

A responsible, containing important news, social & from any part of the county. No communications... unless accompanied by the real name of the writer.

Local Department.

New dress goods—Gaman's. Greece has been shaken up by an earthquake. A number of large new boxes have been put in the post office. Four Paws great show will exhibit here on the 12th of October. The State fair is now in full blast, and is being largely attended. Fannie E. Gray's name still heads the editorial columns of the Daily News. H. Y. Stitzer, Esq., is having a new roof put on his residence on High street. The Agnes Wallace Villa band made some very fine music on the streets on Monday. Another choice entertainment will be given on Saturday evening for the benefit of Gregg Post. Travel upon the Bellefonte, Lewisburg and Bald Eagle Valley Railroad is very large at present. Bellefonte is to have another grocery store. A Lock Haven gentleman is a member of the new firm. Rev. Barnard of Madison Wis., preached a very able sermon in the Presbyterian church on last Sunday. One by one Lock Haven's business men are leaving that city and going into business in other towns in the state. The Bloomsburg Furniture Co. have placed new desks in five of the rooms in the public school building in this place. The new creamery at Spring Mills is to be in active operation by the 20th of this month. How about the one at Howard? One of the highest stacks in the central part of the state, will be the one at the new furnace. It is said it will reach a height of 170 feet. The Celebrated Shamokin Cornet Band of 28 pieces of which Prof. W. T. Meyer formerly of this county, is leader will attend Grand Army day in Lewisburg to-day. The Agnes Wallace Villa company, was well received on Monday night, by a good sized audience. The leading roles were ably sustained and the support in the main was good. Mr. Harvey Korman of Miles township who moved to Nebraska does not love that country enough to stay and grow up, so will return to old Centre. There is no place like home. There was a very interesting game of base ball played at the fair grounds on Thursday, of last week between the Defiance and Star Nine, of this place. The score being 16 to 9 in favor of the former. The Managers of the Nail Works have concluded to again put on the gadders. This will increase the force to about fifty more. The works are closed this week while the repairs and preparations are being made. All will resume work on to-day. On last Sunday 51 persons were baptized in the M. E. church in Unionville, and seventy five probationers were admitted into full membership. This is a remarkable showing and speaks exceptionally well for the moral tone of that beautiful village. The Centre County Granger picnic will be held on the top of Nittany Mountain upon the usual grounds, on Thursday the 16th of this month. Prominent members of the state Grange will be present to address the citizens. All are cordially invited to attend. Gregg Post have made arrangements for the appearance of at least twenty first class attractions for the coming season. They have started out by offering to the public good entertainments so far, and we have no doubt those following will be equally as good. The gentleman who came to this town about a year ago and wanted the Republican nomination for the Legislature "got left." The fact is Centre county is not yet forced to borrow material for the Legislature, and when she does she will not want green timber. The funeral of Mrs. Elizabeth Livingston, wife of Mr. John Livingston, took place on Wednesday. This highly respected christian lady died on Sunday at 11 p. m. at the age of 80 years. She has always been a resident of Bellefonte and a faithful member of the Presbyterian church. Her maiden name was Miss Johnston. Miss Parks a sister of Mrs. Rev. Chas. Steck and a graduate of the Cincinnati training school for the Kindergarten system, has opened a Kindergarten in the rooms above Hastings and Reeders office. She is a lady of great accomplishments, thoroughly familiar with this system of teaching little children, and will no doubt be liberally patronized by our citizens.

