

Advertisements... unless accompanied by the real name of the advertiser.

Local Department.

-The ice houses are pretty well filled.
-The Tyron planning mills are running on full time.
-Accidents in the Altoona yards are of daily occurrence.
-If you want fine fresh groceries, give Erhard & Shuey a trial.
-A colored man in Clearfield is said to be over a hundred years old.
-The Nashville Students put up at the Brockerhoff House on Tuesday.
-The United Brethren are holding a protracted meeting at Houserville.
-The farmers are getting their grain to market while there is good sledding.
-The correspondents of the Daily News edited that paper several days last week.
-The corner loafer has resigned his position in favor of the poor unfortunate tramp.
-The story of Cessna's tobacco chewing horse is going the rounds of the exchanges.
-The second week of Court is now in session. Judges Furst and Siminton rushed business through lively last week.
-The celebrated Pearl Flour can only be purchased at Erhard & Shuey's new grocery store, Harris' block High street.
-Gov. Pattison was present at the Farmer's institute held in Lock Haven on last Thursday and delivered a very able address.
-Our Book Bindery is running on full time, and the work is giving perfect satisfaction. We are here to stay, don't forget it.
-A few bushel of apples taken at this office on subscription. Now don't all bring them at the same time without notifying us.
-Judge Siminton who gave the famous decision in the South Penn railroad case, was on the Judicial bench, in our court last week.
-Mr. James Kellerman is among that class of people who appreciate the printers condition and always pays for his paper in advance.
-A Bucks County farmer is the possessor of a calf which has two heads. The animal is in a thriving condition, and eats with both mouths.
-On Saturday some kind hearted farmer brought a sledload of little girls to town for a good time. The Misses enjoyed themselves hugely.
-It is said that county Superintendent Cessne of Bedford Co. has a horse that chews tobacco and gets very unruly, when it is not given to him.
-The last spike on the Cresson and Coalport Railroad was driven last Saturday, at a point in Cambria county between Wildwood and Dawson's mill.
-Centre Hall is to have an Opera Hall in the near future. This thriving borough is coming along in the line of progress more rapid than any other in the County.
-Miss Cora B. Scoby held the position of court reporter in one of the courts last week, but as there is only one court in session this week Heber is juggling it down as usual.
-Farmers beware of Bohemian osts agents. Buy your seeds of responsible dealers at home. We have them in our town. Read their advertisements and then patronize them.
-An exchange says by rubbing a little alcohol on the window pan the frost will not collect. That may be true, but how about the whiskey loving tramps? They would collect and lick it off.
-Two tramps were put to breaking stone on the streets in Altoona. They worked faithfully until after being fed at noon, when they took a French leave when the overseer was absent.
-There is a vacancy in the Bellefonte clerkships now, and some deserving young fellow, can get the position if can find the correspondent "clerk" of the Daily News. He evidently has expired.
-On Monday a young man by the name of John Bechtel employed as fireman on a mine engine at Snow Shoe was run over and killed, on the mine track. He was about 30 years old, and leaves a wife.
-The Centre Hall people did not know anything of the Nashville Students appearing here until Tuesday afternoon, or there would have been at least fifty more in attendance. There were a few bills put up, but did not give any date, or where they were to appear.
-Dr. J. L. Seibert's brother who is a merchant in the southern part of New Mexico, visited in this place last week. He reports pleasant weather in that country and at no time has the temperature reached freezing point. He departed on Saturday.

