virtue of Templarism, have permeated the whole comman- dery. His fidelity not only to the stated duties, but to the glorious truths of our faith: his zeal in the study, and im- parting the truths, of the unwritten work his constancy in keeping ever be- fore us the Red Cross of his Master, and his boundless sympathy in every good work, has had its almost talismanic ef- fect.

These truths are painfully apparent to us this night, when we remember that this is the last time, perhaps, that he will ever meet with us in this capacity.

Sir Knight Hewitt, all these truths so satisfying, so appreciated heretofore, crowd upon us painfully as we contem- plate your early and final leave taking. We would it were otherwise. We turn to ourselves and we ask the question, shall we not see the goodly face of our pre- late, again? Will his voice so familiar to us, never again be heard in this hall? And when the answer comes, we say with a common impulse, "God bless you, God speed you!" We can truly express our sorrow, and give you and your family warm wishes for new and faithful friends, for health and long lives of usefulness, and hope that among new found followers of the Red Cross you may do for them as you have done by us. Yes, we can do one thing more. Those who surround you bid me to give you a substantial token. This handsome card case, so beautifully engraved, is the gift of this command- ery to you. Within is contained evi- dence of their feelings toward you which I have but feebly expressed. With it, go their kindly good wishes, their love, their prayers, and the hope that as followers of the cross, we will in the hereafter unite with you in the grand encampment of the Great Com- mander.

The card case, a beautiful design of solid silver, has the following inscrip- tion engraved on it: "Constans Com- mandery, No. 33, K. T., to Rev. Sir John Hewitt."

When Mr Hewitt, with trembling hand, opened the case his eyes fell upon two hundred and twenty five dollar gold pieces, the gift of the command- ery to their prelate.

Eminent Sir Rev John Hewitt was completely surprised and betraying his feelings of embarrassment at first, re- plied substantially as follows:

Eminent Commander and Sir Knights of Constans Commandery: If it be true, as it has been said, that he who would con- quer must first conquer himself, then I have learned tonight more than ever be- fore, that I have not yet conquered right- ly for I am utterly unable at this time to control the feelings which move my heart and transfix my thoughts. But I take refuge in the thought that I am conquered by kindness, and that there is no shame to him who is thus con- quered. These are indeed, very hard and trying days to me, and they are growing harder and more trying the nearer the time approaches when I must leave Bellefonte, and friends, and, last, but not least, the members of Constans Commandery. And if my feelings are wrought up to a troubled state, I assure you they are far far more affected by the kindness shown me than by circumstances that have caused me to seek another home. My first allegiance, of course, is to the church of our Lord. But next to her, my loyalty and love go out to the or- ganization which holds and teaches the same cardinal doctrines of religion and love which have been materialized, not any more in this single act of noble

generosity than in the multitude of kindness which has marked your con- duct towards me during the several years of my connection with this com- mandery. You have one and all shown me an unsifted generosity, and unde- served sympathy, and a manly friend- ship, such as I have sometimes failed to find in a few of those to whom I am bound in the organization to which I owe my first allegiance. But this is not because I have served Knight Templarism better than I have served the church. No! Forbid it, Almighty God! It is because we have been of one mind and one heart in our purpose to practice those principles of hospita- ble brotherhood which our organization so constantly inculcates. I leave you to pursue my calling in a distant State; but not to sever my connection with this commandery, or to forget you. Let my right hand forget her cunning; let my tongue cleave to the roof of my mouth; let my eyes refuse to admit the light of the sun; but never let it fade from memory impressions of the manly and noble friendship, esteem and sympathies which you have written there as with the hand of God's love. "The good will of Him that dwelt in the bush" be yours, as I know you wish that "the blessings which fell upon the top of the head of Him that was separated from his brethren" may be mine. I thank you, Sir Hastings' for you: kindly and touching words. I thank you all Sir Knights, for this token of your esteem and regard, all too undeserved. I would like to put my arms around you all and take you away with me.

J. L. Spangler, afterwards, in well chosen words, spoke of Mr. Hewitt's warm place in the heart of the mem- bers of the order, and their sorrow at his leaving.

The pleasant occasion closed with a sumptuous banquet given in honor of the departing prelate.

PENN HALL.

Miss Fisher from Pittsburg, cousin of Major J. B. Fisher, is visiting at their place this week.

J. W. Bartges has sold one of his valuable horses a few days ago.

Quite a sensation occurred in our village last Saturday evening between a gentleman of Spring Mills, and a gen- tleman of this place, both old heroes, the topics of the evening was honesty, and was finely discussed but took some bad languages to complete the discus- sion. It has not been affirmed by the Judge at this writing.

Henry Kersteter from Bellefonte is expected to take charge of the Smith department of J. C. Condo coach shops in a few days.