Dress goods—Garman's. The State Fair opened in Philadelphia on Monday last. The Gazette man will fill his paper with display headlines this week. Col. Victor Piollet will deliver an address at Grangers Picnic on the 16th inst. Curls, Tricos, Silk and Wool mixed, largest line of Black goods in town—Garman's. Every fellow who placed in nomination a candidate on Tuesday got in his little speech. Street Commissioner Thos. Shaughency says the market receipts since last report were \$13.25. The Centre county Times is the name of the new paper soon to be started in Centre Hall. A reward of \$25 is offered for a horse which was stolen from a stable at Glen Hope one day last week. John Wagner had his hand severely burned on Tuesday night, by the premature explosion of a rocket. A second earthquake on the 3rd inst. again gave Charleston a shaking up, but not so severely as the first. Dr. Thos. Hayes and wife are again crossing this great continent to the Pacific coast where they will spend the winter. The main building of the Lock Haven Nail Works is almost completed and the mill will soon be put in active operation. Rev. W. S. Snyder a very able minister from Harrisburg will likely become the pastor of the Reformed church of this place. The Lock Haven Daily Democrat has been enlarged, and is now a very new and readable paper. We wish the boys much success. There seems to be some dissatisfaction in the Beaver Home Club, in regard to the purchasing of suits. Some wanted them blood red, others wanted white, and some wanted "black" shirts. Earthquake shocks were of nightly occurrence up until the 6th inst at Charleston, and as yet citizens of that ill-fated city are in a state of constant fear, lest there be a return of the dreadful experience of last week. An immense crowd of people are in Lewisburg to-day. The old town is livelier than for many years. The excursion trains were crowded and the Bellefonte and Lewisburg railroad seems to be the important road. Dr. H. K. Hoy has recieved the latest improved splints for the treatment of all kinds of fractures of the limbs and different members of the body. They are galvanized iron and adapted to any part of the body. In Lock Haven the cows have been pasturing upon the grass growing around the reservoir, and keeping the flies off by standing in the water. Is it any wonder the citizens have the malaria. Fence in the town or reservoir. The ladies of the Baptist church of Unionville will hold a festival in the G. A. R. Hall on Friday and Saturday the 10th and 11th inst. All are cordially invited to attend. The proceeds are for the purchasing of an organ for the chapel. McMillen's North Carolina Troubadours gave an entertainment on last Friday in Holidaysburg for the benefit of the Presbyterian church of that place. They had a large audience and the entertainment seemed to give general satisfaction. Mr. Samuel Dale in company with Mrs. Henry Meyers and her daughter of Buffalo Run, departed for the North Western part of Kansas. Mr. Meyers went West a few months ago and his wife has gone to join him. Mr. Dale will visit the west with the intention of locating there in the near future. A republican entered the law office of Ed Chambers on Wednesday and began talking politics, until he talked Ed. not to death, but to sleep. After having accomplished his mission, he went out and shut the door with such a vengeance that Ed's dreams were interrupted and he came out of the office as mad as a March hare. On Saturday, the 11th inst., the sensational opera, De Camera, Adamless Eden will be produced in Humes' Hall. The company is composed of thirty beautiful lady stars, in short there is no Adam allowed in this Eden at all. Tickets are on sale and unless you secure them before Saturday your chances for a seat will be slim. If Lilly Clay's Famous Gaiety Company of Ladies cannot attract a full house in Bellefonte nothing can. On the third inst. at the home of her parents in Nittany, Miss Irene, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Adam Decker, died of typhoid pneumonia, at the age of 17 years. This bright and highly respected young lady will be greatly missed in her neighborhood, as she had hosts of friends, was an active member of the church, kind and generous to a fault. In her death the family sustain a two-fold loss, as but a short time ago their little eight year old daughter was so severely burned that death resulted in a few hours after the accident.