-Mr. Steek's Lecture. -The Problem of Success. Rev. Chas. T. Steek's audience last Thursday night was one of the most intelligent and critical, Bellefonte can boast. "The Problem of Success," is a twin brother of "The Hero recognized and unrecognized" the only lecture, which, all things considered, we have heard anywhere that deserves to stand by its side. They both have the impress of Mr. Steek's marked individuality in thought and manner. They are both stamped with his characteristic elegance and force of diction, boldness, and originality of thought, intensity of feeling and moral inspiration. To use the words of a prominent Ohio journalist, "They are incomparably above the average popular lecture; and should Mr. Steek make lecturing his business, he would soon stand at the very top of the profession in reputation, as he now does in real literary and oratorical merit." As the Hero recognized and unrecognized is a refutation of the mistakes of popular hero worship, and holds up the ideal of true heroism, so the "Problem of Success" exposes the popular fallacies on the question of success, and holds up the true aim of life. The lecture is spiced here and there with flashes of wit and touches of sarcasm of inimitable polish and intensity. It has strong and original reasoning, for the thoughtful, humor for the lover of laughter, and flights of splendid declamation for the imaginative. At times Mr. Steek's delivery reminds us in its smooth deliberateness of Wendell Phillips; then again in a certain stateliness, of Daniel Dougherty, and in intensity and flexibility of manner, and look, of Edwin Booth to whom he has a striking resemblance, in face and voice. Mr. Steek's delivery has many features that are a valuable study to the student of elocution and oratory. The climax is evidently a favorite effect with him. An extended climax is one of the most hazardous of oratorical experiments. The skill with which Mr. Steek reserves and directs his force, at the same time concealing his art to the concentrated outburst at the summit of the passage, to a student of elocution, interesting in the extreme, and to every auditor an exquisite pleasure. Want of space will not permit an outline of his lecture; suffice it to say it was both a delight and an inspiration to every hearer. We have no desire to exaggerate, our aim is to do simple justice. From the opportunity we have had in Chicago, Philadelphia and New York, to hear and see the very princes of the rostrum we have this to say: Taking both literary merit, and delivery into account, if Mr. Steek has any superior on the American platform we do not know who he is.

-Rev. J. N. Moorhead of Pueblo Colorado, delivered a very interesting talk before the Y. M. C. A. on Monday evening, taking for his subject "Stop and Think." Those who heard him were very much delighted with his talk. The Law and Order League were in session in the adjoining room, and had so much business to transact, that although the lecturer waited until half past eight for them to adjourn and reserved the front seats for them, he was obliged to begin, and as the hour was late and the audience tired waiting, the talk was necessarily cut much shorter than it otherwise would have been. The League did not attend when they did adjourn.
-There is a certain galoot in this community whose treatment of his wife is outrageous, and whose name we will give to the public the next time he furnishes us the occasion. He is pretty well known, and thoroughly despised, and a coat of tar and feathers would be both ornamental and useful. The poor young wife, who is also a mother, has almost been driven to the verge of distraction, by his cruelty. He is a mocker of religion, and a reviler of the Deity, a foul mouthed cur, who hesitates not to calumniate the wife who is only too faithful to him. The reports that reach us from this fellow are shocking. We promise the young man more notoriety than he desires unless he desists, and we will be as good as our word.
-Judge Furst appointed Hon. John A. Woodward Foreman of the Grand Jury this week. All will agree that the selection was a wise one. Mr. Woodward is a clear level-headed conscientious man, who does his duty without flinching. It is a good omen to see prominent and public spirited men like Mr. Woodward take on them the duties of jurors. No man is too elevated to serve his fellow citizens in a minor capacity. John Adams was Congressman after he was President, and it is said his son was Justice of the Peace after he had served his country in the same capacity.
-The quarterly meeting of the M. E. denomination will be held in Stormtown January 30th and 31st. Quarterly Conference on Saturday at 10 o'clock A. M. at which the Presiding Elder will be present and preach on Sunday evening. Rev. G. W. Boue is expected to preach on Saturday evening and Sunday morning.
-Renovo has a lady deputy constable in the person of Miss Nettie Verne.