The telephone subject has altogether died off "why not have telephone lines through Penns Valley connected at Centre Hall," citizens why not take stocks and be with the times.

Ere long there will be connected with N. S. Weaver's shoe shop a tobacco and cigar depot. Well Newton, keep good cigars and we will occasionally give you a call.

John P. Condo left on Monday morn- ing for Philadelphia on a business trip.

Messrs. Krumrine and son from Spring Mills are soon ready to com- mence sawing on their new steam mill below our village, they intend sawing their timber in the pine woods.

Vox.

It is reported that we will have a pair two-minute horses.

The store building of Kaufman & Co. is nearly under roof.

George Harter is taking the lead in his line of goods.

Mr. S. T. Frain has without exception the finest turnout in the county. Two spanking boys, a new barouche with oval plate glass in front, and a beautiful set of silver-plated har- ness. He runs it to Coburg taking passengers to and from the train and brings them to the best hotel in Mil- lheim, and equal to any in the county. Mr. Frain sets an elegant table and makes a personal effort to provide well or the comfort of his guest.

It is rumored that the school board intend furnishing the three schools in the borough with patent seats and desks.

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Last week Mr. C. W. Hosterman our merchant at this place was to Phila- delphia and purchased a fine line of Spring and summer Goods which he says he will sell very low.

Miss Ida Miller from Spring Mills, has again taken charge of the Millinery store of this place, and is ready to wait on all customers wishing to purchase anything in the line of Hats Bonnets etc. Ladies give her a call.

Mr. John J. Orndorf, is very much displeased with the new comer of last week; he had expected a boy and wishing to call him Cleveland, but it happened to be a girl. We are sorry for you John.

The farmers are nearly all done sow- ing oats, and ready to plant corn.

Wheat looks fine since the rain, if the weather is favorable we can expect a good crop again.

Saw dust paths become very fashion- able in our town.

Miss Kate Reinhart is again sewing at the St. Elmo Hotel. Howard Musse- has built a new stable on his new prop- erty at their place.

Mr. Aaron Stover expects to put up a house before Hay making yet.

HAINES.

Several of our young men have ceased loafing and have gone to work.

Larry Bathurst is having the founda- tion dug for his new house. We under- stand this is to be the finest residence in town.

Mrs. Chas. Smith, of Bellefonte, visited her mother, Mrs. Beulah Peters, last week.

Quite a number of ladies and gentlemen from a distance are attending Prof. Wright's school. The Prof. is an efficient and capable teacher, and we predict a successful and beneficial term of school.

On Monday Miss Dora Finch opened a Young People's Normal, in one of the rooms of the public school building. A great many of the boys and girls of town are attending and at close of school, ex- pect to be ahead of their "dads in larnin'."

Messrs. Dan. Hall and Jerry Blair have had their yard fence repaired, and the at- tractiveness of their dwellings is increased thereby. We might just say here that several others in town might take steps in the same direction and better the looks of their properties.

Miss Grace Miller, of Centre Hall, is the guest of her brother, Dr. Miller, of town.

J. L. Rich started on Monday morning for Cambria Co., where he expects to travel in the interest of a nursery firm, of Brighton, N. Y. John, we hope you may meet with success in your undertaking.

Messrs. Meek and Teller, of Bellefonte, in company with Messrs. Rich, of Union- ville and Mann, of Sunbury, were trout fishing, last week. The last two gentle- men remained at Benner's Run for the purpose of stocking said run with trout for the benefit of an Association to which these four belong. We warn all persons to discontinue their fishing in this stream, or they will certainly be arrested. The Associations intend erecting building near the water and keeping a watchman there.

Mr. Willis Hoover whose store was con- sumed in the Brabin fire last summer is talking of buying the Granger store of this place. If he decides to do this, he in- tends running his business on a small profit basis.

Sunday evening Rev. A. W. Gayer de- livered, in the Methodist church, one of the finest sermons it has ever been our pleasure to listen to. The text was "Though Ye be dead, yet ye shall live," and it was handled in an able and sci- entific manner. One moment the large and appreciative audience was met with ir- refrangible arguments and the next with a flight of eloquence that seemed to carry the listeners almost into the Heavens, themselves.

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ROLAND.

On last Tuesday a little five year old son of John McDivitt narrowly escaped being drowned, by falling in the fore- bay at the grist mill. When rescued it was thought life was extinct, as he had been in the water about ten minutes.

Farmers in this vicinity are busy ploughing and preparing "oats ground" as it is now time for said grain to be sown.

Master Wilbur and Harry Leathers, sons of S. B. Leathers Esq, are suffer- ing from being poisoned by smoke is- suing from burning weeds and scrubs dug from fence corners.

Our friend James W. Neff, teacher at Moshannon during the past winter, is now home looking well and happy.

