

Advertisements, containing important news, social affairs, or any part of the county. No communications except notices accompanied by the real name of the writer.

Local Department.

New corn is in the market. Buttons and gimps.—Garmans. Snow fell in Ridgeway on October 1st.

Buttons, beads and gimps.—Garmans. The knitting factory at Millheim is now a foregone conclusion.

The funeral of Miss Annie Snook, daughter of J. C. Snook of Penn township, occurred on Thursday.

Red lemonade peanuts and ginger bread had the lead on show day.

The largest crowd that has been in Bellefonte since the Grand Army Encampment was here on show day.

A protracted meeting is being conducted in the M. E. church in this place by Rev. D. S. Monroe the pastor.

Almost every person in Bellefonte visited the ruins, where once stood the spacious buildings of the glass works.

The Chicago anarchists were sentenced to be hung on December the 3rd between the hours of 10 and 12 o'clock a. m.

Nine coaches crowded full of people came in on the Lemont road on Tuesday to attend the great Forepaugh show.

There are more hands on the Tyrone Herald than any other paper in the state. There is a hand for every local.

C. G. McMillen, expects to close the season with his North Carolina Troubadours some time during this month.

Let our citizens assist and encourage the re-building of the glass works. Some of you fellows with capital might take a hand.

The nicest celery brought to Bellefonte, is that raised by Mr. Samuel Stover on the farm of Mr. Wm. Bible below Centre Hall.

If there is one person above all others who need sympathy, it is the man or woman who has to lug a baby, or wheel a carriage through a parade on show day.

Mrs. D. G. Bush, wife of the late Col. Bush, received a check from insurance agent, W. B. Rankin, for \$11,733 07, as the amount of insurance upon Mr. Bush's life.

James G. Blain has been imported to this State for the purpose of making speeches. He wants to help Beaver to carry his own state, but in this both will be defeated.

It is estimated that over six thousand people have visited the cave during the summer. At the rate of 25cts the price of admission, to the cave the owner made \$15,000.

The prospects for Bellefonte are growing brighter every year, and with in the next two years if every prospect now contemplated is carried out, we will have a booming town here.

One of the most interesting cases tried in Clearfield county last week was Mary Leonard vs. Blake Forcey, for breach of promise. The jury rendered a verdict of \$20,000 damages.

The purported communication from Gregg evidently written by a Republican in Bellefonte, is a villainous outrage upon the untarnished character of Mr. Schaeffer. There is not a grain of truth in it, and every sentence is an infamous lie of the deepest dye.

We have been informed by some parties, that there are several families in our town who are greatly in need of public charity, but who are too modest to make their wants known to the proper authorities or to any one in particular. They are very poor but deserving and should be looked after by some bestower of charity.

The fact that General Beaver does not send his children to the public schools is no more a political barrier, than that Hon. Jno. A. Woodward desires that his children may be educated at the State College, and he can send them there before they are married to Mr. Feidler. Both Gen. Beavers son and Jno. A. Woodward's will stand upon their merits and pass as two respectable young unmarried men, and will not be ashamed of their position, "ah there."

The Republican speakers and their papers are saying the most libel and slanderous things about this Democratic party, and its candidates from Black down to Reifsnnyder. They are conducting a most disgraceful mud throwing campaign. Democrats are you going to go over and aid this kind of a party to power, or are you going to stand by your own party and vote the straight-out ticket? Do you choose to believe the lies they are circulating, or will you be governed by your own good judgment.

A choice lot of Holstine cattle will be sold at Aaronsburg, on the 16th inst. by H. H. Weaver, of that place.

The Republican conference, which met here on Wednesday, nominated Hon. Jno. Patton of Clearfield, for Congress.

It was not only the small boy who was curious to see the show unload but the men and women of all ages, nationality and color.

Look out for a fellow who is peddling maps. He is a fraud and is selling old maps of 1885 with an ingenious paste over the five.

Mr. Ulrich of the Times will please accept our complimentary thanks for his kind (?) words in our behalf in the lower end of the valley.

Williamsport has over 300 Socialists. They will hold meetings this fall, and will be addressed by some leading Socialists from England.

Forepaugh's show had considerable trouble to unload the second section of their show, owing to the interference of the trains coming in about that time.

Again we ask lumber dealers and others to read the advertisement of the large track of timber land now offered for sale by Messrs Ripka. The ad will be found in another column of this paper.

Elk county has an Oyster Running for Sheriff on the Republican ticket. He may not be a clam but he evidently is the next thing to it. This is theseason for oyster and it is hard to tell just what little Elk will do.