-The Farmer's Institute held in the Court House in Lock Haven last week was a very successful gathering. Many interesting topics were discussed by able men, and the practical experience of many of Clinton county farmers added very materially to the interest of the meeting. Gov. Pattison was present and made a speech. Dr. James Calder, of Harrisburg, at one time president of the State College, was there and addressed the meeting taking the subject "Farmer's Rights and Duties." Hon. John A. Woodward read an interesting essay on the subject of "What does the farmer not want to know." Prof. Wm. Frear, Ph. D. of the State College read an essay on "The Adaptability of the Sugar Beet and Sorghum Respects to Pennsylvania." C. S. McCormick, Esq., W. P. Hazzard, Esq., Thos. J. Edger, Sect. of the State Board of Agriculture at Harrisburg, Hon. G. J. Elder, President Herr and others gave very valuable talks upon subjects relating to the improvement of the soil agricultural, stock raising, etc. These institutes or conventions should be held in every county, and Centre should now get up one. Let it be a Farmer's Institute not a Grangers Meeting, but a meeting for all the farmers, whether a Granger or not.
-The famous Nashville Students sang to an hundred and fifty dollar house on Tuesday evening, in Humes Hall, and to a large and appreciative audience. It was the best attraction the Post has furnished this season. The Company is first class and for genuine negro plantation songs and camp meeting melodies, they are immense. You can enjoy a good laugh if you go to hear them.
-Again that accommodating gentleman, Superintendent Westfall, favored the people of Centre Hall, Linden and Oak Hall and other points along the road by running a special train after the entertainment in Humes Hall on Tuesday evening. These people fully appreciate this accommodating act. Mr. Westfall is a gentleman who works for the good of the public, hence for the good of the company.
-The Dry Goods Chronicle and Fancy Goods Review published at 143 Chambers street, New York, is the neatest and best edited journal of the kind published. It is 40 page, folio size and devoted to the dry goods and kindred trades. This paper should be in the hands of every merchant in town. Send for a sample copy.
-Thos. E. Watt the affable and gentlemanly Passenger agent of the Western District of the Pennsylvania Railroad Co., with headquarters at 110, Fifth Ave, Pittsburg, dropped in to see us on Wednesday, and after favoring Genl. Beaver and a number of others with a call departed.
-The Lock Haven Democrat says: "A colored man by the name of Butler was arrested for stealing chickens from Doc Devling's coop on Church street." We suppose Butler did not intend stealing the chickens, but merely wished to deprive the ministers of a square meal.
-Mrs. Eliza Yearick, wife of Mr. John Yearick, whose death occurred on Wednesday of last week, was buried on Sunday. The delay of the funeral was to enable friends residing in the West to get there to attend. Mrs. Yearick was about 59 or 60 years of age.
-Mr. A. G. Mitchell, assistant supervisor on the Pennsylvania railroad at Spruce Creek, has been transferred to a similar position at West Philadelphia. Mr. S. S. Naff, of Bellefonte, will take his place at Spruce Creek. -Altoona Sun.
-Dr. Christ, of Lemont, never misses a good thing. He is always on hand when we have anything good in town in the way of a lecture or an entertainment.
-Balsar Weber of Howard was a member of the grand jury.
Personal
Hon. Jno. A. Woodward is a juror at court this week.
D. L. Zerby, of Millheim, was in town on Tuesday on business.
W. H. Fry, of Pine Grove, was in town the early part of the week.
Mr. John G. Uzzle, of Snow Shoe enjoyed the concert on Tuesday evening.
Prothonotary R. G. Brett is still confined to his house on account of ill health.
J. L. Spangler Esq., of the law firm of Spangler & Hewes, is in Williamsport to-day on legal business.
Mr. Whitmer Wolf, of Centre Hall, got the full benefit of the entertainment on Tuesday evening.
Mr. T. F. Moyer the genial landlord of the Rebersburg hotel was in town on Monday upon business. Mr. Moyer has one of the best hotels in that part of the county, and he is a capital landlord.
-The Democratic Caucus meeting of Spring township, will meet in the Commissioners office, on Saturday evening the 16th of February.