Crosby is at present visiting his father and somebody else's sister at Panxus- tawny, and master Gurdy Stine is so'e proprietor of the mill in his absence.

The disturbing element in our neigh- borhood seems to be a contest for the subscription schools. "How great a matter a little fire kindleth!"

A Queen's Opinion.

J. M. Queen writes from Johnston, W. Va., that he has been sorely afflicted for several years, but he was urged to try PERUNA, which he did, and he now feels that he is about over his trouble, and con- sider it the greatest medicine in the world. He says he has to go or send a distance of fifteen miles to obtain PERU- NA, but it will repay him for this.

Ellwood Shallcross, former editor of the Saturday Journal, Wheeling, W. Va., says: "Gentlemen: Some time ago I was afflicted with again in my back in the region of the kidneys, and suffered con- siderably. Having read your advertise- ment, I went to Logan & Co., of this city, and purchased a bottle of PERUNA, which I took, and it resulted in the complete removal of the pain. I think I can safely recommend it as a superior panacea for pains."

Mr. Aaron Shreffler, Alma, Marion county, Ill., writes: "Dr. S. B. HARTMAN & Co., Columbus, O. Dear Sirs: Myself and wife have taken three bottles of your medi- cines and received much benefit by the use of them. My wife was troubled with neuralgia, headache and weak stomach. Her headache was not troubled her for the last two weeks, and her stomach is much better. She took only PERUNA. I used both medicines, and my general health is so much improved that I feel like a new man. My stomach is very much better, and the MANALIN keeps my bowels all right. We intend to keep taking the medi- cines until we are permanently cured."

Evans T. Jones, Prospect, Marion Co., O., says: "After having taken medicine from different physicians of this place without any relief, I was induced to try your PERUNA, which I purchased of Cook Bros., druggists, of this place, and after using some six bottles of the same, I feel very much benefited. Am sure it will finally work an entire cure."

T. J. Ewing, Cattlettsburg, Ky., writes: "In the early part of last winter I con- tracted a severe cold, attended with a bad cough, then, being exposed during late flood, added to my disability. I have taken your PERUNA with good results. My cough has entirely left, soreness is gone, and am increasing in flesh."

Thomas Bradford, 214 Western Ave- nue, Allegheny City, Pa., writes: "I have had liver complaint for three years, I thought I would have to quit work; I have taken two bottles of your PERUNA, and am well."

S. Wolf & Son, Wilmot, Ohio, write: "We handle your goods, and they give good satisfaction."

Wilson, McFarlane & Co., call atten- tion to the only reliable Ready Mixed Paint in the market. The Pioneer Pre- pared Paint is not only superior to any Ready Mixed Paint sold but rivals pure white lead in its smoothness in durability. This paint is guaranteed by the manufac- turers not to crack or peel within three years. The guarantee is not only good for replacing the paint but it will be put on if it should crack or peel within the time specified. It will be to your interest to call and see Wilson, McFarlane & Co., before purchasing either white lead or any Ready Mixed Paint.

The CENTRE DEMOCRAT and the Agent's Herald one year, for two dollars strictly in advance. The Herald exposes every fraud and bogus advertisement in the papers. Do not delay, our offer will be limited.

Handsome new neck wear for men - Garman's.

The Howard Summer Institute.

The spring term of ten weeks of the Institute will open on Monday April 13 h. 1885. All persons desiring to pursue Grammar and High school studies, or to prepare for teaching and College will find it to their advantage to attend. Tuition for term \$5.00 to \$8.00. For further particulars address LEWIS ROBB, F. and M. College Lancaster Pa.

Following is a list of the applica- tions for licenses, as granted and refus- ed by Judge Furst on Tuesday:

GRANTED. C. G. McMillen, Bellefonte Boro, Tavern W R Teller, do do Daniel Garman, do do Emanuel Brown, do do John Anderson, do Saloon Jacob Cook, Howard Boro Tavern W S Musse, Millheim Boro, do S T Erwin, do do James Pastmore, Philipsburg Boro, Tavern John A McOmber, do do William Parker, do do S B R-w, do do Alvis Kohibecker, Boggs Twp. do James A Livingston, Ferguson Twp do J H Bibby, Gregg Twp do H G Shaffer, do do Andrew Immel, Haines do do T F Moyer, Miles do do Joseph Kieckner, Penn do do D J Meyer, Potter do do D H Rubl, do do do John Olenkirk, do do do Jeffrey Hayes, do do do John G Uzzie, Snow Shoe do do Ed Nolan, do do do Boston Veilholder, do do do Gottlieb Haug, Spring do Tavern Henry Robb, Walker do do

REFUSED. Frank X Lehman, Bellefonte, do James McCarty, do do Bernard Coyle, Philipsburg, do John Ramsdale, do do Peter Ashcroft, do do W H Dean, do do Wholesale C A Faulkner, do do Bottlers F P McCloskey & Co., do do John G Gearty, Unionville Boro, Tavern C C Hummel, Harris Twp do Martin Healey, Snow Shoe do George Hazel, do do Saloon J. C. Hicklen, do do do Samuel Boyer, do do do

WITDRAWN. Jonas Stetler, Worth, Tavern

New Advertisements

Cork Shavings For Mattresses.