REPUBLICAN CONVENTION.—The Republican County Convention met on Tuesday the 7th inst. and was called to order by the county chairman at a few minutes after 2 o'clock, p. m. Jas. P. Coburn, Esq., was chosen chairman of the convention, and D. S. Keller, Cyrus Goss and Capt. Simler, secretary and assistant secretaries respectively. The convention at once proceeded to business, and after the calling of the roll the following committee on resolutions was chosen: Isaac Mitchell, Samuel Bailey, L. Wilson, Samuel Ally and Dr. Jas. Thompson. While this deliberative body was in the jury room, the Zion cornet band, without doubt one of the finest musical organizations of the kind in the county, was requested to favor the convention with an appropriate selection. The band true to the letter and spirit, rendered the "Last Rose of Summer," a most fitting and suggestive piece. Col. D. S. Keller, in a few well chosen remarks, placed in nomination John G. Love, Esq., of this place, while W. E. Gray, Esq., nominated G. G. Mattern, of Half Moon Valley. Both nominations were made unanimous. George M. Boal, of Potter township and R. T. Wilson were placed in nomination for Prothonotary. Mr. Boal was the choice of the convention, the vote standing 67 to 21 in his favor. G. H. Lichtenthaler, of Phillipsburg, was nominated for the office of District Attorney, and for county surveyor, Mr. Jesse Clever, of Unionville. The Congressional Conferees are W. H. Wigton of Phillipsburg, Cyrus Goss and Jno. Kline, Esq. James P. Coburn, Esq. was the unanimous choice of the convention for Congress. The Senatorial Conferees are Col. D. S. Keller, Capt. Austin Curtin, and E. C. Humes. Wilbur F. Reeder was elected County chairman for 1887. Jas. P. Coburn then addressed the convention, praising and lauding the excellent achievements of the party, and silently burying its bad record. He said the party were lifting up the Prohibitionists and pointing out the way to success for them. The Prohibitionists present smiled a smile and shrugged their shoulders, while the editor of the Gazette took the cud of tobacco out of his mouth and spit. The slate was well made and perhaps the worst feature of the whole convention, was the unkind slap given to one of the most deserving young Republicans in the party Mr. Guyer G. Mattern. Mr. Mattern did not aspire to the nomination of Assembly but on the contrary, was the first to announce himself as a candidate for Prothonotary. But the bosses had the slate fixed and he had to submit to the blame thing. After this breeze the slate was accidentally turned and behold the inscription upon the other side was seen. It exposed clearly the "nigger in the wood pile." One member is to be elected at all hazards at the sacrifice of the other, and Mr. Mattern is to be the slaughtered sheep. The open remark "we will elect one if not both" was instantly noticed by Mr. Mattern. Mr. Mattern will have the same gratifying consolation of seeing Mr. Boal stay at home with himself and the others. That energetic and wide awake business lady, Miss Alpha Corman is now in the city selecting one of the most varied and select stock of goods for her famous Novelty Store, that have ever been brought to this town. You will be surprised when they arrive. The phenomenal success of this new store has one of the largest country patronage of any store in the town. "Quick sales and small profits," is the motto, and is the key note to her success, besides she advertises the specialties she has. Look for her display ad in a short time. Among the recent publications of music we find but two songs published by Ign. Fischer, Toledo, O., that are really worthy of special mention, Tennyson's "Break, Break, Break, on Thy Cold Gray Stones, O Sea," music by the well-known Frederick H. Pease, and Longfellow's "Stay at Home My Heart and Rest" music by W. A. Ogden, an author whose works rank among the most popular of the present day. Price of each 40c. The Centre county Veteran Club will hold their annual basket picnic in Dales Grove about 1/2 of a mile from Lemont on Saturday the 18th inst. A cordial invitation is extended to all parties to participate whether members or not, as all will be heartily welcome. Excursion trains will be run making connection with the trains east and west on the Bald Eagle road. Noah Cronimiller thought that Mr. Charley Shuey and his bride received a very ostentatious send off. Well, Noah, while Charley and his better half received the benefit of the demonstration we guess it was intended principally for General Beaver. On Tuesday night last a second attempt was made to rob the store of Wm. Grauer at Snow Shoe, and as the thief was about to enter the clerk shot at him, when he exclaimed, "My God, I am shot," and made good his escape. Don't fail to attend the Adamless Eden on Saturday night in Humes' Hall. It will be excellent.