Perhaps the youngest patient Dr. Hafer ever had in his dental chair was the little three weeks old child of Mr. A. V. Smith of this place. The baby had two full grown teeth, and as the one was very loose Mr. Smith concluded to have it taken out.

The store of H. I. Barnes of Nittany was broken into on Saturday night last, and a quantity of goods were stolen. A reward of \$25 is offered. Strong suspicion rests upon some parties of which fuller particulars may be known in the near future.

The Centre county Times thinks the editor of the Millheim Journal does not "read very intelligently." Brother Bumiller what is the matter with you? We were always under the impression that you could read with the rest of the editorial fraternity and can not change our opinion now.

Mrs. Aaron Williams and her brother Mr. Fisher, who has been visiting friends in this place for several months departed on Monday for Richmond, Indiana. Mrs. Williams will visit her friends there, while Mr. Fisher will go to Colorado to look after Mr. A. Williams' farming interests.

Invitations announcing the wedding of Miss Sadie Meyer, daughter of Mr. Thos. Meyer of this place, to Mr. H. C. Baney, are out. The wedding will occur on Thursday October 28th at 7 o'clock in the Lutheran church in this place. A reception will be held at 7:30 at the residence of Mr. H. H. Benner on High street.

Mrs. John Holter, of Howard, died on Friday last at 4 o'clock p. m., of cancer. She was about 34 years old and a sister of Mrs. Valentine Smith of this place. Mrs. Holter was a christian lady with a most loving disposition, which won for her the admiration and love of all who had the good fortune of becoming acquainted with her.

Truly the most filthy sheet published in the central part of state is the Compound Organ, the Gazette. It is a regular character butcher. It pryes into the personal and private characters of individuals who are head and shoulders above the editor of the foul sheet, and of men who have never been ashamed to acknowledge their condition while attending or while teaching school.

It surely must be gratifying and a great surprise to the people who have already taken advantage of the special inducements at Harry Schroyer's new carpet store. When a man makes a specialty of any line, it matters not what, it is reasonable to see that he is able to purchase cheaper and sell a better grade of goods for less money than those who deal in all kind of goods. Go in and get your bargains.

The Seventh Annual Conference of the General Secretaries of the Y. M. C. A. of Pennsylvania were in session in this place on Wednesday. The proceedings so far have been about as follows: S. M. Bard, of Wilkesbarre, "Evangelic meetings for young men," Mr. Arthur Lucas, of Scranton, "Which department of railroad work has been most successful in reaching the men, and what new methods can be suggested?" S. B. Herr, of York: "What system have you used to inform the public of your work?" R. A. Orr, of Pittsburg, "The general secretary's evenings at the rooms vs. the demands of society." "Are frequent changes in the secretaryship desirable?" W. A. Brown, assistant secretary at Harrisburg. The discussions were interesting and ably conducted.

On last Thursday Samuel Davis McDonald Esq., a young, but very popular attorney at the Union county bar, died at his home in Lewisburg. He was a step brother of Gen. James A. Beaver, and a model young man with hosts of friends. He graduated from the Lewisburg University in 1873 and admitted to the Union county bar July 1876.

In another column of this paper will be found an obituary on the death of one of Centre counties most worthy and distinguished citizen, Hon. L. W. Munson of Phillipsburg, ex-Sheriff of Centre county, and the father of L. W. Munson of this place. Through an oversight we failed to get a notice of his death in our last issue.

In Boston the ladies get their hats and bonnets checked, when they go to the theatre. This custom is being introduced into other cities, and the ladies as well as the gentlemen sit in the theatres without their heads covered.

The chestnut bell which is rung as a signal of an old state pun has given place in Buffalo to the bar card. When the story teller begins to exaggerate, the listeners hand him a card on which is printed: "I am somewhat of a liar myself."

DEMOCRATIC MEETING.—A large and enthusiastic meeting was held in the Court House and in the yard in front of the Court House on Wednesday evening the 6th inst., at which Lieut. Governor Chauncey F. Black the Democratic candidate for Governor, made a brief speech followed by Hon. Benjamin Meyers, late editor of the Harrisburg Patriot, while Wm. J. Brennan the Democratic candidate for Auditor General, D. F. Fortney Esq., and others spoke to the large crowd in the Court House yard. The meeting was called to order by J. L. Spangler Esq., and the following organization effected: President.—Hon. A. G. Curtin. Vice-Presidents.—Hon. Sam. Gilliland, of College; Col. Jas. P. Weaver, of Boggs; John Rishel of Centre Hall; John I. McClain, of Fergusson; J. H. Reifsnnyder, of Millheim; Jacob Dunkle, of Walker; Thos. McClain, of Snow Shoe; Wm. Grove, of Benner; Calvin Smith, of Union; I. J. Grenoble, of Gregg; D. L. Meek, of Patton; Secretaries.—Chas. R. Kurtz, Oliver Meek and Geo. P. Bible.