AMOS GARRICK, Committeeman.

COURT PROCEEDINGS.-In the case of Merryman et al., vs. Bush, Reynolds et al., the court directs a verdict for the defendants.
David Gates vs. George W. Lyon, verdict for the plaintiff in the sum of \$86.62.
C. and M. Houser vs. Harvey Benner. Plaintiff suffers a non suit.
F. X. Lehman vs. Fagan and Rok. Verdict for plaintiff in the sum \$1171.39.
John McCloskey et al. vs. D. B. Kunes et al. Verdict for the plaintiff for the lands described in the writ.
John McCloskey vs. Curtin township school district. Verdict for plaintiff for \$90.73.
R S Ross vs. George Krape. Verdict for defendant.
H D Landis vs. R G Brett. Verdict for plaintiff for \$106.50.
In the regular term of Court which began Monday morning, July 25th, the following business was dispatched.
John Rishel vs. Vandye and Wilson. Plaintiff suffers non suit.
Prior Britton vs. Aaron Baum and Abe Baum. Plaintiff suffers non suit.
Joel Royer vs. David Horten. Plaintiff suffers non suit.
In the Court of quarter sessions the following bills were disposed of:
Commonwealth vs. Thompson Reese, assault and battery. H J Walker prosecutor. Defendant pleads guilty, sentenced to pay ten dollars fine and cost of prosecution.
Same vs. H J Walker, assault and battery. Bill ignored and prosecutor, Thompson Reese to pay costs.
Same vs. Felix Fraglenn and A John; sabbath, assault and battery. Defendant not guilty but that they pay costs.
Same vs. W J Barnes, F. and B. Defendant pleads guilty, and sentenced to pay \$1 fine and \$50 lying in expenses to Sallie E Condo, and \$1 per week for the period of seven years if the child should "o long live computed from the birth of the child and give recently to the overseers of the borough of Centre Hall in the sum of \$60 on conditions that the child shall not become a township charge.
Same vs. Isaac Haupt killing deer out of season. Bill ignored and county to pay cost. This indictment was founded on a constable's return.
Same vs. Loenard George, violation of liquor law. True Bill continued to February, '86.
Same vs. Henry W Shope, F. and B. Defendant pleads guilty.
Same vs. J D Haas, destroying books and papers for the purpose of defrauding and cheating. Bill ignored and prosecutor, Jere, Tresler, to pay cost.
Same vs. John Daley, F. and B. Prosecution, Ruth A Vangorden. Defendant pleads guilty, and usual sentenced imposed.
Same vs. same, F. and B. Prosecution Mary Warner.
Same vs. Jonas Stine, Supervisor of Patton township. Nuisance. True Bill.
Case of Hoover & Gamble for use of George Dale vs. Benjamin Kauffman and Isaac Stover. The jury returned a verdict for plaintiff for \$180.
-Science is approaching the cure of consumption—a disease caused by a deposit from the blood of impure matter in the lungs. Forstimulating to healthy action the spleen, liver, kidneys, and skin, organs which remove waste and poisonous matter, no remedy is equal to Dr. Walker's California Vinegar Bitters.

Silent Griefs.
There are sighs unheeded, there are tears unwept;
There are lutes unstrung, there are harps unwept;
There are crises unknown, there are thoughts unaid;
There are hearts that beat warm when they seem but cold!
There are loves unmet when they seem so dead,
There are wounds unseen that have often bled,
For the soul feels most when in silence deep
It lives unheard as the winds in their sleep.
There are sorrows very dark that o'ercloud our way,
And that shade the heart in our life's glad day;
There are joys unmet, there are hopes unmet,
There are pledges broken, there are words unaid;
There are flowers that bloom among the spring leaves,
There are treasures lost among the golden sheaves,
There are memories sweet, and we love them well,
But the eye grows dim as their currents swell.