NUPTIALS.—Again we record a pleasant event, in which two hearts beat as one. On Tuesday evening Sept. 7th at 7:30 o'clock in the M. E. church of this place, a large audience was collected to witness the marriage of Mr. Chas. Shuey of the firm of Erhard & Shuey, of this place to one of Bellefontes handsome and accomplished young ladies, Miss Rebecca Mulhollan. As soon as the people were comfortably seated by the gentlemanly ushers Messrs. J. Calvin Meyer, Ed. Richards, Ed. Cook and Hard Harris, Miss Josephine Shrom played the wedding march, and the bridal party entered, preceded by the ushers, Mr. Eugene Fleming and Miss Maggie Haupt, Prof. D. M. Lieb and Miss Rachel Mulhollan. Rev. Monroe D. D. performed the ceremony. The bride was dressed in a cloth suit a shade lighter than fawn or what is usually termed ash of roses with bonnet to match, and her bridesmaids Miss Haupt and her sister Miss Rachel, in suits very similar, while the groom wore the usual conventional black. They departed for Philadelphia on the evening train. To-night at the residence of Mr. George Minsker, on East Curtin street a quiet and unostentatious wedding will occur. The contracting parties of this happy event, are Miss Cordie Minsker, the youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Minsker, and Mr. Reed of Curwensville, Clearfield county. Mr. Reed is a most estimable young man, possessing all the qualities of a perfect gentleman and we heartily congratulate him upon his excellent choice. Miss Minsker is a young lady thoroughly familiar with the duties requisite to bring sunshine and happiness into a home. The young couple will locate near Curwensville. Personal. Col. Gilland, of Oak Hall, was in town on Monday. Miss Gertie Solt of Zion was in town on Saturday. Mr. Olie Meek of Washington D. C. is spending his vacation at home in this place. C. T. Alexander Esq., returned from the Sea Shore on Saturday greatly benefited in health from his trip. A. A. Dale, Esq., arrived on the early train from Oak Hall with a nice lot of squirrels, on Monday morning. Judge Linn of Williamsport returned home on Monday after spending a few days with friends, in this place. Miss Maggie Haupt returned home on Monday after a six week's visit to friends in Harleton, Union county. Mrs. Weaver, of Clearfield, is now visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jno. P. Harris, on Linn street. B. F. Keller, Esq., clerk in the War Department at Washington, D. C., is now spending his vacation in Centre county. Col. D. G. Bush arrived home on Tuesday from North Carolina, with but little improvement in health, we are sorry to state. Mrs. James Hopp who has been visiting among friends in this place for the past week returned to her home in Mifflinburg on Wednesday. Miss Ettie Mattern returned home from Ithica, N. Y., where she had been spending her vacation. She is again at work in the Telephone Exchange. Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Reeder departed on Monday for a visit to his parents in Catawissa, thence they will go to Berwick Pa., to the home of Mrs. Reeder. Mr. John Bortoff returned from a two weeks visit to friends in Altoona and Cresson, and is spending a few months at the home of his parents near Lemont. Mrs. Robert Cassidy who has been visiting her son and at the residence of her sister Mrs. Geo. Bayard, returned to her home in the beautiful city of Canton, Ohio, this week. Miss Amanda Swavely, of Roanoke, Va., is visiting her brothers E. J. and J. A. Swavely, of this place. Mr. Chas. Acker of Philadelphia, a cousin of the above mentioned is also a guest at the same place. Mr. John Stormfeltz has finished a large contract of blank books and other binding at the Bellefonte Book Bindery and has gone home to Harrisburg for a short vacation after three months here. Mr. Stormfeltz is a first-class binder, and the work turned out by him has given the very best satisfaction and has been far superior to any previously turned out by our other binders. Marbling and gilding is his speciality. Send in your work to the Bellefonte Book Bindery. Red shirts and white caps is the uniform worn by the Beaver Home Club while blue shirts, white slouch hats and white ties constituted the neat and most attractive uniform of the Nail Works Club. The justly celebrated link barb fence wire sold by McFarlain & Co., is giving the best satisfaction to those who have used it. It is more easily handled than any other and is more quickly put up. Write for prices.