Now is the time to change the filling in mattresses, and we would recommend CORK SHAV- INGS as being the cheapest and most durable article that can be used. 40 lbs. will fill a large bed. For Sale by

ARMSTRONG, BROTHER & CO., Cor. 24 and Railroad Streets, PITTSBURGH, PA.

SUBSCRIBE FOR THE CENTRE DEMOCRAT.

Additional Local.

Bayard's Drug store for Drugs.

For Drugs, Medicines Soaps, Toilet articles and everything usually kept in a first class Drug store, go to Walter W. Bayard, in the room lately occupied by W. H. Wilkinson.

Bedroom suits very low at Brach- bill's Sons.

Chairs \$3.75 to \$25, per half dozen, at Brachbill's Sons.

Walter W. Bayard, the druggist on Allegheny street opposite Beaver & Gephart's office.

For Drugs, Medicines, Toilet arti- cles etc., go to Bayard's Drug store on Allegheny street.

All kinds of furniture at the very lowest prices at Brachbill's Sons.

Lot's of new dry goods - Garman's.

The best molasses at A. V. Smith's - Embroideries and Laces - Garman's.

For neat and attractive sale bills call at the DEMOCRAT office.

White goods and embroideries - Garman's.

The best and largest assortment of furniture at J. Brachbill's Sons.

Save 10 per cent by buying Furni- ture at Brachbill's Sons.

New styles in neck wear for men at Garman's.

New dress goods in cashmeres and couplets at Garman's.

Beautiful shades in silk floss at Garman's.

Buy tombstones and monuments at the Bellefonte Marble Yard. 14-3t

They sell only the best marble at the Bellefonte Marble Works, unless you want something very cheap, which will not be guaranteed. Go and see their Emeralda marble, warranted not to change. 14-3t

Parlor suits of all grades, at Brach- bill's Sons.

Fresh Drugs at Bayard's.

Whether you contemplate buying furniture or not, if you desire to see a large display of bedroom and parlor furniture of the finest description ever brought to Bellefonte, we would advise you to go into J. Brachbill's Son's store. It will cost you nothing and will do your heart good to examine the im- mense variety of all kinds of furniture they have in stock. You can not go amiss in calling as it is no trouble at this store to show goods whether you wish to buy or not.

Lace curtains and curtain poles Garman's.

Try John Beezer's meat market on High street. Choice meats and fresh sausage. The best Steaks in the mar- ket. Just give him one call and we will guarantee you will go there for your next steak or roast.

All over embroidery and lace-net - Garman's.

Don't forget to go to John Beezer's for your meat, High street.

White goods and Embroidery - Garman's.

All kinds of grain, and produce, taken in exchange for Marble work of any kind at Stover's works, High street, Bellefonte, price same as if cash were paid.

Phoenix-like, We Rise Again From the Smouldering Ruins,

And have reopened with a new and elegant stock of goods in

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ON

Saturday April 25.

THE FOLLOWING

SLEDGE HAMMERS

Will be offered during the First week.

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OUR ENTIRE STOCK OF.

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FIRE! FIRE! FIRE!

Our entire stock—very slightly damaged by smoke—is now offered to the public at an IMMENSE SACRIFICE. A new Spring Stock having just been put into the building, makes this a chance for cheap goods never before equaled in Belle- fonte. Prices regardless of cost or damage. These goods must be sold, and the prices will sell them. Bar- gains for everybody long as it lasts! First come, first served.

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Made:-:to:-: Order, BY FLEMING, THE TAILOR.

Full Stock, Low Prices, NO FIT, NO SALE.

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Grain Market.

As corrected weekly by LAWRENCE L. BROWN. Wheat, red, per bushel.....85 Wheat, white and mixed, per bushel.....80 Rye, per bushel.....80 Oats, shelled, per bushel.....50 Oats, per bushel.....55

Produce Market.

Following are the produce quotations as received by us up to the hour of going to press—3 o'clock, Wed- nesday P. M.: Potatoes, per bushel.....35 Butter, per lb.....25 Eggs.....25 Dry Apples.....25 Beans, per bushel.....3.50 Peas.....3.75 Ham.....1.25 Flour, Snowflake, per sack.....1.25 Flour, roller, per sack.....1.20 Shoulder sugar cured.....3.75