Gov. Curtin in his usual pleasant manner introduced the Hon. C. F. Black to the large audience, but pre-faced his introductory remarks by referring to the great issues between the two parties, and relating a very interesting story about the absurdity of the tariff question being drug into the state campaign: Governor Black then came forward and made a few remarks, stating that his letter of acceptance contained his views, course, and policy fully and that he did not come here with the intention of discussing the political issues in General Beaver's own home. Wm. J. Brennan made a very able speech outside, and was listened to with great interest. D. F. Fortney really surprised his hearers in his wonderful accuracy of statistics and the manner in which he pounded down the facts. Dave is an able and an enthusiastic campaign speaker, an active party worker, and one who has the facts at his finger ends. There was a very large crowd but had it been positively known that Gov. Black would address the citizens, there would have been more.

The great Forepaugh show although liberally advertised was not up to the average and was not equal to the performance of either Cole's Robbins, or O'Briens, yet, what does it matter to them, when they can fill the spacious tent to its fullest seating capacity, as was the case on Tuesday. The performance of the animals was excellent and a few, (for there were but few,) special feats upon the trapeze were exceptionally clever. The elephants did their duty well, but the clown were not up to the average, while the concert was a farce, and was not equal to the tamest we have ever witnessed. We feel confident that the people will welcome any other show with more enthusiasm in the future than the Forepaugh. Shows with great and worldwide reputations imaging they can cut and slight their performance to the satisfaction of all, when they are about to go into winter quarters. The immense crowd deserved a better performance than they received on Tuesday. We have seen this show in Philadelphia and other cities when it was really what it was purported to be. It is said a young man from the country went into the side show smiling a two-for-five cent smile, when one of the attendants asked if he was in, to which he replied he was. Well replied the attendant it will only cost you \$3.00 to get out if you want to see the performance in the other tent. The young man paid the three dollars and was handed fifty cents change. This was very generous.

Conductor Cook on the Lewisburg and Bellefonte railroad, met with what might have proven a very serious accident. While throwing the mail back from one car to the other, near Coburn, where the trains pass each other, he accidentally slipped and was thrown from the car while in rapid motion. He struck the other train and bounded back upon the track just as the rear end of his train had passed. He was picked up somewhat stunned, but not seriously injured. Both trains were moving at the rate of about 25 miles an hour.

Boyd C. Musser, son of Emanuel Musser of near State College accidentally fell from the hay mow or above the barn floor on Monday afternoon upon a machine below breaking three ribs and otherwise injuring himself. He is a brother of Mrs. David Eiters of this place. For the past ten years he has always built upon coming to a show in Bellefonte and has always been disappointed in some way, either being sick, or hindered in some other way. He was making arrangements to come to Forepaugh's show on Tuesday, but now suffers that disappointment in addition to his bodily suffering.

Perhaps the most happy, happiest man in town just now is our young friend James Seibert. The cause of all this thumness is because of the arrival in that household of a bouncing young daughter? No indeed, it's a boy, and its name is—we are short of space we can't give it.

DESTRUCTIVE FIRE.—On Sunday morning about half past four o'clock, a fire originated in the west end of the large glass works at this place, and in a few hours the spacious factory was in ruins together with all the machinery, glass, boxes, material etc., leaving nothing standing excepting the engine house. There were over 2,000 boxes of glass destroyed. The total loss will reach between \$45,000 and \$50,000, which is partly covered by \$20,000 insurance. The origin of the fire of course is not known, but is the universal opinion that it was the work of an incendiary. The glass works were established in 1868 but were never so successful as within the past five years, since the present company composed of the following gentlemen, not capitalists, but men of energy and business pluck: Messrs. Jno. Ardell Jr. Sechler, H. S. Sayer, Emil Joseph, L. T. Manson, J. Kyle McFarlane, W. R. Teller, Jno. Anderson and Nicholas Redding. These works, it will be remembered, continued in active operation during the great strike in Pittsburg and the east, and the quality of glass manufactured stands at the head of the list. Seventy five men are thrown out of work just upon the verge of winter. The works will in all probability be rebuilt. The safe among the ruins, was opened on Monday and the papers etc., were found in good condition. It was rumored that the bones of a human being were found among the ruins. It is not an unlikely as last winter it was the home and fire-side for at least twenty tramps and as the fire was rekindled in the furnace a few days previous, some may have already gone into winter quarters. Above the packing room the straw used for packing the glass was stored, and this is where the fire originated.