The excursion train for the Centre County "Veteran Picnic" will leave Bellefonte on Saturday, Sept. 18th, 1886, at 10:40 a. m. (sharp) after Bald Eagle Valley trains arrives. Returning will leave Lemont at 4:30 p. m. Persons coming from Coburn, Spring Mills and Centre Hall will come on morning train to Lemont and returning will be taken by a special train leaving Lemont at 5 p. m. Fare for the excursions from all points 2 cents per mile for distance traveled. Tickets good for one day sold at the rate of 2 cents per mile from Phillipsburg (early morning train) and all intermediate stations to Lemont. Return to Bellefonte in time to take the 5:20 p. m. train going west. The same price per mile to persons coming from Lock Haven and all intermediate stations to Lemont on train leaving Lock Haven at 9 a. m. Returning take the 8:55 p. m. train going east from Bellefonte. The same price also applies to those coming from Snow Shoe and all intermediate stations on early train; can return from Bellefonte in evening train. All of the above for "Veteran Picnic" at Lemont on Saturday, Sept. 18, 1886. Lemont is 9 miles south of Bellefonte. General Jas. A. Beaver upon his return from a two months trip across the continent, was met at the train on Tuesday evening by a torch light procession, and three or four bands. He was escorted to a platform erected on the diamond, where he made an address to the crowd, expressing his heartfelt thanks and gratitude for the kind reception etc., and hastily reviewing his pleasant trip through to California, Washington Territory via, the Union Pacific and back via the Northern Pacific. He spoke of the beauty and grandure of the country he had seen, and said that in every city, town, or hamlet, he stopped in he found a Pennsylvanian. The General is more favorably impressed with his own town of Bellefonte nestled among the Alleghenies than ever, notwithstanding the many beautiful places he had seen. Short addresses were made by Jno. G. Love, Col. Wilson Norris, Jas. P. Coburn and Col. D. H. Hastings. ROLAND. A few refreshing showers of rain would be very much welcomed in this vicinity as vegetation is thirsting for it. Mr. James B. Curtin expects to visit in different parts of Maryland soon, for the benefit of his health. Rev. E. Shoemaker, pastor of the Methodist church, was recently very unfortunate in being kicked by his horse, and is thereby somewhat disabled. We hope for his speedy recovery. The willow trees bordering along the Bald Eagle at this place, need topping and trimming badly, as they hide the view and make too much shade for the good of the grass in the meadow in which they surround. Miss Maud Sanders, who has for several weeks past been the guest of her aunt, Mrs. J. L. Neff, departed for her home in Renovo last week. The many friends of Rev. Owen Hicks were agreeably surprised at having him here a short time last week. He was formerly pastor on this circuit, but is now at Duncanville. Miss Lena Leyman proposes visiting in New York State, during the autumn. We think the Salvation Army might do some good by coming to Curtin's furnace on Sabbath morning as a large crowd of loungers usually collect there on that day. Come to church friends. Mr. Parker, of Jersey Shore, Pa., is the guest of his son, Mr. John Parker of this place. SPRING MILLS. The great S. S. picnic came off last Saturday and was a grand success. The Spring Mills band furnished the music in the evening the band boys improvised a little festival which netted in a snug little sum of money. W. D. Duncan who has been spending a few days here returned to Sunbury on Monday last. Wallace is clerk for the P. & E. R. R. at that place. Rev. Jas. Wilson and part of the family have returned to New York. The two sons Peter and James and their daughter Mary are still here. During their sojourn with us Mr. Wilson purchased the old homestead in the village and also the farm two miles west of this place. Mr. H. N. Hains of Springfield Mo., is visiting friends in Penns Valley. He is a brother-in-law of landlord Shaffer, of Spring Mills Hotel. Last Saturday evening the Republicans held a meeting at this place to select delegates to the county convention I suppose the reason they do not hold a primary election at the regular election place is because they are so few in number. If Guyer Mattern's friends fall in nominating him they can blame it on a few disgruntled democrats who have conspired to nominate their candidate for Prothonotary for them. Mr. Binman of Laurelton spent Monday night here. He was on business in this place. REX.