There are friendships gone, like the dew of morn;
There are smiles now turned to the coldest scorn;
There are dreams we loved in the days gone by;
When the sun was warm, and so bright our sky,
That are passed like spray on the ocean's breast,
When the storm has ceased and her waters rest,
And the heart grows sad that its loved ones have fled,
That its hopes are gone and its garlands dead!
There are scenes we know and are faded now;
There are gathered wreaths, and a shaded brow;
There are songs unmet that we loved to hear;
When the heart was fresh, and its pleasure near;
There are footsteps hid in the sands of time,
There are voices stilled in this earthly clime.
Yet the echoes come from the boundless shore,
That live beyond in the vast evermore.
There are prayers we breathe for the ones we love,
While we linger here from our homes above.
Yet we smile to think that our griefs will cease,
And our hearts rejoice in an endless peace,
Far away above the etherial blue,
Where each soul is glad, and each heart is true,
We will live in love, and her radiant beam
Will inspire the soul with a heavenly dream.
A. W. E.
-On Friday evening next Mr. Sanatbrah a native India lecturer, will deliver a lecture in the College chapel at State College. The Chautauqua assembly Dr. Talmage and the press, speak in the very highest praise of his lecture. In the course of the lecture he appears in one hundred pinless hookless and buttonless costumes. History, travel, instruction, humor and amusement is afforded. The lecture is exceedingly humorous. The "Chautauqua Assembly" says that scarcely five minutes passes but that the audience is not convulsed with laughter." This will be a grand opportunity for sleighing parties. Secure and attend.
-Gregg Post have furnished about all the entertainments we have had this season. Without license, an opera house, and entertainments we would have had a very dry time of it this winter.
FINE GROVE MILLS.
The affairs of our little village, are moving along quietly. Sleighing is elegant, the jingling sound of the sleigh bells adding mirth to all around.
The M. E. congregation is holding a revival which is being well attended.
The revival meeting at Penna. Furnace in the M. E. church is resulting in good success, some fifty inquirers.
Preaching in the Presbyterian church every evening this week, communion services on next Sabbath, preparatory service on Saturday morning at 11 o'clock conducted by Rev. Van Eman, assisted by Rev. Mr. Miller of Osceola.
The marriage of Mr. John Gates and Miss Maggie Thomas took place at the brides home Mr. T. F. Patton on the sixth inst, in the presence of a few special friends, Rev. Van Eman of the Presbyterian church performing the ceremony. The happy couple have our congratulations and we hope their pathway may be strewn with flowers and not thorns.
A very pleasant affair occurred at the residence of old father and mother Housman of this place on the 21st inst, it being their golden or fiftieth anniversary of their wedded life of the much respected old couple, who still enjoy a remarkable share of good health and are quite active, more so than some who are much younger in years. There were present on the occasion their seven children and grandchildren and five other relatives; after the usual congratulations were gone through with, an invitation was extended to the hospitable home of E. E. Young, near by where one of the best and most elegant suppers was served: Two large birds weighing 20 pounds each graced the table. Quite a pleasant time was spent in conversation in which the old couple took an active part. After the reminiscences and anecdotes had been gone through with the company were invited to examine the many valuable and useful presents. We wish this aged couple a happy journey through the remainder of life, and that they may live to celebrate their wedding.
List of unclaimed letters remaining in the Post office at Bellefonte, Centre county, Pa., Jan. 25th, 1886.
Frank J. Black, Herman W. Baird, James Blair, John Carney, Mrs. Sue Duriall, Miss Emma M. Gates, Mrs. Kate Goodman, Wm L. Hoover 2, John S. Henderson, Geo. P. Hodson, Mrs. Salina Kain, John C. Kunes, John Laker, Richard Lucas, Pat Leaky, Wm Meers, H. B. Meyers, Thomas Oker, Wm Turner John Webber.
Persons inquiring for letters named in the above list will please say advertised.
Jas. H. DORRINS, P. M.