After each disastrous fire the absolute necessity of having our fire companies properly equipped is for a time realized, but dies away with the fire. Both companies need more hose and the Undine boys need a hose house. Without these two volunteer companies the town would be at the mercy of the flames at any time. These companies are kept up by the individual members for the benefit of the town. The following suggestion made made by a member of one of the companies is worthy of consideration: "That Council have erected upon the electric light station a large whistle, which is to be blown at the time of a fire, and that each ward be connected by an electric alarm with the station. In this way the fire could be located by the blowing of the whistle." The bell upon the Logan House House, rung as it is, can scarcely be distinguished from a church or school bell, and is not sufficiently loud to be heard in every part of town, especially when people are sleeping.

The following officers of the I. O. O. F. were installed on last Thursday evening, after which they were given a banquet at Jacob brothers Oyster and Ice Cream Parlor: N. G. Jno. Olewine, V. G. Dr. H. K. Hoy, A. S. A. C. Miegler, R. S. to N. G. W. I. Fleming, L. S. to N. G. H. H. Harshbarger, R. S. S. John Miller, L. S. S. J. A. Hazel, R. S. to V. G., C. C. Eckert, L. S. to V. G. William H. Miller, Warden, D. I. Parsons, L. J. Girard Minaker, O. G., Bart Galbraith, Mr. H. C. Weaver was elected representative to the Grand Lodge.

A Sad Accident.—During a game of ball on the ground last Saturday afternoon, Willie Elder, aged about 14, stepped back of the batter to see the ball curve. The ball was thrown, and making a foul tip, struck Willie on the head, before he could dodge. When the boys inquired if it hurt him very much he said it did, and walked over to the grand stand, where he sat about an hour, watching the play. The pain getting worse, he went to Dr. William's office, and told him what had happened. The Doctor did what he could but the pain increased. About 6 o'clock his father came after him, but his head still pained him, he was taken to the house of his aunt, Mrs. Malone, where he died on Sunday morning. It was thought he was not dead, and strenuous efforts were made to resuscitate him but without avail. The funeral took place on Wednesday afternoon. He was a bright boy and well beloved.—Elk Democrat.

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Personal.

Biram Durst, of Farmers' Mills, was in town on Tuesday.

Mr. George Bostorff, of Houersville, was in town on Monday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Williams spent a few days in Pittsburg last week.

Harry Hall, Esq., of St. Mary's, Elk county, spent several days in town.

Miss Annie and Lizzie Dale, of Houserville, visited Bellefonte on show day.

Mr. Foreman and his brother, of Centre Hill, took in the show on Tuesday.

Mr. Ellis Synder and Antonia Crutz, of this place, departed for Pittsburg on Monday.

Austin McClain of Ridgeway, and brother of Jas. A. McClain Register, was in town on Wednesday.

W. B. Bell book keeper at H. S. Sayer's Planing mill, spent Sunday with his parents in Huntingdon county.

Mr. Bert Shivery, son of A. J. Shivery of this place has located in Bedford county where he will attend to administering to the sick.

Editor Bumiller, of that sprightly Democratic paper, the Millheim Journal took in the show on Tuesday. Mr. Brumiller also gave us a pleasant call.

Mrs. David Gunsallus of Beech Creek spent Saturday and Sunday with her brother Mr. Robb in this place. She paid the DEMOCRAT a visit on Saturday.

Mr. C. A. Weaver, of Aaronsburg and by the way a staunch Democrat, called on us Tuesday. Mr. Weaver is a pleasant gentleman, and we are always pleased to see him.

Mr. T. W. Bostorff of Pittsburg arrived in town on Monday and started for Houersville where his father Mr. Jacob Bostorff, is lying very low with a stroke of apoplexy since last Wednesday.

Mr. Wm. Hastings brother of Col. D. H. Hastings of this place, has returned from Europe, after an absence of several months abroad. What a pleasure it is for a gentleman like Mr. Hastings to travel in foreign countries when he is able to converse with all nations in their native tongues. Mr. Hastings is master of many different languages, and is therefore at ease in all countries.