This morning Peter Meitzler received a letter from his brother, Philip Meitzler, who is sergeant of the police in Charleston, S. C., that gave a pitiful story of the wreck caused by the earthquake. At one time the writer of the letter owned the Globe Hotel, which was demolished during the war. He then had nothing. By hard work he saved enough to buy a nice home for himself and family. This home was a comfortable brick dwelling located at number 151 King street, and there is where he resided when the late earthquake came and destroyed his building and contents. He and his family have since been living in the street with no shelter but the sky. The letter was written in German, but when translated detailed a pitiful state of affairs in Charleston, the telegraphic reports giving but a meagre idea of it.—Lock Haven Democrat. Fall and winter season 1886-87.—Full line of woollens of every Description, style and color. Leave your order now. MONTGOMERY & Co. Tailors. Horsemen, cut this out: An eastern veterinary surgeon says it is a fact that seed of the sunflower is the best remedy ever discovered for the speedy cure of founder in horses. Immediately on discovering that a young horse is foundered, put a pint of whole seeds into his feed. It will work a perfect cure. Mrs. Col. Eli Slifer of Lewisburg, died Tuesday morning. Mrs. Slifer has been in declining health for a year past. Col. and Mrs. Slifer had broken up house keeping on account of ill health, and were boarding at the Cameron House. Col. Slifer is in a critical condition. The deceased was the mother of Mrs. A. H. Dill, and was widely known for her many good qualities. The American girl who goes out to do domestic service now-a-days does so mainly for the purpose of making her wedding clothes on the family sewing machine, and has a hole in her stockings. Lewisburg News. Yes, and this same girl is expected to do all the dirty work with no time to sew for herself; is expected to have a constitution like a horse and never to grow tired; is expected to work from early morn until ten o'clock at night, and then get "fried" if she wants an evening to herself. The poor working girl is entitled to much more respect than she generally gets from those who employ her. During the rain and thunderstorm on last Monday afternoon the large new barn of Mr. Harvey Moore of Limestone about two miles south of Corsica, which was erected last summer, was struck by lightning and set on fire. All effort to extinguish the flames were fruitless, and the fine new building, including Mr. Moore's farm machinery, and crops stored therein, was soon reduced to a pile of ashes. His horses were also in the stable at the time but were rescued. There was an insurance of but \$700.00 on the building and \$200 on contents, in the agencies of Jno. F. & G. Brown. The loss to Mr. Moore is quite serious. Clarion Democrat. MONEY TO LOAN.—I am authorized to loan on good first mortgage from \$12,000 to \$15,000 in sums of \$500 and its multiple at from 3 to 5 years, at 6 per cent. ADAM HOY. Girard township, this county, furnishes another death by an axe in the hands of a child. Two sons of Henry Martel were at the wood pile the elder, seven years of age, using an axe. When about to strike, with the axe lifted back over his shoulder, his brother, five years old, came up behind and was struck fairly on the left side of the neck, cutting his neck half way through. The boy died in a few minutes.—Clarion Review. Beads, Fringes, Gimps and Buttons—Garman's. Mr. Joseph Aucreman the glass-blower who had his knee cap badly fractured, we are pleased to learn, rapidly improving, and the hospital authorities are of the opinion that he will have the use of his leg again. Officer Woods of Pittsburg, who received fatal injuries by falling over a cliff which in pursuit of an offender, an account of while is given in another column, died on Tuesday morning. Dress goods—Garman's. Dress goods—Garman's. FOR SALE.—Three Alderney cows, one fresh last month, one will be fresh within ten days, the other new milking Inquire of C. T. ALEXANDER. List of unclaimed letters remaining in the Post Office at Bellefonte, Centre County, Pa., September 6th, 1886. J. M. Cumington, G. G. Fairbank, G. C. Gephart, Capt. G. C. Gaulin, William Halj, J. M. Kelpner, S. B. Meyers, M. McCormick, I. H. McNeely, Samuel Mulbarger, William Marts, William Z. Royer-2, Sarah Tauer, H. C. Warzel, Geo. F. Whistler. Persons inquiring for letters named in the above list will please say advertised. JAS. H. DORRIS, P. M.