The Millheim Journal gives our worthy candidate for District Attorney the following complimentary notice, in its last issue: "The nomination of J. C. Meyer for District Attorney on the Democratic ticket gives such general satisfaction that it is safe to say he will receive the vote of every Democrat as well as of many Republicans. Mr. Meyer is a young lawyer of unquestionable character and ability and has a clean political record. Being a native of staid old Aaronsburg he is known to most of our readers from boyhood up, and as far as we know this end of the county is willing to give him their full support at the ballots: Let the rest of the county do likewise and vote for Meyer."

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List of Meetings.

The following is the list of Democratic meetings that will be held between now and the 23rd inst.

Ripka's School House, Gregg township, Thursday, October 14.

Decker's School House, Gregg township, Friday, October 15.

Gatesburg, Fergusson township, Friday, October 15.

Tusseyville, Potter township, Saturday, October 16.

Murray's School House, Gregg township, Saturday, October 16.

Roopsburg, Benner township, Saturday, October 16.

Hosterman's School House, Haines township, Monday, October 18.

Coburn, Renn township, Monday, October 18.

Brumgard's School House, Miles township, Tuesday, October 19.

Mann's School House, Curtin township, Tuesday, October 19.

Penn Hall, Gregg township, Tuesday, October 19.

Madisonburg, Miles township, Wednesday, October 20.

Linden Hall, Harris township, Wednesday, October 20.

Farmers Mills, Gregg township, Thursday, October 21.

Scotts, Patton township, Thursday, October 21.

Rock Forge School House, Benner township, Friday, October 22.

Zion, Walker township, Friday, October 22.

Hubbardsburg, Walker township, Saturday, October 23.

Jacksonville, Marion township, Saturday, October 23.

Wallace Run School House, Boggs township, Saturday, October 23.

All the meetings are to be held in the evening.

Jas Harris & Co., bought their stoves before the advance and are now offering them at lower prices than ever before. Jas. Harris & Co., are sole agents for New Sunshine, Square double and single Heaters, Avt. Invincible Square stoves. Jas. Spars New Silver Moon and double and single heaters. There are more Othello and Sunshine Ranges sold by Jas. Harris & Co., than any other Range in the market.

On Thursday afternoon three little children of James Pearce were left alone at their home in Gallitzin, the father being at work in the mines and the mother being on an errand to a neighbor's. In the absence of the parents the little ones, the eldest being scarcely eleven years of age, were ironing, and there being a very large fire in the stove, a glass can containing coal oil that was sitting near the stove exploded and the burning oil ignited the clothing of Stella, aged 2 years, burning her beyond her recognition before help arrived. The house immediately took fire and in twenty minutes was reduced to cinders, leaving nothing of the contents. The child, who had been taken from the house to a neighbor's, died in a few hours.—Allentown Times.

Examine our stock of china and bric-a-brac.—Garmans.—

Recently while removing the roof of South College, the carpenters discovered that a shell fired during the bombardment of the town by Gen. Early in '63, had passed through the southwest corner of the roof, partly demolishing the hip rafter and two cripples and passing into the truss rafter, making a hole 6 1/2 inches in diameter.—Valley Sentinel.

The New Excelsior Penn cook stoves take the lead. Sold for 17 years by Jas. Harris & Co. 37-3-4.

Eight thousand men employed in the pork packing establishment of Chicago are out on a strike, against returning to the ten hour system.

Jas. Harris & Co., have just received two (2) car loads of stoves. The largest stock ever brought to Bellefonte.

Moss trimming Passamentries Beads, Fringes, in all colors.—Garmans

New styles in dress goods, snow flake—silk and wool mixtures—Trio cloths, Home spuns etc.—Garmans.

List of unclaimed letters remaining in the post office at Bellefonte Centre county Penns., Oct. 11, 1886.

C. B. Rush, Mrs. Margaret F. Campbell, Pat Flinn, Isaac Gray, Miss Alice Gaultner, Henry Hunsicker, John Lawyer, A. M. Elroy, R. C. Miller, Miss Mattie McKinley, Samuel B. Meyers, James Neff, Stephen Reap, John Rusman, S. Smith, Miss Carrie Struble, Mrs. Lucy Wilson?

Persons inquiring for letters named in the above list will please say advertised.

JAS. H. DOBBISS, P. M.

FILES OF NEW THINGS FOR YOUR INSPECTION AT OUR STORE EVERYBODY WELCOME.—Garmans.

MARRIED. HOUSEHOLDERS.—Emanuel House, to Elie M. Reisher, at Lemont, Sept. 23, 1886 by J. H. Welch, both of Centre county.

KLINE.—BUNGARDNER—At Lemont, October 8th, 1886 by J. H. Welch, Mr. Wm. Kline, to Miss Eliza M. Brumgardner, both of Centre county.